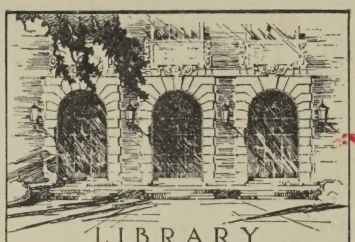

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SETH HASTINGS GRANT.

Contributed by Edith Grant.

Seth Hastings Grant, who died at Elizabeth, New Jersey, on the 9th of May, 1910, was one of the leading spirits in the organization of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society. He was one of the nine incorporators in 1869; served on its first Board of Trustees, and on many succeeding boards; held the office of Secretary from 1869 for many years, and was one of the founders of The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record. During its early years, this Society had no more active or zealous member.

Mr. Grant was born at Marshall, Oneida County, N. Y., on June 6, 1828. His father, Dr. Asahel Grant, was one of the few men who during a brief life of thirty-six years made an impress upon three continents, which is even yet, three-quarters of a century later, uneffaced. The intense religious impulse which drove our fathers to the shore of New England was still a powerful element in the character of the men and women of a hundred years ago. In Dr. Grant's case, combined with the restless pioneer spirit of the age, and augmented by grief over the death of his young and beautiful wife, it led him to renounce a successful career in Utica, where he was deeply loved, surrender his two little boys to the care of their grandparents, and turn his face toward the far east, in order to carry the message of Christianity to a race then little known and popularly supposed to be the remnant of the lost tribes of Israel. Dr. Grant, a young and brilliant man, of splendid physique and courage, went, under the auspices of the American Missionary Society, as a medical missionary, to the mountain Nestorians of Persia. In that strange and perilous country, sparsely peopled by a semi-barbarous race, infested in its wilder regions by a particularly dangerous and savage tribe of brigands, he would ride through mountain passes, by night as well as by day, often alone and usually unarmed, ministering to the physical ills of those he encountered, and thereby, and doubtless also by his personality,

gaining a hold upon their confidence and friendship which enabled him to introduce the spiritual teachings he came to impart.

This romantic and consecrated career could not fail to have a marked effect upon the lives of Dr. Grant's children. The strongest note in the character of his eldest son, the subject of this sketch, was a fixed religious conviction, unshaken and untroubled during the eighty-two years of his life; an almost supersensitive conscientiousness, and devotion to what he considered his duty without regard to private interest. Few laymen had his intimate and familiar knowledge of the Bible; and during his later years, when enfeebled health had unfitted him for active work and gave him leisure to read, his choice of books seemed always unconsciously to fall upon those of a religious nature.

There is little to be noted of his childhood, except that his inherited spirit of adventure took shape in an impromptu migration to Illinois, made at the early age of twelve, undertaken alone and without the formality of a previous consultation with his guardians, or of providing funds for the journey. This inland voyage, occupying many weeks, made partly on foot, partly by canalboat, stage-coach and steamboat, was accompanied by many dangers, hardships and adventures, as well as by frequent kindnesses from fellow travellers, who doubtless wondered at the little knight-errant; and it ended happily in the family of astonished relatives.

A little later Dr. Grant, on one of his rare visits to this country, placed him in the family of an old and dear friend, Dr. John Torrey, professor of Chemistry at Princeton University, then known as the College of New Jersey. Dr. Torrey lived in the beautiful old house now occupied by Dr. Van Dyke, the original aspect of which has been retained through subsequent changes. Here the boy, who had bitterly mourned his enforced separation from his father, found a genuine home, where his gentle and affectionate disposition soon made him loved as a son and brother. He entered Princeton at the age of fifteen with the class of '47, but left at the end of two years owing to ill health. Yale University, however, conferred upon him the degree of Master of Arts in 1856.

In 1846 Mr. Grant came to New York to live, and entered the publishing house of Wiley & Putnam, the predecessor of the present firm of Geo. P. Putnam's Sons. Three years later he was appointed Librarian of the Mercantile Library of New York, at that time one of the leading circulating and reference libraries of the country. He continued to hold this office for seventeen years. Mr. Grant was a born librarian, and the congenial nature of the work, in which he undoubtedly found his best expression, the association and friendships which were the inevitable result of his environment, and the stimulus to outside and related activities, made this in many ways the richest, the most productive and most valuable period of his life. Associated with Charles B. Norton and with Daniel C. Gilman, late President of Johns Hopkins University, he edited a publication known as *Norton's*

Literary Gazette and Publishers' Circular, from 1850 to 1855. He was also, from 1863 to 1871, associate editor of the *American Publishers' Circular.* He was a contributor to the *Historical Magazine*, and compiled a work which was privately printed, and which contained much valuable information, namely *New York City during the American Revolution.*

When Mr. Grant went to the Mercantile Library, the record of withdrawals of books was kept in large and heavy volumes, like ledgers. Whenever a book was taken out or returned, the volume containing the member's name had to be consulted, the page looked up in the index, and the proper entry made. Much labor was also involved in examining these records for books kept overtime. The young librarian set his wits to work to devise some quicker and less cumbersome method, and hit upon the expedient of using uniform slips of paper, or cards, which could be arranged in order in a compartment of appropriate size, each slip recording one transaction, and being destroyed when that was completed. This was the origin of the card system of indexing. Unfortunately its possibilities were not foreseen, and Mr. Grant never derived the slightest benefit from, or even credit for, an invention having such revolutionary and far-reaching results.

It has been said that Mr. Grant was indirectly responsible for *The Four Georges* and *The English Humorists.* In the spring of 1855 he obtained a leave of absence for a few months in order to visit some of the principal cities of Europe and study their libraries and other public institutions. While in London, the Mercantile Library Association commissioned him to seek an interview with Mr. Thackeray and arrange, if possible, for him to come to New York the following winter and deliver a course of lectures under its auspices. In this role of literary impresario he was successful, and as a result of his mission the two works above named were first presented to the world in the form of lectures in New York City. The voyage came near having a very different end. Mr. Grant chose to make the trip across on a sailing vessel, *The Neptune.* After enduring all sorts of hardships and delays, the passengers were aroused one morning, after an anxious period of storm and fog, by the thrilling cry of "Rocks ahead!" and rushed on deck to see the breakers dashing over the rocks little more than a vessel's length in front of them. By some miracle passengers and crew were saved from shipwreck.

Naturally Mr. Grant had many interesting experiences in London. He was entertained at breakfast by Mr. Thackeray, met Douglas Jerrold, and many other agreeable, if less noted, persons. He had the opportunity of attending sessions of the House of Commons when the subject under debate was the prosecution of the Crimean War, and listening to memorable speeches from the men of that day who still loom up through the haze of receding years as political giants. In a letter dated June 7, 1855, he says:

"Mr. Nutt, as I said, procured me an order for the House of Commons. Thither I betook myself on Tuesday at five o'clock.

Had to wait more than three hours before I could get admission. It was then a quarter after eight, and I stayed until half past twelve, during which time there were several minor speeches on the all-absorbing topic—whether the war shall be vigorously prosecuted. Finally Bulwer, or rather Sir Edw. Bulwer Lytton, as he now is, made the speech of the evening, and one well worth going for. It was polished, forcible, a little severe at times on the administration, but all the better worth hearing for that. While I was waiting for admittance, a gentleman also waiting recognized me as an American by the *toes of my boots*—I not being able to toe the mark quite *squarely* enough for present ideas. He knowing that the next evening would probably be continued even more spiritedly than this, kindly procured and left me another order for that evening (Wednesday,) so that I felt like going again. It was nine o'clock when I reached the House, and I had to wait a full hour; but although I missed Cobden's great speech, I was remarkably favored in hearing speeches from Sir James Graham; from Lord John Russell; from Palmerston; from Disraeli, the great leader of the opposition, as you know, and who provokes to speech the minister; and one or two others of the leaders, Bright included. So that I was remarkably fortunate."

And again:

"Visited the British Museum to-day for a couple of hours—merely to present my letters of introduction. As I was passing through the long library room (the King's Library—Geo. IV.) I saw a gentleman, stout and pleasant looking, very full-faced, sitting at a table covered with books, large and small, and wondered if he was one of the bookworms of the library, or a member of Parliament studying up a subject for debate. As I was looking through the same room a short time after, the gentleman with me said, 'Here comes Mr. Macaulay!' and I recognized the same portly figure coming toward us."

From London he went to the Continent, where in accordance with his original plan, he visited a number of the principal cities, part of the time in the company of Mr. Gilman, and also of Andrew D. White, both men of similar tastes and interests. At Paris he was one of the two American representatives at a World's Convention of Young Men's Christian Associations. This was the only trip Mr. Grant made abroad.

Another incident of interest growing out of his connection with the Mercantile Library was the summoning of the first Librarian's Convention, in 1853, in the preparations for which Mr. Grant took an active part, and for which he acted as secretary. Out of this first convention grew the American Library Association, of which Mr. Grant was one of a very small and slowly diminishing body of honorary members.

Mr. Grant was never strong physically. Curiously, when at the age of thirty, he applied for insurance in a well known company, he was allowed to take out only a very small policy, premiums on which, however, were paid for over fifty years. In 1866 he was advised to leave the library and lead a less confining life, and for a few years engaged in a real estate and brokerage busi-

ness. In 1873 he received an appointment as Superintendent of the New York Produce Exchange, an onerous position, the duties of which he discharged with the utmost fidelity. Millions of dollars passed through his hands in the course of his administration of this office without the discrepancy of a cent in his accounts. He remained there until 1882, when an old member of the Exchange, Franklin Edson, having been elected Mayor of the City of New York, persuaded Mr. Grant to become his secretary. The following year the office of Comptroller became vacant by the resignation of Allen Campbell, and Mayor Edson appointed Mr. Grant to fill the unexpired term. Mr. Grant entered upon the duties of this office under peculiarly trying conditions. During Mr. Campbell's incumbency it was discovered that a system of frauds was in operation in the Comptroller's office, which had resulted in a very large deficiency, between one and two million dollars. The method employed was the duplicate cashing of coupons of the City bonds. Although not the slightest suspicion was cast upon the personal integrity of Mr. Campbell, yet he felt the matter acutely, offered his resignation immediately, which was accepted, and probably never recovered from the mortification, as he died not very long afterwards. The twofold task which confronted the new Comptroller, was to discover and punish the perpetrators of the fraud, and to prevent its repetition. He entered the office not knowing whom to suspect, or whom he could trust. He felt it necessary to invoke the assistance of Inspector Byrnes, then chief of the police detective bureau. In those days there was, of course, no telephone, and not daring to use anyone in his own office, he had resort to his young son to act as go-between to make an appointment with the Inspector at some place where they would be unobserved. It was found that the thefts were committed by three men in different departments of the Comptroller's office, acting in collusion; their identity was established and they were discharged. Inspector Byrnes told Mr. Grant that their political influence was so great that it would be useless to prosecute them. They brought suit for reinstatement, but were never able to get back. In order to prevent a recurrence of the evil, Mr. Grant started a set of books in which coupons were pasted as soon as they had been presented and cashed. Each page was arranged to contain only ten coupons; they were to be entered in their proper order; thus it resulted that the number of the last coupon on each page would end with a "9," and in running rapidly over the pages it could be seen at a glance that no coupons were withheld. This is believed to be the first time such a system of automatic checks was applied in any American city.

It was Mr. Edson's intention to re-appoint Mr. Grant at the expiration of the term; but just before that time a bill which had been introduced by a young legislator and reformer, making the office elective, became a law. Mr. Grant was a strong, outspoken Republican. He had administered the office purely as a business and not at all as a political office. His record had been so fine, however, that he would have been nominated as his own succes-

sor upon the Republican ticket, except for the fact that in the arrangement of the ticket it was deemed expedient to have the candidate for comptroller chosen from the West Side of the city, Mr. Grant's residence being on the East. It may be of interest to note that the young assemblyman who introduced the bill making the office elective was Theodore Roosevelt, who was defeated for the Mayoralty of New York at the following election.

With the exception of a short period, when he acted as Vice-President of the United States National bank, Mr. Grant never again entered active business, or public life. Collaborating with D. William Patterson, he started to get up a genealogy of the descendants of Matthew Grant, the founder of his family, who came to this country in 1630. The material collected by them was used later by Mr. Grant's son, who completed and published the genealogy. Mr. Grant also prepared a genealogy of the Wedge Family, which advancing years prevented him from publishing. Various honorary positions, which he occupied at various times, were Secretary of the Athenaeum Club; Recording and Corresponding Secretary of the New York Bible Society; Chairman of the Board of Examiners for positions under the New York Board of Excise, for ten years: Deacon for twenty-five years, and elder for the next five, until 1890, of the Madison Square Presbyterian Church.

In that church, on October 14, 1858, Mr. Grant was married by the Rev. Dr. William Adams, to Miss Margaret Van Antwerp Beckley, daughter of Samuel M. and Margaret Demilt (Van Antwerp) Beckley, and descended on her mother's side from some of the earliest white settlers on Manhattan Island. The rare and perfect unity of this marriage was broken only by death, after more than forty-five years of a mutual devotion by which few lives are crowned. Of three children, the youngest, Ernest, died when four years old. A son, Arthur Hastings, and a daughter, Edith, survive their parents.

Mr. Grant entered the new century fully abreast of the times on all matters of public moment, in which his interest was unabated up to the last day of his life. He brought into it, however, some of the gentler virtues, more characteristic of the middle of the last century, when the contemporaries of the young men were Arthur Pendennis, David Copperfield and Col. Newcomb. All women were to him gentlewomen, and were treated alike, with exquisite courtesy. He was most scrupulous about his personal appearance, and looked many years younger than he really was. So great was his appreciation of the merits and deserts of others, that he forgot his own. Few men have gone through life with such a fastidious purity of thought and speech; it is believed that no profane word ever passed his lips, and it would have been difficult for them to pass the lips of others in his presence. Only the best in literature and art claimed him. His reverence for the great institutions to which he gave his adherence, religious, political and social, never wavered; and in this quality of gentle, but unalterable fealty to what he held to be true and of good repute, he realized the spirit of the Grant watchword, "Stand Fast."

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THE "KING" HERALDRY.

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By George Austin Morrison, Jr., A. M., LL. B.

(Continued from Vol. XLI., p. 275, of the Record.)

King of Hungrill, Yorkshire and Umberslade, Warwickshire.

Arms: "*Sable*, a lion rampant between three crosses-crosslet, *or*."

Crest: "Out of a ducal coronet, a demi lion rampant."

This family claims to be originally of Westmoreland and descended from Sir Ralph Kinge, who fought at the Battle of Agincourt. Unfortunately the name of this doughty knight does not appear on the list of created knights from the earliest time to 1700, nor does it show in the Muster Rolls of Knights, Squires, Military Commanders and Levies of the English Army at Agincourt, preserved to this day.

There are some indications, however, that the ancestry of the Kings of Kirkby Malhamdale, Co. York, came from Blithe, Nottinghamshire, and it is quite possible that one Hugh King of of Skipton was nearly related. The first traceable ancestor, however, was Rev. Robert Kinge, Vicar of Kirkby Malhamdale, Yorkshire, who garrisoned the church there for the Parliament during the Civil War and was probably a stern Puritan. He died in 1621 leaving a long will and a son Thomas.

Thomas Kinge (Robert), who erected Church End in Kirkby, Co. York, about 1650, married and had issue, sons Henry and Thomas, and a daughter Elizabeth, who married (1st) James Simms of Thorpe, parish of Burnsall, and (2d) James Knowles of Kettlewell. A fairly complete pedigree of his descendants to the present time has been compiled, but the connection of this family with that of any of the early King armigers has not as yet been established.

King of Stansfield, Suffolk.

Arms: "Quarterly first and fourth, *Sable*, a lion rampant, *argent*, crowned, *or*, between three crosses-crosslet of the second; second and third, *azure*, five lozenges cory in fesse, *or*, on each an escallop shell, *gules*, on a chief of the second a griffin's head, erased, of the third enclosed by two fleur de lis of the first."

Crest: "An ostrich's neck erased, *argent*, gorged with a coronet, *azure*, beak, *sable*."

The origin of the arms forming the second and third quarterings has not been traced but they probably are those of some ancestress, whose family became allied with that of King.

This King family is one of the earliest traceable families of the name and sprang from Richard Kinge of Bury St. Edmunds, Co. Suffolk, who died in 1514, leaving a will in which he mentions a brother Sir Nicholas King,* a wife Cicely, to whom he leaves the house they live in, a place called Moyses Hall, with barn and garden in Pudding Lane, London, and lands at Newmarket, Cambridge, Caxton, Compton, Norfolk, a son Thomas, and a daughter Alice, who married William Lawrence.

Thomas King (Richard), of Bury St. Edmunds, married Johanna ——, and had issue, Richard, "sonne and heir," John, Thomas, Hester and Dorothy.

Richard Kinge (Thomas, Richard), presumably of Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk, married —— Edgar, a sister of Thomas Edgar of Exoninge, Co. Suffolk, and Anderton by Montayns, Lincolnshire, and had known issue, Richard.

Richard Kinge (Richard, Thomas, Richard), of Stansfield, Suffolk, had the arms above described granted to him by Letters Patent in 1589. He married on 19 January, 1586, Marie Debenham, daughter of John Debenham of Denston, Suffolk, and had issue a son Richard and a daughter Marie, baptised 25 June, 1588, at Stansfield, who married Henry Jermyn. He died in 1590, leaving a will, and was buried at Stansfield, 9 December, 1590. His widow, Marie Kinge, married 7 April, 1591, Charles Burrouwe of Wickhambrook, Suffolk, and died and was buried 8 December, 1596.

Richard Kinge (Richard, Richard, Thomas, Richard), probably married (1st) 10 July, 1607, at Depden, Suffolk, Sarah Jermins, and (2d) 11 March, 1615, at Stansfield, Suffolk, Elizabeth Ruffle.

Nothing further is known of this family or their descendants, and apparently these Kings were in no way related to another extensive family of the name settled at Edwardston, Suffolk, as early as 1496, who were the ancestors of the King family of Palmer, Mass. No arms, however, have ever been traced for the Kings of Edwardston, Suffolk, who appear to have been merely of yeomanry stock.

King of Stourton and Albourne, Wiltshire.

Arms: "*Sable*, a lion rampant between three crosses fitchy, *or*, for King, impaling on the dexter side *gules*, a chevron varie, *argent* and *azure*, between three crescents, *argent*, for Goddard. On the sinester side, *argent*, on a bend, *gules*, three lozenges (of the first) in chief a trefoil (of the second)."

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* Sir Nicholas Kynge, vicar of Dryffild, Co. Gloucester, left a will dated 17 Aug., 1550, proved 21 Oct., 1550, in which he mentions brothers William and Robert, and William, Nicholas, Henry, John King, Sr., John King, Jr., Thomas and Joan, children of a brother (not named); and Sir William Kynge, Vicar of Hannyngton. Whether he is identical with the Sir Nicholas King above is as yet unknown.

Every indication points to the County of Norfolk as the cradle of this family, with some clues as to relationship with a branch of the name in Co. Essex. Unfortunately the name of the first traceable ancestor remains undisclosed, but it is known he had issue, a son, John of Norfolk, Gent (see below); a daughter, who married Richard Blackwell; a daughter who married Richard Gove, and a daughter Susan who married —— Herne (or Fferne). This Mr. King was of close kin, possibly a brother, to a Mr. King, who had issue, a son John Kinge (who was Rector of Stourton, Wilts, 1565–1607, Rector of Taplow, Bucks, and Canon of Windsor; who married Mary, daughter of William Bird of Walden, Co. Essex, died and was buried in St. George's Chapel, Windsor, 13 May, 1607, leaving a will, but no issue); a son Thomas; a daughter Dorothy, who married —— Woodcock; and a daughter Jane, who married —— Woodhall.

The founder of the family must at present be considered to be John Kinge of Norfolk, Gent, born 1576, matriculated at Queens College, Oxford, 17 October, 1589, aged 13; B. A., 3 July, 1593; fellow Merton College, 1594; M. A., 31 October, 1598 (incorporated at Cambridge, 1606); B. D., 28 June, 1608; D. D., 6 July, 1615 (incorporated at Cambridge, 1621); tutor to Robert, Earl of Essex; Rector of Stourton, Wilts, 1605–1631; Rector of Islip, Co. Oxon, 1632; Canon of Westminster, 1613; of Windsor, installed 23 November, 1615, until his death 7 August, 1638. He left a long will in which he mentions his Manor of Westbury, cousin Dr. John King, brother George Foxcroft, cousin George Aglionbie, D.D., and brother Richard Gove. He married (1st) Elizabeth Foxcroft, by whom he had issue, John, William, Rachel, who married Nathaniel Field, Richard, Nicholas (who was a merchant and a bachelor and died abroad at Seville, Spain, leaving a will in which he speaks of his brother, Richard King, merchant, dwelling in London, and leaves a large fortune to his relatives); Robert and Elizabeth. Rev. John Kinge, D.D., married (2d) Mary ——, and had issue, Dorothy and William.

Richard Kinge (Rev. John, D.D.), of Upham, Wilts, Alderman and Sheriff of London, died 22 May, 1668, aged 52 years, and was buried in the parish church of Albourne, Wilts, where he has a monument, upon which appear the arms above described.

He married (1st) Martha, daughter of Edmund Goddard, by whom he had issue, sons John, Richard, Nicholas, James, John, Thomas and Edward, and daughters Martha, Elizabeth and Priscilla; he married (2d) Mary, widow of Edward Adams, and daughter of John March of St. Albans, Herts, by whom he had issue, a son Edward, and daughters Rachel, Mary and Catherine. One of his sons Nicholas Kinge was in New England in 1640, but all further trace of him has been lost.

As yet nothing further has been disclosed concerning these Kings of Stourton, Wilts, originally of Norfolk, but the family was one of importance and many of the members apparently held lucrative positions in the church.

Further data concerning Richard Kinge of Upham, Wilts, who must have left a will, should disclose matter of great interest

for it is known that William Goddard, who settled in Watertown, Mass., in 1665, was a brother of his first wife, Martha Goddard, and it is stated that his son Nicholas Kinge* (Richard, John), resided in Boston for some years.

III. King of Iver, Buckinghamshire.

Arms: "*Sable*, a lion rampant, *or*, tail forked."

(See Plate III.)

Like arms are borne by King of Coventry, Warwickshire; King of Charlestown, Roscommon, Ireland, and King of Great Thurlow, Suffolk.

This family sprang from John Kynge of Co. Kent, who had issue, a son John.

John Kinge (John) of Iver, Co. Bucks, Gent; married Margery Phillips, daughter of John Phillips of Hillington, Middx., and had issue, two sons, John (stated to have died without issue), and William.

William Kinge (John, John) of Iver, Bucks, later of Harmondsworth, Middx., Gent, died in 1652 leaving a will in which he mentions estates at Farwell, Staffordshire and Iver, Bucks, a cousin Mr. Andrew Kinge of Wyrardsburg; a daughter Anne Lovelace and Edward Kyderminster of Mottingham, Kent, Gent, a brother of his wife Anne. He married Anne Kyderminster, daughter of Robert Kyderminster, of Langley, Bucks, and had issue, William, Anne who married William[4] Lovelace;† (Francis,[3] Sir Richard,[2] Richard[1]) of Hurley, Bucks, and had issue a son John, who became 4th Baron Lovelace; Edward, Francis, John, Henry, Thomas, Robert, Richard, Diana, Mary.

King of Coventry, Warwickshire.

Arms: "*Sable*, a lion rampant queu furché, *or*, a label of three points, *argent*." (See Plate III.)

These arms were granted to Thomas Kinge, Alderman of Coventry, 26th December, 1683, by Sir William Dugdale, Garter and Sir Henry St. George, Clarencieux, by virtue of his proved relationship to the family of King of Iver, Co. Bucks.

The Pedigree as filed in the Visitation of Warwickshire in 1682 is as follows:

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* A Nicholas Kinge was witness in 1686 to a deed of land in Romney Marsh, sold by Bartholomew Green, son of Jacob Green of Charlestown, Mass., to Daniel Hutchins, but his ancestry or descendants have never been traced.

Richard Kinge of Scarborough, Maine, was a resident of Watertown, Mass., about 1735.

† The present Earl of Lovelace claims lineal descent from Peter Kinge, of Exeter, Devon, Grocer, a son of Jerome Kinge and nephew of John Locke. As yet no relationship has been discovered between this Jerome Kinge and the King family of Iver, Bucks, but the name "Lovelace" in each family would appear to be more than a coincidence. Moreover a Locke family was in some way related to the King family of Thame, Oxon and Worminghall, Bucks, for Robert Kinge, Bishop of Oxford, in his will 1557 leaves legacies to Raffe and Nicholas Locke.

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PLATE V.

John Kinge of Kent, had issue, William Kinge, who fought at Bosworth Field with King Henry VII, and had lands granted him at Higham, Leicestershire.

William Kinge (John) in turn had issue, Richard, who had issue, John, who had issue, William of Coventry, born 1587, died 1677, married Joan Moxley and was the father of Thomas King.

Thomas King, (William, John, Richard, William, John,) to whom the above arms were granted in 1683, was born 1629 and became Alderman of the City of Coventry, Justice of the Peace, and Deputy Lieutenant in the County. He married (1st) Elizabeth, daughter of John Neale of Exall and (2d) Eleanor, daughter of Sir John Cave, younger brother of Sir Thomas Cave of Stanford, Northamptonshire, and widow of Edward Chamberlain of Princethorpe, Warwickshire, and had issue by first wife, Thomas, Joan and Mary and by second wife, Elinor and Sir John, who died at Ballasore in ye East Indies unmarried 1668, aged 16 years. (So stated in the Visitation.)

Nothing further is known of his descendants.

It is an odd coincidence that there was another family of King of Higham, Co. Leics., commencing with John Kynge of Higham, Co. Leicester, husbandman, who died and left a will dated 8 August, 1558, in which he desires to be buried in the churchyard of St. Peter and St. Paul, in Higham, and mentions his wife Agnes, son Richard and three daughters Alice, Agnes and Jane. His wife seems to have had a first husband for the will mentions "to Ellen, his wife's daughter £3."

Richard Kynge (John) of Higham, husbandman, left a will dated 27 August, 1592, in which he mentions wife Elizabeth, son John, daughter Elizabeth and the rest of his children, viz: John, Elizabeth, Alis and Richard.

It is quite probable that this family was of close kin to the ancestors of Thomas King, Alderman of Coventry above, who also hailed from Higham, but as yet the link remains untraced.

King of Charlestown, Roscommon, Ireland.

Arms: "*Sable*, a lion rampant double qued, *or*."

Crest: "An escallop, *gules*."

The crest is the same, except as to color, as that of King of West Hall, Dorset.

The founder of this line was the Rt. Rev. Edward King, who was born 1575 in Huntingdonshire. He was made D. D. in Dublin 1595, consecrated Bishop of Elphin in 1611, and died 8 March, 1639, leaving an eldest son James King, born 6 February, 1610, died 1687. The present head of the family is a Baronet and the pedigree is clearly traced down from the above ancestor.

King of Great Thurlow, Suffolk.

Arms: "*Sable*, a lion rampant, à la queu fitchee, *argent*."

The first known ancestor of this family was Robert King, of Great Thurlow, Suffolk, originally a native of Kent, born 1600,

who matriculated as a pensioner of Christ College, Cambridge 5 July, 1617, graduated B. A. 1620/1, and proceeded M. A. in 1624. He was elected a fellow of Trinity Hall in 1625, and became proctor in the Consistorial Court of the Bishop of Ely on 16 June, 1628. He took the degree of LL. D. in 1636 and was admitted as an advocate of the Court of Arches at Doctor's Commons, London, on 10 October, 1641. He was official to the Archdeacon of Sudbury from 1645–1647, and was elected Master of Trinity Hall on 28 October, 1645 at the death of Dr. Thomas Eden. The House of Commons objected, however, and he was compelled to resign, but after the Restoration was re-elected Master on 20 August 1660. He was addressed as Chancellor of Ely* in 1660 and became vicar-general and principal official to Bishop Wren by Patent dated 10 December, 1662. He was appointed the head of a commission to visit the diocese on 30 June, 1662. Robert Kinge died 6 November, 1676, aged 76 years, and was buried on the South side of the Chapel of Trinity Hall, Cambridge, within the rails of the Communion Table, under a black marble slab with his Arms thereon "*Sable*, a lion rampant à la queu fitchee,' *argent*." His arms also appear on a window in the Master's Lodge of Trinity Hall College. He left a will in which he leaves his land at Great Thurlow to his three grandsons, Robert, Henry and Thomas King.

Robert Kinge purchased land at Great Thurlow, Co. Suffolk, and married Frances, daughter of Jasper (or Joseph) Wareyn of that place. She, as his widow, was buried at Great Thurlow on 18 April, 1684. He had issue, Robert and Anne, who died 32 June, 1660, aged 22.

Robert Kinge (Robert) of Great Thurlow, Co. Suffolk, married (1st) Lydia —— who died in November, 1673, and was buried at Great Thurlow. He then married (2d) Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Stuart, Esq., of Bolton Mills, and widow of Sir Robert Kemp., Kt., of Finchingfield, Co. Essex. Robert Kinge was Lord of the Manor of Tharston, Co. Norfolk and had issue by first wife, Robert, Gervaise, Frances, John and Henry; and by his second wife, Thomas and Letitia, who married in 1693 Sir Robert Kemp, 3d Bart., of Ubberton, Co. Suffolk.

Thomas Kinge, (Robert, Robert) of Great Thurlow, Co. Suffolk, married on 20 June, 1691, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Cordell, Bart, of Long Melfort, Co. Suffolk, and sister and co-heir of Sir John Cordell, Bart, of Milford Hall. He was killed in a duel by Sir Sewster Peyton, Bart, and buried on 10 November, 1699, at Great Thurlow. He left issue, sons, Thomas baptized 16 December, 1696, buried 16 March, 1700, and John, under age in 1715, buried 26 January, 1724.

There is apparently a curious error in Burke's Landed Gentry and in the Visitation of Lincolnshire, (Harleian Society, Vol. 51,)

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* Rev. John King (John, Phillip, William, William, John) of the Thame, Oxen and Worminghall, Bucks, "King" family is said to have been elected Bishop of Ely in 1638, but died before he was consecrated. No relationship is known to exist between him and Robert Kinge, Chancellor of Ely.

which sets forth that Thomas Kinge, (Robert, Richard, Edmund, John, William of Melfort, Co. Suffolk) of Ashby de la Launde, Co. Lincs., was M. P. for Harwich, Co. Essex in time of Charles II. and married to Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Cordell, Bart of Long Melfort, Co. Suffolk. The Pedigree of King of Great Thurlow, Co. Suffolk, as set forth in Davy's Suffolk MSS. (British Museum Add. MSS. 19138, f. 211) absolutely refutes this statement. Moreover the arms of King of Great Thurlow and King of Ashby de la Launde are entirely different. Furthermore, Thomas King, who was M. P. for Harwich, Co. Essex, in time of Charles II, had issue a son John King, born 1655 who matriculated at Christ Church 4 July, 1678, aged 18, B. A. 1682, M. A. 1685; B. D. and D. D. 1704. Rector of Shaldon, Hants 1725; Master of the Charterhouse; Archdeacon of Colchester 1722; and Canon of Bristol 1728, until his death on 4 August, 1737, aged 82 years. Obviously this last John King could not be a son of Thomas King of Great Thurlow, and it is exceedingly doubtful whether Thomas King, M. P. for Harwich was of the family of King of Ashby de la Launde at all. He is much more likely to have been of the family of King of Dovercourt and Harwich, Co. Essex, of which numerous members flourished from 1580–1680.

The question of placing this Thomas King, M. P., for Harwich, Essex, however, is debatable, but he clearly was not of the Great Thurlow "King" stock.

IV. King of Audley End, Essex.

Arms: "*Azure*, a bend double cotised *or*, charged with three escallops, *sable*, a mullet *argent* for difference." (See Plate IV, No. 5.)

This family is undoubtedly of close kin to King of London and Berkshire (see Plate III) and the first known ancestor was Robert Kinge of Audley End, near Suffolk Walden, Co. Essex, who was stated to have been once Abbot of Walden and after the suppression of the monastic houses married a nun, named Brueres, of good family, and had known issue, a son Robert and a daughter Judith who married (1st) Nathaniel Traherne, Esq., and (2d) John Elmer of Much Hadham, Co. Herts, Bishop of London 1521–1594. This John Elmer was succeeded as Bishop of London by Rev. Richard Vaughan, who seems to have been related to him, either by marriage or descent. The roll of the Abbots of Walden, however, contains no name of Robert King.

The son Robert Kinge (Robert) was of Tylston, Co. Cheshire, and bore the above arms. He was B. A. from Jesus College, Cambridge 1596–7, M. A. 1599, B. D. 1606 and D. D. 1615, incorporated 11 July, 1615. He was Rector of Whitford, Flints, 1608, and eventually Lecturer in the Cathedral Church of Chester. He was Parson of Tylston, Cheshire, and died there 27 April, 1631, being buried in the Church. He married Alice, daughter of Owen Stockton, of Cuddington, Cheshire, Gent, and had issue,

Robert Kinge, eldest son, B. A. in Brasenose College, Oxford, born 1609; Peter, Phillip, Thomas, John and Alice, an only daughter. His son Thomas Kinge (Robert, Robert) was of Aylesbury, Bucks, and an eminent physician, whose descendants can be traced to the 19th Century.

V. King of Orsett, Essex.

Arms: "*Azure*, a chevron *gules*, voided, *or*, charged with five escallops, *argent*." (See Plate IV, No. 6)

The founder of this family was Robert Kinge, Parson of Orsett, who died 3 November, 1584, aged 43. He was collated to the prebend of Newington in St. Paul's Cathedral 3 December, 1577, and was instituted to the Rectory of Orsett in 1577. Administration on his estate was granted 11 November, 1584 to his widow Dorothy, and a monument and mural brass to his memory is on the South Wall of Orsett Church. No descendants have as yet been disclosed, but a Robert Kinge, M. A., was vicar of Great Dunmow, Essex, 15 November, 1578, and resigned 19 February, 1591, being succeeded by Rev. Richard Vaughan, who later became Bishop of London. The curious association of Rev. Richard Vaughan, Bishop of London, with John Elmer, Bishop of London, Robert Kinge of Audley End and Robert Kinge of Orsett would indicate close kinship between these two Essex King families, but the arms are quite different. Unfortunately no ancestor or issue of Robert Kinge of Orsett has as yet been traced, but it is hoped that some of the Essex wills may throw light upon this armigerous family.

King of Mych Baddow, Essex.

Arms: "*Azure*, a bend engrailed *ermine* between two eagles displayed with two necks, *or*."

Crest: "A leopard's head erased, *or*, between two wings, *gules*." (See Plate III.)

Robert King of Mych Baddow, Essex, second son of John Kinge of Althorne, Essex, was granted the above arms and crest on 28 July, 1562 by Harvey, Clarencieux Herald.

As entered in the Heraldic Visitations of Essex (Harleian MSS. 1541, fo. 27b) they vary somewhat as follows:

Arms: "Quarterly, first and fourth *Azure* a bend *ermine* between three eagles displayed, *Or*, for King. Second and third, *sable*, on a chevron between three towers, *argent*, as many fleur de lis, *or*, for Berill."

The "three eagles" description is curious as in another part of the same Visitation the number of eagles displayed is distinctly stated to be "two." It is quite probable that the then Herald carelessly wrote the word "three" instead of "two," as all early drawings of the arms only show the two eagles. The eagles, however, sometimes are drawn with one, and sometimes with two necks, but no explanation of this variation has as yet been unearthed.

An extensive Pedigree of this prominent Essex King family has been compiled, after an almost exhaustive examination of all the early records, wills, etc., of Essex County.

The first ancestor of record appears to have been John Kynge of Dompnar in Burnham, Co. Essex, who died in 1490, leaving a will, and known issue, John, Richard, Thomas and Joan.

John Kynge (John) of Althorne, Essex, called "John Kynge by West," probably to distinguish him from another John Kynge, (either a brother or a near relative) was an extensive land owner and died in 1524 leaving a will and known issue, William, Robert "Second sonne," John, Emme and Elynor.

William Kynge (John, John) of Great Baddow, Essex, owned extensive lands in Burnham, Mayland and Althorne and died in 1570 leaving a will. He married Cicely ——, and had known issue, Thomas,* Abraham, John "youngest son," and Priscilla.

His son Thomas Kynge has been indentified as that Thomas Kynge of Purleigh, Essex, who died in 1588 leaving a will. By his wife Anne, he had known issue, Christopher, Edward, George and a daughter who married Thomas Hastler. The son, George Kynge (Thomas, William, John, John) of Woodham Mortimer, Essex, died in 1625, leaving a will. He married (1st) Margaret ——, who was buried 19 June, 1597, and (2nd) Joane ——, who at his death is said to have married William Hasteler. He had issue, recorded at Cold Norton, Maldon, Essex, by first wife, Anne, who married William Vassal, son of John Vassall; and Mary. He had issue by second wife; Judeth, Frances, George, Judeth, Christopher, Thomas, born 24 February, 1613 "second son," and Daniel.

Thomas Kinge (George, Thomas, William, John, John) was that Thomas Kinge who settled at Scituate, Mass., and has left a long line of descendants.

Robert Kynge (John, John) of Mych Baddowe, Co. Essex, to whom the above coat of arms was granted in 1562, married Lettice Berrell, daughter and co-heir of William Berrell of Wryttell, Co. Essex, Gent, (although one visitations calls him of Wepstead, Co. Suffolk) and had issue William, Benjamin, Richard, Edmund, Francis, Lettyce, Mary, Elizabeth, Dorothy, Katherine, Joane and Anne. He was in some way related to the Pynchin Family of Wryttyll, Essex. His descendants for four generations can be traced in pedigrees filed with the grant of arms, and appear to have owned large tracts of land at Althorne, Mych Baddow, Burnham, Purleigh, Southminster, and Chissell Magna, Essex.

The next record of the arms of King of Mych Baddowe was a grant in 1587 to a Peter King of London, goldsmith of "*azure*,

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* It is but fair to to state that there is some doubt as to the above traced ancestry of Thomas Kinge of Scituate, Mass., although no doubt at all as to his relationship in some way to the Kings of Mych Baddowe, Essex.

The author inclines strongly to the belief that the line of Thomas Kinge of Scituate, Mass., runs as follows, viz: George of Woodham Mortimer; Thomas of Purleigh; Edward of Althorne; John Kynge of Andros (or Andrews) in Althorne, who died 1543 leaving a will, and he will be glad to discuss the reasons why the first line of descent is doubtful and why the second is more logical, with any interested in this family.

a bend between two double headed eagles displayed, *or*." This Peter King is clearly related to the Kings of Mych Baddow, Essex, but as yet the link remains unknown.

VII. King of Blackhall, King's Prior, Herefordshire.

Arms: "Quarterly *argent* and *azure*, in the second and third quarters of a quarterfoil of the first, over all a bend barry of six of the second, charged with a quarterfoil also of the first and *gules*."

Crest: "On a wreath of the colours a Lion rampant *or*, gorged with a collar gemel *azure* and holding in the dexter forepaw a a trefoil, slipped *vert*." (See Plate VI, No. 1)

These arms are also given in the early Heraldic authorities as follows:—

Arms: "Quarterly, *argent* and *azure*, in the second and third quarters a mullet of six points, *or*, pierced of the field, over all a bend, barry of six of the second, charged with a cinquefoil of the third and *gules*."

Crest: "A lion, rampant, *or*, gorged with a collar gemel *azure* and holding in the dexter forepaw a trefoil, slipped *vert*."

This coat of arms is quite unique and resembles in no particular that of any other family of "King." It is possible that they belonged originally to some family into which the Kings of Blackhall married and eventually adopted the arms of the female side.

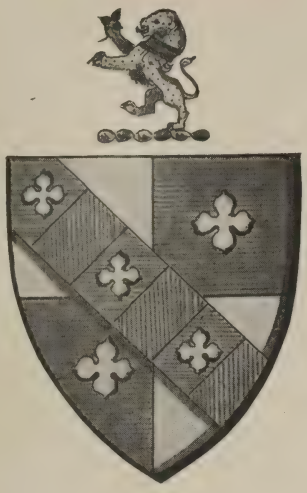
The earliest record of the family is Thomas King, who was a tenant of the Manor in 1477 and at a little later date an entry in the Manorial Court Rolls states that his widow did service at the death of her husband on her taking the tenantcy. He was the grandfather of John King (see below) and probably had issue, a son Thomas, for the church records show that Walter King, son of Thomas King was baptized there in 1539.

John King (Thomas?, Thomas) of Blackhall, died 11 March, 1588, leaving a wife Joan, and a son John, baptised 23 May, 1546 and also many other children whose names are as yet unknown.

John King (John, Thomas?, Thomas) was baptised 23 May, 1546, buried 27 June, 1620, purchased the Devereux Hall estate, part of the Manor of Blackhall, on 15 May, 1564 from Sir Walter Devereux, Viscount Hereford, K. G. It was later known as Upper House, or Devereux Hall, and was burnt down in the middle of the 18th Century. He married Margaret Vaughan, and settled his estate by deed, dated 12 January, 1616, on his fifth son Henry, and left an annuity to his eldest son, having only three sons living at this date, viz:—Richard, Henry and Clement. He had known issue, Richard, John, William, Samuel, Henry and Clement, baptized 15 October, 1587.

A pedigree of this family appears in the Visitation of Herefordshire in 1683 but only applies to descendants. The line has been thoroughly traced out to the present time by Sir Henry Seymour King, of London.

The King families of Staunton Park, Hereford, bear identical arms with King of Blackhall, but the Crest differs, being "A lion



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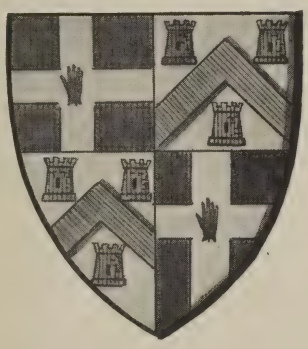

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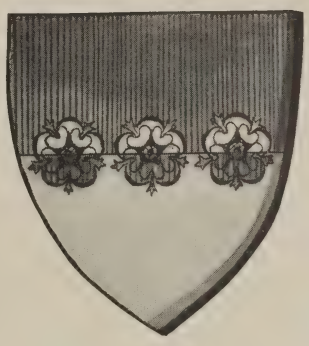

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rampant bendy, *or*, and *azure*, supporting two branches composed of two roses, *gules*, and three cinquefoils *vert* slipped and leaved *proper*."

The similarity of arms would make it appear that this family had a common ancestor with King of Blackhall but the families are in no way related.

The above arms were not granted this family until about 1836, when the last descendant bearing the King name died, and the line was continued by Rev. James Simpkinson, a descendant of one of the female branches, who assumed the name of King upon succeeding to the estate of his uncle, James King.

Sir Albert Woods, the then Garter King at Arms, made the grant under the belief that the family of King of Blackhall was extinct, and later regretted his error.

The first given ancestor of King of Staunton Court was Peter King, buried 31 July, 1710, at Staunton-on-Arrow, said to have been a person of humble birth, who made a fortune by ventures in the East Indies. He had known issue, a son William, whose full pedigree to the present time is recorded.

King of Weston Patrick, Hampshire.

Arms: "*Or* on a pale *azure*, three royal crowns of the first."

Crest: "An esquire's helmet *proper*, garnished *or*." (See Plate III.)

These arms are also unusual and it has been stated that they are identical with the ancient arms of Ireland. The use of a crown or coronet in King coat-armor appears to be confined to Oliver King, Bishop of Bath and Wells, Somersetshire, 1449–1503 (see Plate IV, No. 1); to Gregory King of Litchfield, Staffordshire, 1648–1712 (see Plate III), and to Richard King of Exeter, Devonshire (see Plate VII, No. 2). None of these arms have any great resemblance.

The Hampshire King family is supposed to have been founded by John Kinge of Weston Patrick, Southampton, yeoman, who died in 1622, leaving a will. He appears to have had issue, John, Elizabeth, who married —— Mathew; Margery, who married —— Gregory, and Joan, who married (1st) —— Reve, and (2d) James Wither.

John Kinge (John), called "the elder," of Weston Patrick, Southampton, Gent, died in 1641, leaving a will which mentions an "annuitie out of the Fishmonger's Hall, London," land and house in Alton, and six acres called Catses. He appears to have left issue, John, William, Joseph, Margery, who married —— Smith, and Joan.

Nothing further has been gathered concerning his descendants.

King of Litchfield, Staffordshire.

Arms: "*Gules*, a lion passant guardant, *argent* between three ducal coronets *or*."

Crest: "A winged dragon's head *gules* issuant from a ducal coronet, *or* and ducally crowned of the last." (See Plate III.)

The first traceable ancestor of this family was Gregory King of Litchfield, Staffordshire, an accomplished mathematican and surveyor, who married (1st) Elizabeth, daughter of J. Andrew of Sandwich, Kent, and had known issue, sons Gregory, John and Thomas.

Gregory King (Gregory), of London, was born 15 December, 1648, at Litchfield, Staffordshire, and died 29 August, 1712, aged 64 years, being buried in St. Benedict's Church, Paul's Wharf, London, where there is a monument or tablet to him on the east wall bearing the above arms.

He was a well known antiquarian and herald, was clerk to Sir William Dugdale, Norroy King of Arms, in December, 1662; in service of Lord Hatton from 1667–1669. In this last year he returned to Litchfield where he taught writing and arithmetic and painted heraldic designs, signs and coaches.

He was created First Rouge Dragon, Pursuivant on 24 June, 1677. He married (1st) 1 July, 1674, Anne, daughter of John Powel of Firley, parish of Forthampton, Co. Gloucester, and (2d) in February, 1701, Frances Grymes, sister of Richard Grymes of Southwark, bargeman, and of the noted Countess Dowager of Coventry. She is called on his monument Frances Graham and is also recorded elsewhere under the name of Grattan, but her real name was Grymes and her family was of obscure origin. The marriage of her sister to the Earl of Coventry created a huge scandal at the time, but was of great pecuniary and social benefit to her relatives.

Gregory King had three children by his second wife, all of whom died young. In his will, dated 30 November, 1709, and proved 16 September, 1712, by his widow Frances, he describes himself as of the Parish of St. Margaret's, Westminster, London, and mentions his brother John King, long since deceased; his brother Thomas King of the Excise Office, London; his honored brother-in-law Thomas Savage of Elmly Castle, Co. Worcester, Esq., and the Right Honorable Elizabeth, Countess Dowager of Coventry, wife of said Mr. Savage, and Mr. Graham, brother of his present wife. He also mentions marriage articles dated 18 February, 1701, and directs that a monumental inscription be erected over his remains and that the expenses of his funeral shall not exceed over £130. He further mentions "the poor of Stow Parish in the City of Litchfield where I was born." The will is signed "Greg^ie^ Kinge" and sealed with a seal bearing the imprint of "a lion passant guardant between three ducal crowns."

He appears to have been a man of remarkable versatility and an exceptionally learned Herald and genealogist, as well as a statistician of repute.*

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* An excellent article upon Gregory King, his life and acts, may be found in the *Genealogist*, Vol. VII, p. 114, and in the *English Dictionary of National Biography*.

KING OF BARRA, ABERDEENSHIRE, SCOTLAND.

ARMS: "*Azure*, on a fesse, *argent*, between a lion's head erased in chief and a mullet in base, *or*, three buckles erect *gules;* on a chief, *ermine* an imperial crown within a wreath of trefoils, both *proper*."

CREST: "A demi lion rampant." (See plate VI, No. 2.)

This ancient King family was early settled in Scotland, for an old charter by the Prior and Brothers of the Monastery of St. Andrew, dated 1242, mentions a Robert Kinge of Aberdeenshire, who had beneficed the monastry and was at that time dead, leaving issue.

Also in 1593, an Andrew Kinge was clerk and burgess of Aberdeen, and Chaplain of St. Ninian.

Its most distinguished member was Sir James King of Barra, son of David King of Warbater Hoy in Orkney, Scotland, who was Lieutenant-General in the service of Gustavus Adolphus, King of Sweden, and was created Lord of Eythin, by patent, dated York in 1642. He died at Stockholm in 1652 leaving a will but no issue.

A kinsman, Rev. William King, D. D., Archbishop of Dublin, was a son of James King of Barra, Parish of Burtie, Aberdeenshire, Scotland, and removed to Ireland during Charles I's reign. He became Bishop of Derry, 1690, Archbishop of Dublin, 1702, and died 7 May, 1729, aged 83 years, being interred in the graveyard of the parish of St. Mary Donnybrook, near Dublin, on 10 May, 1729.

The King family of Corrard, Fermanaugh and Dublin, Ireland, bear like arms as King of Barra, with the crest: "a dexter cubit arm, erect, holding a dagger in pale, all *proper*." This crest differs from the ancient crest of King of Barra: "A demi-lion rampant, *gules*," but the Irish family is a branch of King of Barra, Scotland, notwithstanding.

The family of King of Campsie, Stirling, Scotland, bear:

ARMS: "*Azure* on a fesse *argent*, between in chief a lion's head erased and in base two billets, *or*, three round buckles of the field."

CREST: "A red-breast, *proper*."

These arms have enough points of similarity with the arms of King of Barra to mislead the average genealogist with the theory that the two families were related. This is exceedingly doubtful, however, as the heraldic student will probably decide that mere similarity of name made the heralds, when they granted the arms to King of Campsie, embody in them the heraldic symbols of King of Barra.

The line was founded by John King of Campsie, Stirlingshire and Levernholme, Renfrewshire, Scotland, who was a merchant of Glasgow, born 16 January, 1789.

His descendants down to the present Baronet can be clearly traced.

King of Kirby Muxloe, Leicestershire.

Arms: "Quarterly, first and fourth, *sable* on a cross, *or*, a hand erect and erased of the first, for King; second and third, *or*, a chevron *vert*, between three castles *gules*, for Oneby." (See Plate VI, No. 3.)

These unusual "King" arms do not appear in any grant or General Armory, but are given in Nichol's *Leicestershire* and it is somewhat doubtful whether they belong to King at all.

A family of King, however, was early settled in Kirby, Leicestershire, for wills of John Kynge of Kirby, 1545, and his wife Agnes Kynge of Kirby, 1547, are on file, but neither appear to be related to Francis King. (See below.)

It is a curious fact that the arms on the second and third quarters of the shield, attributed to the family of "Oneby" should so closely resemble the arms on the second and third quarters of the shield of King of Mych Baddow (see above), attributed to Berrell of Wryttell, Essex, viz.: "*Sable*, on a chevron between three towers *argent*, as many fleur de lis, *Or*."

The theory has been advanced that this Kirby, Leicestershire, King family originally came from Essex, but all proof is lacking. Although the pedigree in Nichol's *Leicestershire*, starts with Benjamin Kinge of Kirby Muxloe, Co. Leicester, he is clearly a son of Francis King of Kirby, Co. Leicester and London, Gent, who married Mary Hall, and left a will dated 26 October, 1639, in which he mentions his wife Mary, eldest son Thomas King, clerk, and his children (names not given), younger son Benjamin, daughters Anne King and Mary Tookie; brother Thomas King and his five sons (names not given) and his daughters (names not given); grandchild Nicholas Cunliffe, son of my deceased daughter (Margaret); son-in-law Ellis Cunliffe,* and his now wife; my sister's daughter Dorothy Nayler; brother-in-law Robert Hall of Heather.

There is some indication that this Francis King may have been of kin to the King family of Beckenham and Bromly, Kent, in spite of the radical difference in the coat-armor, but such relationship has yet to be established.

Benjamin Kinge (Francis), of Kirby Muxloe, Co. Leicester, was buried there on 1 April, 1681. He married (2d) November, 1646, Elizabeth Oneby, baptized 12 October, 1623, at Hinckly, and died 20 May, 1670. He left issue, Elizabeth, Frances, John, Benjamin, Thomas, Mary and Nathaniel; and his descendants can be traced to 1810.

King of London, Middlesex.

Arms: "*Argent*, on a pile *azure*, three lozenges *argent*, a mullet for difference, for 'King' impaled with *argent*, on a pale *sable* five horseshoes, *or*, for 'Crisp.'" (See Plate VI, No. 5.)

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* Alice King, daughter of Edward King (Henry, John, Henry, Robert, Henry), of Bromley, Kent, married 9 June, 1691 (license), Ellis Cunliffe of Chiselhurst, Kent.

LeNeve in his *History of the Knights* gives these arms as "*Argent* on a pale, *Bl.* three lozenges *argent*, a mullet for difference." The word "pale" is erroneously written for "pile" and the word "*Bl*" may mean *blue*, as the pile was actually colored *azure* in the Herald's drawing.

The founder of this family was Sir Edmund King, Kt., of London, who was born in 1629, and died 29 May, 1709, aged eighty years. He lived at Hatton Garden, London, and was one of His Majesty's Physicians in Ordinary. He was a Fellow of the Royal Society in 1666 and knighted at Whitehall on 2 February, 1685. He was formerly a surgeon and made many interesting and important experiments in anatomy.

He married on 20 June, 1666, at St. Andrew's, Holborne, Rebecca, daughter of Sir Nicholas Crisp, Kt., of London, and relict of Sir John Polsted, Kt., of London. LeNeve in his *History of the Knights*, states that the above arms were "sett up over his door at his wife's decease," but no grant of such arms has been discovered and the coat-armor is quite unlike any other King arms.

King of Oxfordshire.

Arms: "Per fesse *gules* and *argent*, three roses countercharged." (See Plate VI, No. 4.)

The ancestral home of this family may have been Sedgehill, Co. Wilts, for these arms are found on a seal affixed to the will of John King of Sedgehill, Wilts, in 1743, and a King family was settled at Sedgehill as early as 1497. This family seems to have had extensive branches in Sherbourne, Motcombe and Shaston, Co. Dorset, where descendants flourished as late as 1800. In spite of a number of wills of these Kings the line has not as yet been traced.

The founder of the King family of Sedgehill, Wilts, was John Kinge who died in 1497 leaving a will in which he disposes of a large number of sheep, cows, oxen, "arietes" (sic.) and "mother sheep." He appears to have married Alice ——, and had issue, William, John the elder, John the younger,* Elizabeth, Marian, Amisia and Alice.

William Kynge (John) married Alice —— , and died in 1538, leaving a will, in which he disposes of a number of sheep, etc. He appears to have had issue, John, "eldest sonne;" John, younger sonne;" William; Richard, "youngest sonne;" Ellen and Margaret.

There is then a hiatus until 1596 when a Thomas Kynge of Sedgehill, Wilts, yeoman, undoubtedly a descendant of the above Kings, died, and left a will, in which he disposes of a lease of ground at Motcombe, Dorset, called Kyngesetles, and a lease of Stocklane. He married Dorothy —— , and had issue, Jasper, John, William, Edward, Ellen, Alice and Dorothy.

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* There are many instances of the naming of more than one child by the same name, sometimes thus distinguishing between the children of different wives.

Jasper Kynge (Thomas) married and had issue, Thomas and Joan, who are mentioned in a will of Nicholas Goddard of Sedgehill, Wilts, dated 28 November, 1618, and proved 4 March, 1619.

The association of the name of Goddard with that of King of Sedgehill, Wilts, is significant in view of the alliance of Richard King of Stourton and Upham, Wilts, with the Goddard family. As yet, however, the pedigree of the Kings of Sedgehill, Wilts, is fragmentary and further searching may add much information concerning this interesting family.

King of London and St. Albans, Hertfordshire

Arms: "*Azure*, a chevron *sable*, in chief a lion rampant, *or*, orientally crowned, in base an apple tree, fructed *proper*."

Crest: "A dove *argent*, beaked and membered *gules* holding in the mouth an olive branch *vert* and ensigned with a fleur de lis *or*." (See Plate VI, No. 6.)

The founder of this family was Jean LeRoy, a French Huguenot, born at Rouen, Normandy in 1548. He fled from France after the massacre of St. Bartholomew in 1572 and sought refuge in London where he married Mary Belier, daughter of James Belier, an elder of the French Church in London.

He adopted the English name King soon after he reached London and died 11 October, 1615 in Lime Street, London, being buried at St. Andrew's Undershaft on 14 October, 1615. He left issue, an only son, John, born 7 August, 1504, who became a physician, and practised at St. Albans, Hertfordshire, and later at Aldersgate St., London.

John King (Jean), married (1st) in 1632, Elizabeth, daughter of John Hale, of London, merchant. She died 15 January, 1636, and he then married (2d) on 22 February, 1637, Anne, daughter of Barne Roberts of Willesden, Middlesex, and sister of Sir William Roberts, Bart; she died 6 February, 1661.

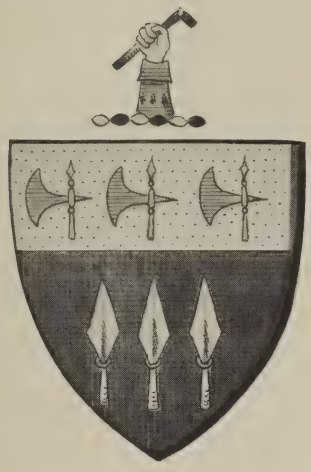
Dr. King was an active partisan of the Cromwellian party, and died 19 March, 1688. He took a strong interest in the genealogy of his family and compiled a manuscript record in 1677 which is still in existence. He also attempted to have the above arms, which he claimed were the LeRoy arms borne by his French ancestors, allowed and registered by the Herald's College, but the Heralds refused to accept them as authentic.

Dr. King had issue by his first wife: John, Richard, Mary and Elizabeth; and by his second wife: John, Anne, Samuel, a daughter, who died young, Anne, James, Asahel and Bethiah.

His son Sir John King (John, Jean), born 5 February, 1638, at St. Albans, Herts, became an eminent Counsellor at Law of the Inner Temple, and was knighted 10 December, 1674, bearing the arms:—

"*Azure*, a chevron *sable* in chief a lion rampant *gules;* in base an apple tree fructed *proper*."

Quite a full pedigree exists of this family down to 1761, when the male issue is supposed to have become extinct.



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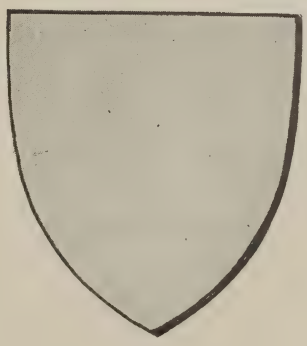

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PLATE VII

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The following are the only two families of King, whose ancestors rose to the Peerage:

KING OF BOYLE, CO. ROSCOMMON, IRELAND.
(Earls of Kingston.)

ARMS: *Gules*, two lions rampant combatant, supporting a dexter hand couped at the wrist and erect, *argent*."

CREST: "Out of a five leaved ducal coronet, *or*, a dexter hand erect, the the third and fourth fingers turning down, *proper*."

SUPPORTERS: "Two lions per fesse, *argent* and *gules*, ducally crowned of the last." (See Plate III.)

The founder of this family was Sir John King, Kt., said to have been of Feathercocke Hall, near North Allerton, Yorkshire, but there are no traces of him in the records there, although he if said to have owned large estates in Yorkshire. He obtained from Queen Elizabeth for military services rendered, a lease of the Abbey of Boyle, Roscommon, Ireland, and from King James I numerous valuable territorial grants and several of the highest and most lucrative political offices. He was knighted at Whitehall on 7 July, 1609, and married Catherine Drury, daughter of Robert Drury, Esq., and grand niece of the Lord Deputy, Sir William Drury. He died 4 January, 1636, leaving issue, Robert, John, Edward, Henry, Adam, Mary, Margurite and Dorothy; and his lineal descendants hold the present Earldom of Kingston. The tradition of a Yorkshire origin for this house is singular, particularly as the arms are so different from the other families of King in Yorkshire (noted above) and from any of the other King armigers. (Baron King and Earl of Lovelace.)

KING, OF OCKHAM, SURREY.

(Barons King and Earls of Lovelace.)

ARMS: "*Sable*, three spear heads erect, *argent*, embrued *gules;* on a chief, *or*, as many pole axes, *azure*, their edges to the sinester for King."

CREST: "A dexter arm erect, couped at the elbow, vested *azure*, thereon three *ermine* spots in fesse, *or*, cuffed *azure*, hand *proper*, grasping a truncheon *sable*, the top broken off, the bottom couped of the third." (See Plate VII, No. 1.)

The founder of this family is said to have been Jerome King of Exeter, Devon, grocer and salter, whose ancestors are stated to have lived at Glastonbury, Co. Somerset.

He married Anne Locke, daughter of Peter Locke of Sutton Wick, Chew Magna, Somerset, who was uncle to John Locke, the celebrated philosopher. He had known issue, Peter King, born 1670 at Exeter, died 22 July, 1734, at Ockham, Surrey.

Peter King (Jerome) was apprenticed to a grocer at Exeter, later studied law at Leyden, and became a counsellor at law of the Temple and Recorder of London. He was knighted at Windsor Castle 12 September, 1708, and later made a peer as Baron King. He published a book of divinity, was a fellow of the Royal

Society, and Lord Chancellor of England in 1728. He married September, 1704, Ann Seys, daughter of Richard Seys of Beverton Court, Glamorganshire, Wales. She, as his widow, died 1st February, 1767, and was buried at Ockham, Surrey. His descendant is the present Earl of Lovelace. It is a curious fact that Anne Kinge, daughter of William Kinge (John, John) of Iver, Bucks, later of Harmondsworth, Middlesex, married Richard Lovelace (Francis, Sir Richard, Richard of Hurley, Bucks) and had issue, a son John, who became 4th Baron Lovelace. The line of the Barons Lovelace later became extinct. There has as yet been no connection discovered between King of Exeter, Devon, and King of Iver, Bucks, but the names of Lovelace and King in each family are odd coincidences.

King Family of Exeter, Devonshire.

Arms: "*Sable*, two flanches *ermine*, a lion rampant between three ducal coronets, *or*." (See Plate VII, No. 2.)

Crest: "A lion's head and neck *sable* charged with three ducal coronets *or* issuing out of a mural crown, *argent*."

The above arms were granted to Richard King of Exeter, Devonshire in 1691–2, but nothing has as yet been found concerning his ancestors or descendants.

King of Ware, Hertfordshire.

Arms: "*Azure*, a chevron between three lions rampant *or*, two in chief, one in pale."

Crest: "A lion rampant holding a quill pen in its forepaws." (See Plate VII, No. 3.)

These curious arms appear in the Visitations of Hertfordshire and Herefordshire, contained in the Harleian MSS. Collections in the British Museum Library, and are indexed under the name "King."

It is exceedingly doubtful whether they belong to the King family at all, for the Visitation of Hertfordshire, Harleian Collection 1545, folio 88, gives "Clarke of Hereford."

Arms: "*Argent* a chevron between three lions rampant, *vert*," and "*Gules*, two lions passant guardant, *or*, within a bordure *azure*, a crescent for difference."

Crest: "A lion rampant, *vert*, holding a pen *argent*."

The latter arms probably belong to a family, name unknown, into which this Clarke family married.

The then Heralds furthermore made a marginal note on the MSS. Pedigree, reading "Arms doubtful." The quill pen in the lion's paw in the crest undoubtedly refers to the office of Register of the City of Hereford held by John Clarke.

The pedigree given, however, commences with John King, of Ware, Co. Herts, cooper, who died before 1601. He married Christian, daughter of Thomas Croft, second son of Sir Edward Croft and had known issue, a daughter, Anne King, who married John Clarke, Recorder of the City of Hereford; and a daughter,

Christian King, who married 30 August, 1601 (by license), Robert Simondes, Cordwainer, at Amwell, Co. Herts.

No further trace of this King family has been found.

The following King Coats of Arms, the origins of which have not been traced, are given for the sake of completeness, viz:

KING OF BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.

ARMS: "*Gules*, within a border engrailed three lions passant, *or*." (See Plate III.)

These arms were sometime quartered with the arms of King of Devonshire and Towcester, Northamptonshire by Robert King, First Bishop of Oxford, and then called "Plantagenet or King Ancient," on the strength of the tradition of descent from the "Ancient Saxon Kings of Devonshire." Such claim of royal descent for this particular King Family is absolutely erroneous. In a Roll of Arms of Northamptonshire, however, is given, "King of Newcastle. ARMS: *Ermine*, within a border engrailed *sable*, three lioncels rampant, *gules*." These arms are practically the same, except in color, as King of Buckingham, and this Newcastle King Family was probably of close kin to the Buchinghamshire Kings. Burke also gives a King Arms "*Argent*, on a chevron *gules* three lions passant guardant, *or*," which are somewhat like the above two coats.

KING OF LINCOLNSHIRE.

ARMS: "*Gules*, a chevron between ten crosses crosslet fleury, *or*."

KING.—ARMS: "A fesse dancette between three eagles displayed, *sable*."

KING (MISCELLANEOUS).

KING.—ARMS: "*Sable*, a chevron, *ermine*, between three fishes, *argent*."

CREST: "A demi-griffin, *or*."

KING (London).—ARMS: "*Sable*, a chevron *gules*, between three salmons, *argent*.

KING.—ARMS: "*Azure*, on a bend *argent*, three fermails of the field.—(Another *gules*)."

KING.—ARMS: "*Sable*, a lion rampant, *or*, crowned *argent*, between three crescents of the second."

KING (of Dublin Ireland).—ARMS: "*Azure*, three lozenges, *or*."

This last coat-armor is given in Harleian MSS., 1441, and would appear to be of ancient origin.

A George King of Clontarf, who was High Sheriff of Co. Dublin, in 1606, and said to be of the same family as a George King, whose manor on Island of Clontarf, was forfeited by Cromwell in 1641, bore: ARMS: "*Azure*, three fusils, *or*."

The above arms appear to exhaust the heraldry of King, and the curious interuse of the same symbols by families of like

name, but in no way related, is of little significance in tracing kinship. Among all these families only four American families of King can clearly trace their ancestry to England, viz.: King of Scituate, Mass., King of Lynn, Mass., King of Palmer, Mass., and King of Suffield, Conn., and only two American families can maintain their right to a coat-of-arms, viz.: King of Suffield, Conn., and King of Scituate, Mass.

CORRECTIONS:

Vol. XLI, p. 265, October, 1910, issue of the RECORD, line 8. The correct blazon of the arms of Robert King of Co. Somerset is: "*Sable*, on a chevron *argent*, three escallops of the first, in base a cross pattée fitchée of the second. On a chief *or*, a demi rouge dragon between two battle axes of the second." (See Plate III.)

Vol. XLI, p. 273, October, 1910, issue of the RECORD, line 20. The King family of Brunswick, Georgia, U. S. A., is descended from Thomas King of Hartford, Conn., 1688, and not from John King of Northampton, Mass. No document or record shows that Thomas King of Hartford, 1688, ever used, or had the right to use, a coat-of-arms.

NOTE:—The author has a large collection of English King MSS., wills, transcripts of church and parish records, etc., as well as pedigrees of King of East Cleydon, of Bottle Cleydon, of Steeple Cleydon, of Iver, of Chesham, of Wraysbury, and of Worminghall, Bucks; King of Tyleston, Cheshire (from Essex); King of Launceston and of Manaken, Cornwell; King of Hawkchurch, of Shaftsbury, of Sherbourne and of West Hall, Dorset; King of Modbury and of Ugborough, Devon; King of Althorne, of Audley End, of Chissell Magna, of Dovercourt, of Harwich, of Mych Baddow, of Moreton, of Orsett, of Purleigh, and of Southminster, Essex; King of Weston Patrick, Hauts; King of Blackhall and of Staunton, Herefordshire; King of Abbot's Langley, of Aldenham, of Barley, of Flamstead, of King's Langley, of Mesenden, of Sawbridgeworth, of Stondon, of Hoddesden, of Ware and of Watford, Herts; King of Boyle, of Charlestown, and of Corrard, Ireland; King of Beckenham, of Bromley, of Cobham, of Cranbrook, of Edenbridge, and of Hever, Kent; King of Ashby de la Launde, Lincs; King of Kirby, Leics; King of London (5 pedigrees); King of Newton Flotman (from Suffolk) and of Weasenham, Norfolk; King of Thame and of Oxford, Oxon; King of Barra and of Campsie, Scotland; King of Chilton Poldan, Somerset; King of Litchfield, Staffs; King of Bury St. Edmunds, of Ipswich, of Witnesham, of Edwinston, of Great Thurlow, and of Stansfield, Suffolk; King of Lympfield, of Ockham, and of Streatham, Surrey; King of Coventry, and of Umberslade, Wark; King of Pen, Semleigh, Monkton Farleigh, Sedgehill, and Stourton, Wilts.

King of Antigua, W. I.; King of Barbadoes, W. I., and King of Jamaica, W. I.

In addition to the above collection of English pedigrees of King families, the author has the following pedigrees of American King families, viz.: King of Charlestown, of Exeter, of Harwich, of Lynn, of Marlboro, of Northampton, of Palmer, of Salem, of Scituate, of Sudbury, of Taunton, of Watertown, of Wilbraham, and of Weymouth, Mass.; King of Providence, of Warwick, of West Greenwich, and of Scituate, R. I.; King of Ridgefield, of Suffield, of Sharon, of Hartford, and of Windsor(2), Conn.; King of Kittery, and of Scarboro, Maine; King of Jamaica, of New Lebanon, and of Ulster County, N. Y.; King of Middletown, N. J.; King of Brunswick, of Darien, and of Roswell, Ga.; King of Marion, Ala.; King of Fluvanna County, and of Nansemond County, Va.

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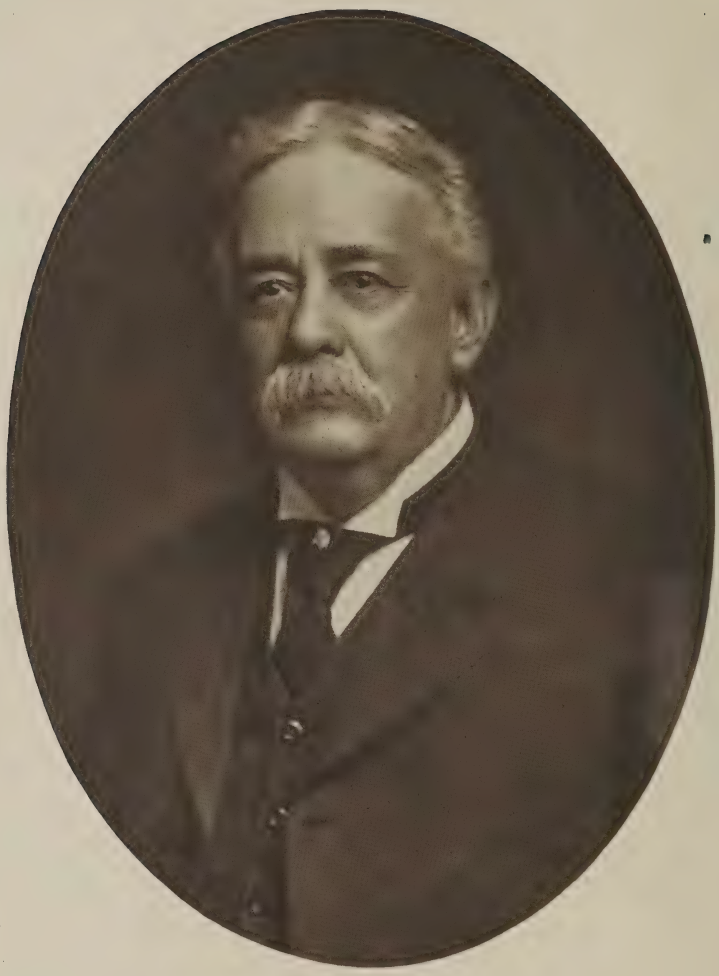

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William Gilbert Davies was born in New York City, March 21, 1842, descended from a Welsh family, some members of which settled at Kingston, Herefordshire, England, whence John Davies, the ancestor in this country, moved to Litchfield, Conn., in 1735. Mr. Davies was graduated from Trinity College, Hartford, Conn., in 1860, being class poet, and delivering the commencement oration. He then went abroad and entered the University of Leipsic, After a year's study he returned, entering the law office of Slosson, Hutchins & Platt. In 1863 he was admitted to the Bar, and after a partnership of a few years duration with Henry H. Anderson, became a member of the Law Department of the Mutual Life Insurance Company. He was made head of the department in 1885, resigning about 1895 in order to resume active practice of his profession.

In the Gettysburg campaign of the Civil War Mr. Davies served with the Twenty-second Regiment, N. G., S. N. Y. In 1870 he married Lucie C. Rice, daughter of the late Governor Alexander H. Rice of Massachusetts. Their only daughter Augusta McKim Davies, is now Mrs. Louis Mansfield Ogden.

Mr. Davies was a member of the State and City Bar Associations; a special lecturer on the Law of Life Insurance in the Law School of the University of the City of New York; an active member of the New York and Virginia Historical Societies; of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society, and a corresponding member of the New England Historic-Genealogical Society. He belonged to the Sons of the Revolution, the Society of Colonial Wars, the Order of the Acorn, St. George's Society, St. David's Society, The Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, the New England Society, the Grand Army of the Republic, and the Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Association. His college gave him the honorary degree of LL.D. in 1906. He was trustee of the St. Bartholomew Loan Association, the New York Protestant Episcopal City Mission, and the Society of St. Johnland. Mr. Davies belonged to the following clubs: Union, Manhattan, St. Nicholas, Grolier, University, Century, Lawyers, National Arts, Liederkrantz, National Democratic, and Tuxedo.

Mr. Davies died at his country home in Tuxedo Park on July 26, 1910. His father was the late Henry E. Davies, Justice of the Supreme Court and Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals of New York State. His mother was Rebecca Waldo Tappan, daughter of John Tappan, of Boston, Mass.

THE BAPTISMAL RECORD OF THE SOCIETIES OF WHITEHAVEN AND FAIRHAVEN, NOW THE UNITED CHURCH (CONGREGATIONAL), NEW HAVEN, CONN.

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The European settlers who established the Colony of New Haven, were English Puritans, their leader, John Davenport, had been vicar of St. Stephens Church, London, England, from which place the company sailed, and arrived at Boston in June, 1637. In August following an exploring party found the place of their future settlement and left a part of their number to prepare the place for their occupancy, which began in April, 1638, when the company, reinforced by Peter Prudden's people from the west of England, arrived, and on the first Sabbath held public worship twice in the open air. Thus was inaugurated a church, which has continued until the present as the First Church of Christ in New Haven, Conn., and its daughter, whose records are published herewith, the first to separate and become the second church in the Colony, existing today, side by side, with its parent in harmonious fellowship.

A disaffection arose shortly after the "Great Awakening," 1741, following the visit of Rev. George Whitefield; it resulted in a separation and the organization, May 7, 1742, of the White Haven Society. In 1744, this society began to build at the corner of Church and Elm Streets, with entrance on the latter, but the edifice had to be increased in size in a short time, when the entrance was made on Church Street. On account of its color, this was called "The Blue Meeting House."

The first pastor, Rev. John Curtiss, served for two years and was succeeded by the Rev. Samuel Bird, called in June, 1751. During his ministry, there was a secession of some who were dissatisfied at his retirement, which was in 1767, and the Rev. Jonathan Edwards, the brilliant son of the great theologian, became pastor, Jan. 5, 1769. Those who retired established a new church called the Fair Haven Church, which erected their building on the Green around which the city had been built. Dr. Edwards remained until 1795, when he was dismissed.

The Church of Christ in the Fair Haven Society, organized June 20, 1771, called the Rev. Allyn Mather as its first pastor, Feb. 3, 1773, he died in Nov., 1784, and was succeeded by Rev. Samuel Austin, Nov. 9, 1787, who had been a pupil of Dr. Edwards, who preached his ordination sermon.

On Nov. 27, 1796, the two parts of the church reunited, and formed what was called The Church of Christ, in the United Societies of White Haven and Fair Haven; services were held

alternately in each edifice. Dr. Edwards had been called to the Presidency of the Union College in 1794, after a pastorate of twenty-five years. He died at Schenectady, N. Y., Aug. 1, 1801, aged 56. Dr. Austin, soon after leaving in 1790, became President of the University of Vermont. He was graduated at Yale in 1783, received his D. D. from Williams College, and died in 1830.

Rev. John Gemmil became pastor in Nov., 1798. In 1815, by Act of the Legislature, the name was changed to the United Society.

The church is generally known as the North Church on the Green, occupying the site of the Fair Haven Church, near, and to the north of the original and present site of the Society of the First Church, from which it separated.

This church has continued influential and prosperous to the present time, and while it seems unnecessary to continue its history in this introduction, brief notices of its early pastors may be appropriate.

I have not been able to identify the family and antecedents of Rev. John Curtiss, and it is doubtful if he was ever installed as the pastor of this church, though he was ordained to the ministry and acted here as stated above.

Rev. Samuel Bird, was the son of Benjamin and Johannah (Harris) Bird, who had five children born in Boston, and ten in Dorchester, Mass. Samuel was the eighth, born March 27, 1724. He was a student at Harvard College, and would have been graduated in 1744, but for a criticism of the college authorities, dictated by religious enthusiasm. He was what was termed a New Light. His first call was to Dunstable, Mass., and on his dismission, was called to New Hampshire, after which he was called to New Haven, where he was installed Oct. 16, 1751. He married June 2, 1747, Mabel Jenner, daughter of Thomas and Joanna (Everton) Jenner. They had eleven children. He was chaplain in the Colonial forces in the French War, 1755. He was a popular and talented man of distinguished appearance. The time and place of his death and burial seems to be unknown.

Dr. Jonathan Edwards, D. D., second, was born May 26, 1745, at Northampton, Mass. When six, his father removed to Stockbridge, and in 1758 his father was called to the College of New Jersey as president, Feb. 16, 1758, and they removed to Princeton, where the son was graduated in 1765. He was made tutor there in 1767, whence he was called Jan. 5, 1769, to New Haven. He married Mary, dau. of the Hon. Eleazur Porter of Hadley, Mass., who was drowned in June, 1782; his four children were by this marriage. He married second, Mercy, daughter of Hezekiah Sabin of New Haven, Conn. After his long pastorate in this church, he was called in 1796 to Colebrook, Conn., and in 1799 he was elected to the presidency of Union College, Schenectady, N. Y., where he died Aug. 1, 1801.

Rev. Allyn Mather, son of Nathaniel (1716–1770), and Elizabeth (Allyn) Mather, was born March 21, 1747, at Windsor, Conn., married Thankful Barnard, by whom he had four children. His father was Dr. Samuel Mather, M. D., of Windsor, born 1677,

died 1746. His father Rev. Samuel of Windsor, born at Dorchester, Mass., July 5, 1650, Harvard, 1671, married Hannah, daughter of Gov. Robert Treat. He had preached in Deerfield and Hatfield, Mass., Milford and Branford, Conn., before he went to Windsor in 1682. He was one of the founders of Yale College, 1700. The father of Rev. Samuel was Timothy Mather (1628–1684), who was brother of Rev. Samuel Mather, Rev. Nathaniel Mather, Rev. Ebenezer Mather and Rev. Increase Mather, the father of Dr. Cotton Mather.

This church seems to have been connected, in its pastors, with the great theological preachers and disputants whose works had much to do with the character and religious history of the Colonies of Massachusetts Bay and New Haven.

Rev. Samuel Austin, D. D., was son of Samuel and Lydia Austin, born at New Haven, Oct. 7, 1760. At sixteen he was in the service of the Colony at New York, Aug. 30 to Sept. 27, 1776, in Lieutenant Charles Smith's Company, Lieutenant Colonel John Mead's Ninth Regiment of Militia. It has been stated that he took his father's place, who had been drafted; at twenty he studied law, but became anxious for a better groundwork in his learning, and was admitted to Yale College, where he graduated in two years in 1783. He then studied theology under Dr. Jonathan Edwards at New Haven, was licensed in 1784, called to this church in 1786 and installed the year after. He was called to Worcester, Mass., in 1790, and in 1815 was chosen President of Vermont University, where he remained about six years. He had other charges afterwards. He received a D. D. from Williams in 1807. He died Dec. 4, 1830, aged seventy. He had no children.

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1749

June 4. Ruben, son of Benjamin Wilmot.
Margaret, dau. of Samuel Cooke.
Abraham, son of Stephen Austin.
Jacob and Mary, children of Abraham Thompson.
Ezra, son of Joseph Mix Jr.
Hannah and Theophilus, children of Theophilus Munson.
Esther and Phebe, children of Enos Tuttle.
Archippus, son of Timothy Alling.
Patience, dau. of Joseph Bradley.
Sarah and John, children of David Punderson.
Joel and Eunice, children of John Thompson.
Eli, son of Jedidiah Cook.
Hannah, dau. of Yale Bishop.
John and James, children of James Lines.
Samuel, son of Peter, a negro.

June 11. Hannah, dau. of Hezekiah Beecher.
Elisha and Sarah, children of Samuel Horton.
Sarah and Mary, children of Amos Peck.
Timothy and Caleb, sons of Caleb Andrus.

1749

June 11. Rebecca, dau. of John Mansfield.
Phillis and Jane, children of James, a negro.

1752

Jan. 19. Lydia, dau. of David and Parnell Humphreville.
Sibyl, dau. of Yale and Sibyl Bishop.
Jan. 26. Rebecca and Levi, children of Stephen and Sarah Hitchcock.
Feb. 2. Nathaniel, son of John and Desire Woodin.
Feb. 9. Rachel, dau. of Griffen and Mabel Bradley.
March 1. Sarah, dau. of Thomas and Sarah Allcock.
May 31. Elias, son of Ebenezer and —— Townsend.
June 28. Rebecca, dau. of Samuel and Abigail Munson.
July 12. Esther, dau. of Theophilus and Abigail Munson.
John, son of John and Lydia Gorham.
July 19. Lois, dau. of David and Rhoda Alling.
Oct. 15. Richard Rosewell, son of John and Lydia Eliott.
Moses, Dorcas, Aaron, Lemuel, Esther and Dorothy, children of Aaron and Dorcas Potter.
Dec. 3. Phillis and Jus, children of Cuffe, serv't to Stephen Munson.
Dec. 17. Samuel, son of Samuel and Sarah Bird.
Daniel, son of David and Thankfull Punderson.

1753

Jan. 14. Hezekiah, son of Nathaniel and Sarah Beecher.
Jan. 28. Charles, son of Jehiel and Hannah Tuttle.
Feb. 11. Hannah, dau. of Caleb and Hannah Alling.
April 1. Elizabeth, dau. of Joseph and Elizabeth Ruggles.
April 15. Aner, son of Phineas and Martha Bradley.
Jonathan, son of Jonathan and Mary Mix.
May 6. Ezra, son of Joseph and Sarah Mix.
May 13. Moses, son of Amos and Mary Peck.
July 1. Amos, son of Samuel and Mary Beecher.
July 8. Benjamin, son of Benjamin and Rachel Woodin.
July 15. Sarah, dau. of Stephen and Sarah Hitchcock.
Aug. 5. Phebe, dau. of Edward and Hannah Churchil.
Aug. 12. William, son of Timothy and Susanna Bontecou.
Nov. 15. Giles Daniel, son of Samuel and Esther Mansfield.
Nov. 25. Sarah Turner, for herself (parents dec'd)
Lucresia, dau. of David and Parnell Humphreville.
Ezra, son of James and Thankfull Lines.
Dec. 2. Ebenezer, son of John and Mary Storer.
Anna, dau. of Thomas and Sarah Allcock.
John Alsop, son of Hesekiah and Thankfull Talmadge.
Dec. 16. James, son of Theophilus and Abigail Munson.
Rebecca, dau. of David and Mary Austin.
Dec. 23. John Nichols, son of John and Ruth Hatch.

1754

Feb. 24. Sibyl, dau. of Griffen and Mabel Bradley.
March 3. Sibyl, dau. of Charles and Sibyl Sabin.

1754

March 17. Martha, dau. of Timothy and Martha Tallmadge.
April 7. Moses Mansfield, son of Samuel and Susannah Cook.
Samuel, son of Ebenezer and Lydia Hull.
Rebecca, dau. of Nehemiah and Rebecca Kebey.
May 26. Damaris, dau. of Thomas and Mary Punderson.
June 2. Samuel, son of John and Lydia Gorham.
Sept. 8. Nathaniel, son of Stephen and Sarah Ford.
Nov. 3. Hannah, dau. of Joseph and Sarah Mix.
Nov. 24. William Joseph, son of David and Thankfull Punderson.
Dec. 15. Phineas, son of David and Rhoda Alling.

1755

Jan. 12. Elijah, son of Jonathon and Mary Mix.
March 16. Eveline, dau. of James and Anne Pierpoint.
March 16. Hezekiah, son of Ebenezer and Rebecca Townsend.
April 13. Abigail, dau. of Aaron and Dorcas Potter.
May 4. Robert, son of Joseph and Sarah Tallmadge.
May 18. Mary, dau. of John and Elizabeth Thompson
Esther, dau. of Benjamin and Sarah Humphreville.
May 25. Ashbel, son of Samuel and Mary Beecher.
June 15. Elijah, son of Amos and Mary Peck.
June 22. Rebecca, dau. of Benjamin and Rachel Woodin.
July 13. Levi, son of Stephen and Sarah Hitchcock.
Aug. 10. Elizabeth, dau. of Samuel and Esther Mansfield.
Sept. 7. Hannah, dau. of John and Lydia Eliott.
Sept. 21. Mary, dau. of Samuel and Sarah Horton.
Oct. 12. Sarah, daughter of Samuel and Abigail Munson.
Oct. 19. Asenath, daughter of Phineas and Martha Bradley.
Sarah, dau. of Edward and Hannah Churchil.
Oct. 26. Mary, dau. of David and Mary Austin.
Nov. 9. Timothy, son of Jeremiah and Rebecca Townsend.
Nov. 16. David, son of David and Parnell Humphreville.

1756

Feb. 22. Elijah, son of Rachel Sperry.
May 9. Lydia, dau. of Thomas and Sarah Alcock.
May 30. Sarah, dau. of John and Mary Storer.
June 6. James, son of James and Mary Sperry.
June 13. John Nichols, son of John and Ruth Hatch.
June 27. Anna, dau. of Ebenezer and Rebecca Townsend.
July 7. Jared, son of Griffen and Mabel Bradley.
Sept. 5. Miles, son of John and Lydia Gorham.
Sept. 19. Rebecca, dau. of Ebenezer and Lydia Hull.
Oct. 10. Samuel, son of Thomas and Mary Punderson.
Thomas, son of Nathan and Hannah Beers.
Esther, dau. of Theophilus and Abigail Munson.
James, son of Timothy and Martha Tallmadge.
Oct. 31. Icabod, son of Timothy and Mary Alling.
Nov. 7. Thankfull, dau. of John and Mary Dorchester.
Nov. 18. Sarah, dau. of Yale and Sarah Bishop.
Dec. 12. Sarah, daughter of James and Hannah Searle.

1757

Jan. 2. Mabel Sarah, dau. of Samuel and Sarah Bird.
Feb. 6. Caleb Joyner, son of Caleb and Mary Dorchester.
March 13. Achsah, daughter of Caleb and Mary Andrus.
March 20. Lydia, dau. of Ebenezer and Mary Humerstone.
May 29. Moses Samuel, son of Samuel and Esther Mansfield.
Eldad, son of Jonathan and Patience Mix.
June 5. Jonathan, son of Samuel and Mary Beecher.
June 19. Robert, son of James and Ann Pierpoint.
Mehitabel, dau. of Samuel and Sarah Horton.
Sarah, dau. of David and Mary Austin.
July 3. Pamelia, dau. of David and Parnell Humphreville.
July 24. Hannah, dau. of Amos and Mary Peck.
July 31. Nathaniel, son of John and Mary Storer.
William, son of John and Lydia Eliot.
Aug. 7. Louisa, dau. of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
Aug. 21. Mary, dau. of Joseph and Elizabeth Ruggles.
Aug. 28. Nathan, son of Nathaniel and Sarah Beecher.
Sept. 4. Ahimaaz, son of David and Thankfull Punderson.
Sept. 18. Esther, dau. of Joseph and Sarah Mix.
Gabriel, son of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
Dec. 25. Sarah, dau. of Daniel and Sarah Lyman.

1758

Jan. 8. Hulda, dau. of Phineas and Martha Bradley.
April 9. Thaddeus, son of Lemuel and Mary Hotchkiss.
April 23. David, son of Thomas and Sarah Alcock.
Joseph, son of Timothy and Sarah Gorham.
May 7. Silas and Eleazer, sons of Josua and Mary Hotchkiss.
Israel and Ruth, children of Ezra and Susanna Dodge.
June 2. Daniel, son of Daniel and Parnell Alling.
July 23. Elisha, son of Yale and Sarah Bishop.
Aug. 13. Mabel, dau. of Griffen and Mabel Bradley.
Aug. 30. Josiah, son of John and Ruth Hatch.
Oct. 8. Eunice, Lydia, Mary and Sarah, children of Samuel and Mary Alling.
Oct. 15. Sarah and Hulda, children of Timothy and Sarah Munson.
Nov. 12. Abigail, dau. of Ebenezer and Rebecca Townsend.
Nov. 26. Ira, son of Ezra and Susanna Dodge.

1759

Jan. 14. Susanna, dau. of Samuel and Esther Mansfield.
Desire, dau. of Thomas and Hannah Sperry.
Feb. 11. Mary, dau. of John and Mary White.
Feb. 25. Nathan Dummer, upon his own account, being an adult.
March 4. Stephen and Sarah, children of Nathan and Triphena Dummer.
March 11. Sarah, dau. of John and Mary Storer.
Jerusha, dau. of Caleb and Mary Dorchester.
March 18. Rhoda, dau. of Ezekiel and Hannah Hotchkiss.
March 25. David, son of David and Mary Austin.

1759

April 1. Timothy, son of Samuel and Mehitabel Bishop.
June 3. Stephen, son of Joseph and —— Row.
June 17. Samuel, son of Aaron and Dorcas Potter.
Aug. 12. Susanna Augusta, dau. of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
Sept. 16. Jonah, son of John and Lydia Gorham.
Sept. 30. Abigail, dau. of Samuel Horton, wife deceased.
Oct. 7. Mary, dau. of Benjamin and Hannah Pardee.
Phebe and Hannah, children of Mary, the wife of John Thompson.
Oct. 28. Nathan, son of Nathan and Triphena Dummer.
Ebenezer, the son of Mary, the wife of Ebenezer Humerstone.
Nov. 18. Abigail, dau. of Yale and Sarah Bishop.
Nov. 25. Mary, dau. of Jonathan and Patience Mix.
Dec. 30. John, son of John and Sarah Mix.

1760

Jan. 6. Lucinda, dau. of Joshua and Mary Hotchkiss.
Jan. 27. Rebecca, dau. of Silas and Dorcas Alling.
Sarah, dau. of Joseph and Sarah Tallmadge.
Feb. 17. Anna, dau. of David and Thankfull Punderson.
Feb. 24. Rebecca, dau. of Judah and Sarah Thompson.
March 2. Raphiel, son of Samuel and Mary Beecher.
April 6. Solomon, son of Joseph and —— Row.
April 9. Eli, son of Joseph and Sarah Mix.
April 13. Lydia, dau. of Ebenezer and Rebecca Townsend.
April 20. Samuel, son of Samuel and Sarah Bird.
April 27. Joel, son of Caleb and Mary Andrews.
May 4. Philo, son of Daniel and Parnell Alling.
May 25. Sarah, dau. of Thomas and Mary Alling.
June 1. Esther, dau. of Medad and Mary Lyman.
June 8. Samuel Dennis, son of Dennis and Esther Scovit.
June 22. Lydia Ann, dau. of John and Lydia Eliot.
Hephsibah, dau. of Lemuel and Mary Hotchkiss.
July 20. Mary, dau. of Samuel and Mehitabel Bishop.
Aug. 3. Sarah, dau. of Phineas and Martha Bradley.
Aug. 24. Elihu, son of Daniel and Sarah Lyman.
Sept. 1. Elisha, son of Timothy and Sarah Gorham.
Sept. 28. Ezra, son of James and Thankfull Lines.
Oct. 5. Limbre, son of Thomas and Elizabeth Humphreville.
Oct. 12. Samuel, son of Samuel and Lydia Austin.
Oct. 26. Israel, son of Ezra and Susanna Dodge.
Nov. 2. Jesse, son of Amos and Mary Peck.
Nov. 27. Amy, dau. of Griffin and Mabel Bradley.

1761

March 8. Sophia Charlotte, dau. of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
April 12. Obadiah Hotchkiss, adult.
Mary, dau. of John and Ruth Hatch.
Eli and Lydia, children of Obadiah and Mercy Hotchkiss.
May 31. Stephen, son of Jeremiah and Anne Atwater.

1761

June 21. Ebenezer, son of David and Mary Austin.
Elisha, son of John and Mary White.
June 28. Joseph, son of James and Sarah Bradley.
July 26. Experience, dau. of Mary, the wife of John Thompson.
Aug. 16. Hannah, dau. of John and Lydia Gorham.
Sept. 6. James, son of James and Anne Pierpoint.
Hannah, dau. of Samuel and Mary Alling.
Lois, dau. of Ezekiel and Hannah Hotchkiss.
Sept. 13. Thomas, son of Ebenezer and Mary Humerston.
Sept. 20. Triphena, dau. of Nathan and Triphena Dummer.
Oct. 4. Hannah, dau. of Tille and Hannah Blakeslee.
Oct. 25. John, son of John and Sarah Mix.
Nov. 1. Eunice, dau. of Joseph and Eunice Smith.

1762

Jan. 17. Rhoda Caroline, dau. of Dennis and Esther Scovit.
Feb. 14. Thomas, son of Samuel and Sarah Bird.
Feb. 21. David, son of Timothy and Martha Tallmadge.
April 4. Mary Margaret, dau. of James and Mary Sperry.
Elijah and Elisha, twins of Joshua and Mary Hotchkiss.
April 11. Theophilus, son of Daniel and Parnell Alling.
May 3. Roger, son of Thomas and Mary Alling.
June 20. Benjamin, son of John and Mary Dorchester.
July 4. Asa, son of Silas and Dorcas Alling.
Aug. 15. Lydia, dau. of Jeremiah and Anne Attwater.
Anna, dau. of Nathaniel and Achsah Hatch.
Aug. 29. Benjamin, son of James and Thankfull Lines.
Sept. 5. Susanna, dau. of Ezra and Susanna Dodge.
Obadiah, son of Obadiah and Mercy Hotchkiss.
Nathan, son of Silvanus and Sarah Bishop.
Sept. 19. William, son of Samuel and Lydia Austin.
Oct. 17. Hannah, dau. of Daniel and Sarah Lyman.
Wyllys, son of Yale and Sarah Bishop.
Oct. 31. Frederick William, son of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
Nov. 7. Mary and Parmelia, children of Lemuel Hotchkiss, wife dec'd.
Nov. 14. Esther, Lydia and Jesse, children of John and Lydia Gilbert.
Mary, dau. of Samuel and Mary Beecher.

1763

Feb. 6. Abraham, son of Samuel and Mehitable Bishop.
May 29. Amos, son of Joseph and Sarah Mix.
June 26. John Prout, son of Samuel and Sarah Bird.
July 3. Eliezer and Sarah, twins of Timothy and Sarah Gorham.
July 24. Sarah, dau. of David and Mary Austin.
Aug. 28. Samuel, son of John and Sarah Mix.
Oct. 9. Anna and Thankful, twins of David and Thankful Punderson.
Oct. 16. Sarah, dau. of Silvanus and Sarah Bishop.
Nov. 6. Benjamin, son of Samuel and Mary Alling.

1763

Nov. 27. Nathaniel, son of John and Hannah Storer.
Timothy, son of Timothy and Margaret Mix.
Dec. 4. Edward, son of Nathan and Triphena Dummer.
Dec. 25. David, son of Timothy and Martha Tallmadge.

1764

Jan. 15. Sarah, dau. of James and Sarah Bradley.
Abigail, Mary, Sarah and Rebecca, children of Hezekiah and Abigail Gorham.
Feb. 19. Sarah, dau. of Isaac and Lois Bradley.
Feb. 26. Rebecca, dau. of Roger and Rebecca Sherman.
April 8. Judah, son of Judah and Sarah Thompson
April 15. Susanna Caroline, dau. of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
May 6. Mary, dau. of John and Lydia Gilbert.
Elijah, son of Thomas and Elizabeth Humphreville.
May 27. Joseph Punderson, son of Joshua and Mary Hotchkiss.
June 3. Caleb, son of Daniel and Parnell Alling.
June 24. Jane, dau. of Benjamin and Elizabeth Mecom.
July 29. Esther, dau. of Hezekiah and Abigail Gorham.
John, son of John and Hannah Storer.
Aug. 5. Joanna Sybil, dau. of Samuel and Sarah Bird.
Sept. 2. Hulda Alling, dau. of Enoch and Mary Baldwin.
Sept. 9. David, son of James and Anne Pierpoint.
Sept. 30. Anne, dau. of Jeremiah and Anne Atwater.
Oct. 7. Abiah, dau. of Joel and Abiah Atwater.
Thomas Goodsell, son of Jeremiah and Sarah Woolcot.
Nov. 18. Amos, son of Silas and Dorcas Alling.
Mehitabel and Jeremiah, children of Zadock and Desire Alling.
Mary, Elizabeth and Hephzibah, children of William and Elizabeth Alley.
John, son of John and Phebe Warner.
Dec. 2. Desire Hulda, dau. of Thomas and Hannah Sperry.
Dec. 16. Jared, son of Ebenezer and Mary Humerston.
Lydia, dau. of Samuel and Lydia Austin.
Dec. 23. Eber, son of Ezekiel and Hannah Hotchkiss.
Dec. 30. Stephen, Joseph Eason and Lydia, children of Stephen and Lydia Trowbridge.

1765

Jan. 20. Sarah, dau. of James and Thankfull Lines.
Easter, dau. of Zepheniah and Mary Hatch.
Jan. 27. Rebecca, dau. of Samuel and Mehitabel Bishop.
Feb. 10. Samuel and Mary, children of Samuel and Elizabeth White.
March 10. Hannah, dau. of John and Mary Dorchester.
Susanna, dau. of Charles and Susanna Sabins.
March 17. Silas, son of Obadiah and Mercy Hotchkiss.
March 31. Elias, son of John and Lydia Gorham.
April 28. Joseph, son of Zadock and Desire Alling.
June 2. Elizabeth, dau. of David and Mary Austin.
William, son of William and Elizabeth Alley.

1765

June 9. Isaac, son of Isaac and Lois Bradley.
July 7. Samuel, son of John and Ruth Hatch.
Aug. 4. Deodate, son of John and Sarah Mix.
Aug. 11. Salmon, son of Griffin and Mabel Bradley.
Sept. 29. Elihu, son of Silvanus and Sarah Bishop.
Oct. 13. Elizabeth, dau. of Benjamin and Elizabeth Mecom.
Nov. 3. Abigail, dau. of Samuel and Mary Alling.
Nov. 17. Abraham, son of Nathan and Triphena Dummer.
Dec. 1. Lewis George, son of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
Dec. 29. Sarah, dau. of Joseph and Sarah Mix.

1766

Jan. 5. Elizabeth, dau. of Roger and Rebecca Sherman.
March 23. Elizabeth, dau. of Joel and Abiah Atwater.
April 6. Joel, son of Abraham and Sarah Auger.
April 13. Abiah, dau. of John and Lydia Gilbert.
April 20. Stephen, son of Stephen and Sarah Ingraham.
May 4. Eden, son of John and Abigail Cornell.
Thomas, son of Samuel and Elizabeth White.
June 22. Bathsheba, dau. of Daniel and Parnel Alling.
June 29. Sarah, dau. of Joseph and Eunice Smith.
July 27. Tillotson, son of Tille and Hannah Blakeslee.
Aug. 3. Hephzibah, dau. of James and Sarah Bradley.
Sept. 7. Phebe, daughter of John and Phebe Warner.
Sept. 28. Hannah, dau. of John and Hannah Storer.
Nov. 16. Phebe, dau. of Ezekiel and Hanna Hotchkiss.

1767

Feb. 8. Israel, son of Israel and Anna Munson.
Feb. 15. Elizabeth, dau. of Zadock and Desire Alling.
Elizabeth, dau. of Thomas and Elizabeth Humphreville.
Feb. 22. Jeremiah, son of Jeremiah and Anne Atwater.
March 15. Lewis, son of Isaac and Lois Bradley.
April 12. Sybel, dau. of Zephaniah and Mary Hatch.
George Lewis, son of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
April 26. Sarah, the wife of Elisha Booth.
Hannah, the dau. of Elisha and Sarah Booth.
May 17. Eurania, dau. of James and Mary Sperry,
May 31. Lyman, son of Lemuel and Triphena Hotchkiss.
June 14. Molly, dau. of Phineas and Martha Bradley.
June 28. John, son of Samuel and Mehitabel Bishop.
July 12. Sarah and Hannah, twins of Charles and Susanna Sabins.
Elizabeth, dau. of Caleb and —— Alling.
July 19. Elizabeth, dau. of Samuel and Abigail Munson.
Ebenezer, son of James and Thankfull Lines.
Elizabeth, dau. of Isaac and Elizabeth Thompson.
Aug. 2. Timothy, son of John and Ruth Hatch.
Aug. 16. Molly, dau. of Silvanus and Sarah Bishop.
Aug. 23. Sarah, dau. of John and Lydia Gorham.
Sept. 26. Elisha, son of Joshua and Mary Hotchkiss.

1767

Oct. 4. Amos, son of John and Sarah Mix.
Nov. 1. Hannah. dau. of David and Mary Austin.
Dec. 13. Joanna Sibyl, dau. of Samuel and Sarah Bird.
Lois, Abigail, Mehitabel, Anna and Mary, children of Jonathan and Mehitabel Osborne.
Dec. 27. Sarah, dau. of William and Elizabeth Alley.

1768

Feb. 7. Mary, dau. of Aaron and Mary Potter.
Eber, son of John and Lydia Gilbert.
March 13. Abigail, dau. of Joel and Abiah Atwater.
Edward, son of Silas and Dorcas Alling.
April 10. Martha, Sarah and Hannah, children of James Minot, wife dec'd.
June 5. Lydia, dau. of Stephen and Sarah Ingraham.
June 26. Abijah, son of Griffin and Mabel Bradley.
July 24. Roger, son of Roger and Rebecca Sherman.
Dec. 18. Jeremiah, son of Abraham and Sarah Auger.

1769

Jan. 8. Lois, dau. of Isaac and Lois Bradley.
Mary, dau. of Nathan and Triphena Dummer.
Jan. 15. Joel, son of Joseph and Sarah Mix.
Ezekiel, son of Ezekiel and Hannah Hotchkiss.
Jan. 28. Elizabeth, dau. of Jonathan and Mehitabel Osborn.
March 12. Joanna, dau. of James and Sarah Bradley.
Philomela, dau, of John Miles, Jr., and Mehitabel.
May 28. Susanna Jane, dau. of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
June 4. Elizabeth, dau. of Samuel and Elizabeth White.
July 6. Desire, dau. of Zadock and Desire Alling.
Nov. 5. Joel, son of Joel and Abiah Atwater.

1770

Jan. 28. Sylvanus, son of Sylvanus and Sarah Bishop.
Feb. 4. Lily Pink, dau. of Cuff and Lily, negroes.
March 4. Caleb, son of Joshua and Mary Hotchkiss.
March 18. Mary, dau. of Ebenezer and Esther Johnson.
March 25. Rebecca, dau. of Samuel and Mehitabel Bishop.
Elisha, son of David and Mary Austin.
June 3. Hezekiah, son of John and Sarah Mix.
Joseph, son of Jeremiah and Ann Atwater.
June 17. Sarah Hummaston, an adult.
July 1. Alice, dau. of Zephaniah and Mary Hatch.
July 29. Miranda, dau. of Griffin and Mabel Bradley.
Dec. 16. Rebecca, dau. of Isaac and Lois Bradley.

1771

Jan. 20. Lydia, dau. of John and Abigail Cornwell.
Feb. 10. Sherman, son of James and Betty Minott.
April 7. Isaac, son of Israel and Ann Munson.
June 2. Timothy John, son of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
June 9. Marcus, son of John and Mehitabel Miles.

1771

Sept. 1. Jane, dau. of Samuel and Elizabeth White.
Sept. 28. Isaac, son of Jonathan and Sarah Wiles.
Oct. 13. William Jones, son of Dennis and Esther Covert.
Oct. 20. Amelia, dau. of Isaac and Elizabeth Thompson.
Nov. 24. Rosanna, Edward, John and William, children of Edward and Mary Moloy.
Dec. 15. Amos, son of Sulvanus and Sarah Bishop.

1772

Jan. 12. Walter, son of Jonathon and Mary Edwards.
Joel and Mary Rebecca, children of Nathaniel and Achsah Hatch.
Feb. 16. Ebenezer Elisha, son of David and Mary Austin.
Mary, dau. of Joel and Abiah Atwater.
March 1. Mehetabel, dau. of Roger and Rebecca Sherman.
March 22. William, son of James and Anne Pierpoint.
April 26. Nathan, son of Ebenezer and Esther Johnson.
June 21. Elias, son of Gurdon and Sarah Turner.
June 28. Abraham, son of Abraham and Amy Bradley.
Miles, son of Joshua and Mary Hotchkiss.
Aug. 16. William, son Jeremiah and Anne Atwater.
Sept. 13. Urania, dau. of James and Mary Sperry.
Dec. 6. Justus, son of Obadiah and Mercy Hotchkiss.

1773

Feb. 14. Lydia, Marcia and Abigail, children of Jabez and Abigail Johnson.
Feb. 28. Anne, dau. of Israel and Anne Munson.
April 25. Elihu, Strong, Hannah, Stephen, Samuel, Mary Ann and Clarissa, children of Elihu and Hannah Sanford.
May 2. James, son of Jonathan and Sarah Wiles.
May 23. Sarah, dau. of Isaac and Lois Bradley.
June 6. Eli Cook, son of Gold and Philomela Sherman.
June 13. Maria Jane, dau. of John and Susanna Hotchkiss.
June 27. Philemon, son of Edward and Mary Moloy.
July 4. Mary, dau. of Jonathan and Mary Edwards.
July 11. Mary Hull, adult.
Hannah Ball, on account of her mother Mary Rexford.
Elizabeth, Joel and Lucy, children of James and Mary Hull.
Aug. 1. Enos Brooks, son of John and Mehitabel Miles.

1774

Jan. 30. Susanna, dau. of Elihu and Hannah Sanford.
Feb. 27. Elizabeth, dau. of Abel and Eunice Burritt.
March 6. William, Esther and Samuel, children of Nathaniel and Mabel Kimberly.
May 15. Eunice, dau. of Jabez and Abigail Johnson.
June 5. Sarah Anne, dau. of Jesse and —— Cook.
Ebenezer, son of Ebenezer and Esther Johnson.
June 19. Abigail, dau. of Gurdon and Sarah Turner.
July 3. John Punderson, son of David and Mary Austin.
July 31. Mary, dau. of Joel and Abiah Atwater.

1775

Jan. 22. Lydia, dau. of Erastus and Lydia Bradley.
Nathaniel, son of Nathaniel and Mabel Kimberly.
Feb. 19. Amos, son of Isaac and Lois Bradley.
Feb. 26. Jonathan, son of Jonathan and Mary Edwards.
April 2. Sarah, dau. of Abraham and Amy Bradley.
April 16. Benjamin, son of Zephaniah and Mary Hatch.
Aug. 20. A child of Jonathan and Sarah Wiles.
Nov. 26. Leverett, son of Gold and Philomela Sherman.
Dec. 3. Hannah Platt, dau. of Lamuel and Phebe Broome,

1776

Jan. 14. David, son of Edward and Mary Moloy.
Feb. 4. Jerusha, dau. of Jonathan and Mary Edwards.
March 10. Abiah, dau. of James and Mary Hull.
July 21. Rachel and Abraham, children of Abraham Thompson. (Mother dead)
William, Stephen and Hannah, children of Abraham and Hannah Thompson.
July 28. David, son of Elihu and Hannah Sanford.
Aug. 25. Mary, dau. of David and Mary Austin.
Harriet, dau. of John and Rebecca Broome.
John, son of Gurdon and Sarah Turner.
Dec. 1. Elizabeth Mary, dau. of Solomon and Elizabeth Phipps.
Dec. 8. Oliver, son of Nathaniel and Achsah Hatch.
Lucy, dau. of David and Grace Dougal.
Dec. 29. Mabel Howel, an adult.

1777

Jan. 12. Mary, dau. of Barnabas and Mehitabel Mulford.
Feb. 9. Esther, dau. of Nathan and Esther Oakes.
March 23. Samuel, son of Ebenezer and Esther Johnson.
May 18. Nicholas, Lois, Benjamin, Elijah and Anne, children Nicholas and Mabel Howel.
May 25. Oliver, son of Roger and Rebecca Sherman.
William Mills, son of Elias and Mary Beers.
Oct. 5. Amos, son of Jabez and Abigail Johnson.

1778

Jan. 4. Erastus, son of Erastus and Lydia Bradley.
April 12. Rebecca Lydia, dau. of Jeremiah and Anne Atwater.
April 26. Benjamin, son of Abel and Eunice Burritt.
N. B. Martha, the dau. of Phineas and Martha Bradley was baptized by the Rev. Mr. Bird. in the year 1751, but an entry on record was neglected.
July 19. Anne, dau. of Isaac and —— Townsend.
Henry, son of Nathaniel and Mabel Kimberly.
Lydia, dau. of James and Mary Hull.
Sept. 27. Richard, son of Nicholas and Mabel Howel.
A child of Abraham and Amy Bradley.

1779

Jan. 17. Anne, dau. of Isaac and Elizabeth Thompson.
March 21. Nathan, son of Nathan and Esther Oakes.

1779

May 30. William Gold, son of William and Philomela Helms.
July 18. Timothy and Daniel, sons of Daniel and Louissa Bishop.
Aug. 29. Mary Esther, dau. of Ebenezer and Esther Johnson.
Joanna, dau. of Solomon and Elizabeth Phipps.
Oct. 17. Joseph, son of Gurdon and Sarah Turner.
Oct. 31. Martha, dau. of Roger and Rebecca Sherman.

1780

Feb. 13. Sally, dau. of Eli and Sarah Leavenworth.
Feb. 27. Anna, dau. of Erastus and Lydia Bradley.
May 7. Hannah, dau. of Isaac and Lois Bradley.
May 28. Anna Austin, an adult.
June 25. Sarah, dau. of Abel and Eunice Burritt.
Dec. 24. Lemuel, Lucy and Silas, children of Lemuel and Margaret Benham.

1781

Jan. 28. John, son of Daniel and Louissa Bishop.
March 4. Experience, Rebecca, Elizabeth and Mary, children of Joseph and Lydia Thompson.
Sarah, dau. of Nathaniel and Mabel Kimberly.
April 15. Lucretia, dau. of David and Jerusha Mulford.
June 10. Sally, dau. of Nathan and Esther Oakes.
Aug. 5. Mary, dau. of Abraham and Amy Bradley.
Aug. 26. Mary, dau. of Edward and Mary Moloy.
Sept. 9. Sally, dau. of Gurdon and Sarah Turner.

1782

Feb. 10. Henry, son of Ebenezer and —— Beardsley.
Asa Todd, son of Solomon and Elizabeth Phipps.
Feb. 17. Betsy, dau. of Lemuel and Margaret Benham.
Feb. 24. Joseph Rogers, son of William and Philomela Helms.
March 24. Eunice, dau. of Abel and Eunice Burritt.
May 26. Frederick William, son of Daniel and Louissa Bishop.
July 21. Amelia and Mercy, children of James and Mary Hull.
Aug. 11. William, son of Jeremiah and —— Atwater.
Aug. 25. Sidney, son of Elias and Mary Beers.
Sept. 29. John, Mary, Harriet, Elizabeth and David Austin, children of John and Rebecca Sherman.
Stephen, Charles Burroll and William, children of Major and Susanna Lynes.
Oct. 6. William, Nathaniel Farrand, Francis and Anna, children of John and Elizabeth Mix.

1783

Feb. 16. Sarah, dau. of Roger and Rebecca Sherman.
David, son of Ebenezer and Esther Johnson.
March 9. Fanny, dau. of Eli and Sarah Leavenworth.
Aug. 3. Abel, son of Abel and Eunice Burritt.
Aug. 24. Elizabeth, dau. of Major and Susanna Lynes.
Aug. 31. Lois, dau. of Israel and Anne Munson.
Nov. 2. Betsey, dau. of Gurdon and Sarah Turner.
Nov. 9. Levina, dau. of Nathan and Esther Oakes.

1784

Jan. 18. Charles, son of John and Rebecca Sherman.
Susanna, dau. of Daniel and Louissa Bishop.
Feb. 22. Hannah Mix, an adult.
March 1. Elias, son of Elias and Mary Beers.
March 4. Elizabeth and William Roswell, children of Timothy and Mary Jones.
April 25. Lucretia, dau. of Solomon and Elizabeth Phipps.
July 4. Jared, son of Abraham and Amy Bradley.
Oct. 3. Mary Mix, an adult.
Oct. 24. Samuel Fish, son of William and Philomela Helms.
Oct. 31. John, son of Nathaniel and Mabel Kimberly.
James Hitchcock and Mary, children of Eldad and Mary Mix.
Dec. 12. Sidney, son of Samuel and Mabel Hull.

1785

Jan. 23. Betsy, dau. of Lemuel and Rebecca Benham.
March 6. Asenath, dau. of James and Mary Hull.
July 17. Polly, dau. of Nicholas and Mabel Howel.
Oct. 16. Susannah, dau. of Major and Susanna Lynes.
Nov. 6. Chauncey Fitch and Julia, children of Eliphaz and Lydia Perkins.
Dec. 11. Henry, son of John and Rebecca Sherman.
Eber, son of Gurdon and Sarah Turner.

1786

Jan. 29. Elizabeth, dau. of Guy and Hannah Dodd.
Feb. 19. Walter, son of Walter and Sarah King.
April 9. Solomon, son of Ebenezer and Esther Johnson.
Ebenezer, son of Samuel and Mabel Hull.
May 7. John Austin, son of Daniel and Anne Crocker.
May 14. Polly, dau. of Nathan and Esther Oakes.
July 23. Patty, Anna and Timothy Parkman, children of Timothy and Hannah Townsend.
Sept. 24. Naomi and Sarah, children of Marston and Sarah Parrot.

1787

July 1. Laura, dau. of Joseph and Sarah Trowbridge.
Samuel, son of Lemuel and Rebecca Benham.
Nov. 18. Jeremiah, John, Lois, James and Charles, children of Jeremiah, Jr., and Lois Atwater.
Dec. 30. Medad, son of Eldad and Mary Mix.

1788

Jan. 27. Joseph Bishop, son of Guy and Hannah Dodd.
Feb. 3. Sydney, son of Abraham and Amy Bradley.
Daniel, son of Daniel and Anne Crocker.
June 1. Mary, dau. of Major and Susanna Lynes.
July 20. Ira, son of Gurdon and Sarah Turner.
Nov. 9. Glover Ball, an adult.
Nov. 30. Joseph, son of Daniel and Louissa Bishop.

1789

Feb. 15. Levi, son of Marston and Sarah Parrot.
Aug. 9. Huldah, Glover, Ezekiel, Eldad and Hannah, children of Glover and Hannah Ball.
Oct. 4. Fanny and Nancy, twins of Jeremiah and Lois Atwater.
Dec. 5. Mary, Esther, Ebenezer, Stephen and Henry, children of Ebenezer and Mary Huggins.

1790

Feb. 28. Nancy, dau. of Lemuel and Rebecca Benham.
March 7. Mary, William, Nathaniel, John and Allen, children of Nathaniel and Mary Fitch.
March 28. Phebe, dau. of Eldad and Mary Mix.
May 2. James Webster, Francis and Rebecca, children of John and Martha Townsend.
June 27. Fanny, dau. of Major and Susanna Lynes.
July 11. Almera, dau. of Samuel and Mabel Hull.
Dec. 19. William and Henry, sons of Daniel and Anne Crocker.

1791

Feb. 27. Eleazer Thompson, son of Nathaniel and Mary Fitch.
June 27. John Stark, Henry Waggaman, Moses Ogden, Henry Alfred and Henrietta Frances, children of Pierpont and Frances Edwards.
July 31. Isaac, Mary, William Henry, Amelia, Timothy, Algernon Sidney, Frances and Harriet, children of Isaac and Sibyl Jones.
Frances, Eunice and Julia, children of Widow Eunice Lothrop.
Sept. 18. Susanna, dau. of Glover and Hannah Ball.

1792

Feb. 5. Henry, son of Widow Eunice Lothrop.
March 18. Medad, son of Eldad and Mary Mix.
June 3. Augustus Russell, son of Titus and —— Street.
Sept. 9. Major, son of Major and Susanna Lynes.
Oct. 14. Polly, dau. of Jeremiah and Lois Atwater.
Nov. 11. Timothy Green, son of Lemuel and Rebecca Benham.
Stephen, son of Daniel and Louissa Bishop.

1793

Sept. 15. Harriet, dau. of Eldad and Mary Mix.
Oct. 20. Sarah, dau. of Guy and Hannah Dod.
Oct. 27. Aaron, son of Archibald and Betsy Rice.
Nov. 10. Lucius Barzly, son of John and Martha Townsend.

1794

Aug. 16. Isaac, son of Isaac and Sarah Thompson.
Nov. 2. Timothy, son of Glover and Hannah Ball.
Rebecca, Ebenezer, Roger Sherman and Simeon, children of Simeon and Rebecca Baldwin.
Dec. 21. William, David, Lydia and Samuel, children of William and Mary Austin.

1795

May 17. Charles, son of Timothy and Hannah Townsend.
Sept. 6. Samuel, Johnson, Ebenezer, Martha and Mary Bethia, children of Thomas and Mary Burrell.
Oct. 11. Maria, Nathan, Timothy Phelps, Isaac and Abigail, children of Nathan and Mary Beers.

1796

June 19. Samuel, son of William and Mary Austin.
Sept. 18. John Phelps, son of Nathan and Mary Beers.
Nathaniel, son of Simeon and Luceanah Jocelin.
Charles Guy, son of Guy and Hannah Dodd.

In 1771, a schism in the church led to the formation of a new society called "The Fairhaven Society," which existed as a separate organization until 1796, when it reunited with the parent church.

FAIRHAVEN RECORD.

1773

May 16. Levi, son of Levi Ives.
June 13. Elizabeth, dau. of Jonathan Osborn, on his wife's account.
July 3. Abner, son of Samuel Wooding, on his wife's account.
July 10. Sarah, dau. of Samuel White.
July 19. Lydia, dau. of Caleb Alling.
Aug. 1. Lydia, the wife of Joseph Peck was baptized with seven children: Joseph, Augustus, Ward, Mary, Deborah, Lydia and Sarah.
On the same day John Bradley, with five children, Alathea, Enos, John, Deborah and Phebe.
On the same day, Phebe Phipps with three children, Miriam, Elizabeth and Phebe.
On the same day, John Culver with two children, William and Molley.
Dec. 19. A child of Ashbel Stillman.
Anne, dau. of Abraham Allyn.

1774

Jan. 2. Esther, dau. of Jacob Thompson.
March 20. Rebecca, Caleb, Sarah, Mary and Permelia, children of Sarah Thomas.
Elizabeth, Phebe and Stephen, children of Stephen Brown and his wife.
June 5. Mary, dau. of Damaris Punderson.
June 26. Elizabeth, dau. of Samuel Wooden, Jr., on his wife's account.
Oct. 9. Hulda, dau. of Joseph Smith and his wife.
Oct. 16. Frances, child of Jacob Thompson and his wife.
Nov. 6. Dorothy, the wife of Joseph Gilbert, was baptised with four children; Aaron, Sybell, Rebecca and Joseph.

1774

Dec. 5. Isaac, Elisha, Israel, Sarah, Joel, Elizabeth and Experience, children of Joseph Gilbert and his wife.
Permelia, Sena and George, children of Ichabod Page, on his wife's account.
Dec. 17. Mary, dau. of Levi Ives.
Jonah, Rhoda, Hulda and Sarah, children of Moses Ford and his wife.

1775

Jan. 22. Eli, son of Elijah Osborn, on his wife's account.
Feb. 19. Caleb, son of Ichabod Page, on his wife's account.
March 19. Allyn, son of Allyn Mather and wife.
April 2. Hannah, dau. of Lemuel Hotchkiss and wife.
April 9. Patience, dau. of Lydia Peck.
May 7. Elihu, son of Henry Daggett and his wife.
Joshua, son of Joshua Bradley and his wife.
May 28. Ashbel, son of Ashbel Stilman and his wife.
June 4. Lucy, dau. of Daniel Allyn and his wife.
June 18. Mary, dau. of John Gilbert, on his wife's account.
July 2. Samuel, Esther, Rhoda, Temperance, Stephen and James, children of Joseph Wise, on his wife's account.
Aug. 20. John Gaxlay, son of William Carter.
Oct. 29. William Milner, son of William Plimate and his wife.
Caleb, son of Caleb Alling and his wife.

1776

Jan. 7. Sally, dau. of Jacob Daggett, on his wife's account.
March 3. Lucy, dau. of John Bradley, on his wife's account.
Jared, son of David Munson Jr. and his wife.
May 5. Charles, son of Abraham Alling and his wife.
June 2. Rebecca, dau. of Benjamin Wooden Jr., on his wife's account.
July 7. Moses, son of Moses Ford and his wife.
Aug. 4. Polly, dau. of William Carter.
Oct. 20. Henry, son of Henry Daggett and his wife.
Joseph, son of Joseph Smith and his wife.
Oct. 27. Polly Anne, dau. of Timothy Mix and his wife.
Nov. 10. Enoch, son of Enoch Baldwin.
Nov. 24. Martha Holmes was baptized with two children, Lucy and John Lee.
Dec. 15. Samuel and Leverett, children of Samuel Griswal, on his wife's account.

1777

Feb. 17. Joanna, dau. of Elijah Osborn, on his wife's account.
April 20. Lydia, dau. of John Storer and his wife.
May 18. Ruth, dau. of Sarah Cooper.
July 6. Hulda, dau. of Daniel Allyn and his wife.
July 13. Mary, dau. of Stephen Brown.
Sept. 14. William, son of William Scott.
Ruth, dau. of Lydia Squire.
Sept. 28. Allyn, son of Person Stilman, on his wife's account.

1777

Sept. 28. John, son of Samuel White.
Oct. 5. Elihu, son of Levi Ives and his wife.
Margaret Arnold, dau. of Jacob Thompson and his wife.
Oct. 19. Damaris, dau. of Samuel Wooden Jr., on his wife's account.
Nov. 23. Sally, dau. of John Warner.

1778

Feb. 1. John, son of John Bradley, on his wife's account.
Jonathan, son of John Culver and his wife.
March 1. Meriam, dau. of John Gilbert, on his wife's account.
April 12. Elizabeth, dau. of Henry Daggett and his wife.
Lois, dau. of Caleb Alling.
April 19. Elijah, son of Joel Gilbert and his wife.
May 24. Lewis, son of Silas Alling.
Anne, dau. of Joseph Smith and his wife.
June 14. John Munson, son of Ichabod Page, on his wife's account.
June 21. Sally, dau. of James Murray and his wife.
June 28. Elixcis, son of Enoch Baldwin.
Sept. 6. David, son of Hephzibah Moulthrop.
Oct. 4. Javen, son of Benjamin Wooden, Jr., on his wife's account.
Nov. 1. James, son of James Gilbert.
Dec. 20. Jerusha, dau. of Nathan Dummer.

1779

Jan. 3. Chester, son of Daniel Talmadge and his wife.
Feb. 7. Joseph, son of David Warner, on his wife's account.
Feb. 21. Elizabeth, dau. of Allyn Mather and his wife.
Eli, son of Levi Ives and his wife.
Mehetable, dau. of Timothy Mix and his wife.
March 21. Lemuel, son of Lemuel Hotchkiss and his wife.
March 28. Henry, son of Jacob Thompson and his wife.
April 4. Rhoda, dau. of Abraham Alling and his wife.
April 2. Unice, dau. of Moses Ford and his wife.
June 13. Chauncey, son of Jacob Daggett, on his wife's account.
Aug. 26. Polly, dau. of John Throop.
Sept. 5. Amelia, dau. of Henry Daggett and his wife.
Enos, son of Elijah Osborn and his wife.
Oct. 3. Dearen Phipps, son of Stephen Brown and his wife.
Nov. 14. Joel, son of Isaac Auger and his wife.

1780

Jan. 16. Sally, dau. of Timothy Johnson, on his wife's account.
Feb. 13. Unice, dau. of Caleb Alling and his wife.
April 9. Hannah, dau. of Samuel Griswell, on his wife's account.
Elizabeth, dau. of Hezekiah Auger and his wife.
April 23. Amos, son of Enoch Baldwin.
May 28. Liman, Joseph and Sally, children of Joseph Peck.
Elizabeth, dau. of Isaac Gilbert.

1780

June 11. Caleb Bradley, Lidia Bradley and Phebe Bradley were baptised on their own account.
Esther, Hulda, Justice, Sarah and Elizabeth, children of Jonah Bradley.
June 18. Joel, son of Medad Osborn and his wife.
July 2. Polly and Susanna, children of Henry York, on his wife's account.
July 16. Ruth, dau. of Thomas Punderson and his wife.
William, son of William Noyes.
Samuel Mansfield, son of Susanna Troop.
Alling and Rebecca, children of Amos Gilbert, on his wife's account.
July 30. Unice, Eldad and Anna, children of Caleb Gilbert, on his wife's account.
Esther, Jabez and Timothy, children of Timothy Dwight.
Henry, son of Amos Hotchkiss, on his wife's account.
James Peck and Elijah, children of Jonathan Mix.
James and Jonas, children of Samuel Gorham, on his wife's account.
Mary and Phebe, children of William Puncherd, on his wife's account.
Aug. 20. Melia and Levi, children of the Widow Lois Beecher.
Amos, Mary, Larmon and Elizabeth, children of Robert Townsend, on his wife's account.
Justice, son of John Storer.
Betsy, dau. of Eleazer Hotchkiss, on his wife's account.
Sept. 10. Sarah Elizabeth, dau. of Joel Gilbert, on his wife's account.
Sept. 17. Chauncey, son of Samuel Dorman, on his wife's account.
Oct. 1. Major, son of Joseph Smith and his wife.
Oct. 1. Lois, dau. of David Warner.
Oct. 15. Benjamin, son of Benjamin Wooden.

1781

April 8. Asa, son of Silas Alling.
May 27. Elizabeth Anne, dau. Amos Gilbert on his wife's account.
June 17. Isaac, son of David Munson, on his wife's account.
June 24. Nance, dau. of James Murray.
July 22. Sarah, dau. of James Gilbert, on his wife's account.
Aug. 5. Hannah, dau. of Timothy Dwight.
Sept. 30. Elihu, son of Henry Daggett.
Oct. 14. Frances, a child of Jacob Thompson and his wife.
Nov. 11. Isaac, son of Timothyn Mix and his wife.
Dec. 16. Rebecca, dau. of Jacob Daggett.
Charles, son of Daniel Talmadge and his wife.

1782

Jan. 6. Sally, dau. of Samuel Gorham, on his wife's account.
Jan. 20. Ely, son of Robert Townsend, on his wife's account.

1782

Jan. 20. Thankful Sophia, dau. of Allyn Mather and his wife.
Feb. 10. Sarah and Abigail, children of David Bishop on his wife's account.
Feb. 17. Heamon, son of Timothy Johnson, on his wife's account.
Hulda, dau. of Elias Townsend, on his wife's account.
March 3. Elihu, son of Isaac Auger and his wife.
March 24. Benjamin Atkin, son of Phineas Andrus, on his wife's account.
March 31. Lidia, dau. of Hezekiah Auger and his wife.
April 21. Hannah, dau. of Stephen Brown.
May 26. A child of Enoch Baldwin.
Aug. 11. Elizabeth, dau. of John Storer.
Aug. 18. Joseph, son of Joseph Peck.
Betsy, dau. of Henry York.
Aug. 24. Lemuel, son of Samuel Punderson and his wife.
Sept. 8. Polly, dau. of Samuel Griswold, on his wife's account.
Sept. 15. Clarissa, dau. of Jonathan Mix, on his wife's account.
Sept. 22. Ransom, son of Joseph Bennum.
Oct. 6. Ezekiel Williams, son of Abel Morse.
Mary, dau. of Medad Osborne and his wife.
Jared, son of David Warner, on his wife's account.

1783

Jan. 26. Polly, dau. of Levi Ives.
March 9. Desire, dau. of Benjamin Wooden, Jr., on his wife's account.
April 13. William, son of William Puncherd Jr., on his wife's account.
May 15. John, son of Joseph Eells, on his wife's account.
June 18. Elizabeth, dau. of Hannah Munson.
July 13. William, son of Jared Thompson, on his wife's account.
Aug. 3. Polly, dau. of John Troop, on his wife's account.
Aug. 10. Joseph, Waterman, Susanna and Hannah, children of Joseph Eells.
John, son of James Murray and his wife.
Aug. 24. Mabel, Sene, Sina and Benjamin, children of Thomas Mix.
Aug. 31. Sarah, dau. of Hannah Munson.
Sept. 7. Miles, son of Isaac Beecher, on his wife's account.
Sept. 28. Mehitable, dau. of Stephen Munson, on his wife's account.
Nancy, dau. of Stephen Alling, on his wife's account.
Oct. 12. Michael Gilbert, son of Eleazer Hotchiss.
Nov. 23. Increase, a child of Allyn Mather.
Mary, dau. of Jacob Thompson.
Caleb, son of Alexander Bradley, on his wife's account.

1784

Jan. 24. Henry, son of Henry Daggett and wife.
Jan. 25. Asa, son of Caleb Alling and his wife.
March 21. Thomas, son of Thomas Punderson and wife.

1784

April 4. Hannah, dau. of Robert Townsend, on his wife's account.
June 20. Nancy, dau. of Jacob Daggett, on his wife's account.
Jimmy, son of Samuel Gorham, on his wife's account.
June 27. Minet, son of Hezekiah Auger and wife.

1786

Dec. 3. Chloe, dau. of Hezekiah Auger and wife.
Maria, dau. of Isaac Gilbert.

1787

March. A child of Ebenezer Townsend.
April. Benjamin, son of Phineas Andrews and wife.
May 6. Esther, dau. of James Gilbert, Jr., and wife.
Aug. 27. Julia, dau. of Jared Thompson and wife.
Oct. 14. Betsey, Daniel Goffe and Solomon, children of Goffe Phipps.
Mary, dau. of Peter Reed.
Nov. 16. A child of Stephen Munson.
Dec. 30. Aner, son of of Aner Adee.

1788

Jan. 20. Meliscent, dau. of James Prescott.
March 28. Bisa, child of Joseph Peck.
April 13. Mary, dau. of Samuel Gorham and wife.
Nancy, dau. of Elias Townsend and wife.
May 19. Sophia and William, children of Levi Ives.
Keron, son of Joseph Smith.
July 27. A child of Mr. Johnston.
Oct. 12. A child of Nancy Hendrick.
Kate, dau. of Harthan Ramsdale.
Dec. 7. Mehetabel Emory Fabins, dau. of Mr. Abel Morse.
Nancy Maria, dau. of Jonathan Mix.

1789

Jan. 4. Maria, dau. of Hezekiah Auger.
May 18. Isaac, son of Isaac Auger.
William, son of Coe Hendrick.
May 31. Lucy, William, Michael, Henry White, Clarina and Sally, children of the widow Theodora Baldwin.
Elias, son of Isaac Gilbert.

1790

Jan. 30. James, son of James Prescott.
Aug. 1. Jonathan Lucius, son of Jonathan Mix.
Sept. 5. Hester, dau. of Isaac Auger.
Oct. 24. William, son of Harthan Ramsdale.
Nov. 14. Hezekiah, son of Samuel Gorham.
Nov. 21. Thomas Bazzel, son of Joseph Peck.
Feb. 6. Aaron Forbes, son of Thomas Potter.
April 7. Hezekiah, son of Hezekiah Auger.

1791

May 1. Jesse, son of Peter Read.
Isaac, son of Isaac Gilbert.
July 10. Deborah Walker, dau. of Abel Morse.

1792

Jan. 1. Nancy, dau. of Coe Hendrick.
Aug. 5. Eleazer, son of Eleazer Hotchkiss.
Sept. 23. Minot, son of James Prescott.
Bela Thomas, son of Joseph Peck.

1793

Jan. 27. Mary, dau. of Henry Daggett.
June 9. Mary Eliza, dau. of Jonathan Mix, on his wife's account.
June 30. John Fabian, son of Abel Morse.
July 7. Job, son of Thomas Potter.
Eleazer, son of Samuel Gorham.
Henrietta, dau. of Isaac Auger.
Mary, dau. of Isaac Gilbert.
July 28. Chauncey Alling and Nancy Alling, children of Elizur Goodrich.
July 28. Elisha, son of Thomas Punderson.

1794

June 29. Elizabeth and Samuel, children of Samuel Punderson.

1795

April 5. James, son of Hezekiah Auger.
Aug. 2. William Augustus, son of Jonathan Mix.
Aug. 9. Debby Walker, dau. of Mrs. Sarah Griffin, wife of Rossiter Griffin.

A DIGEST OF ESSEX WILLS.

With Particular Reference to Names of Importance in the American Colonies.

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(Continued from Vol. XLI, p. 372, of the Record.)

156. Addams, Thomas, the elder of Harlow, Essex. Bone setter,* 4 Feby., 1605. To be buried in the Churchyard. To my son Thomas 2/– To son John my freehold land in Hendon Middlesex to him and his heirs for ever upon condition he pay my son George and daughter Joyce Addams £16 equally between them and my daughter Joan Turner 10/– and Thomas Wood my daughter Turner's son 20/– at his age of 21. If my son John die without issue then the said land to come to my son George and his

* Surgeon.

heirs he paying to his sister Joyce £8. To my son Roger and his heirs the tenement wherein I dwell in Harlow aforesaid with the orchard and garden thereto belonging. To son John my biggest brasse pott one pewter platter and a pewter dish. To son George my biggest brasse kettle etc. To son Roger my brasse three legged kettle etc. To Thomas Wood my daughters son one latten* candlestick with a square nossell etc. To daughter Turner a warming pan. Res: daughter Joyce. Ex: son John. Overseer: John Gladwyn of Harlow yeoman, 2/- to him. Wit: Nicholas Graygoose and George Harrison. Probate not mentioned. (Consistory, London. Sperin, 342.)

157. Aylett, Matthew, of Much Totham, Essex, Yeoman, 2 Oct., 1604. To be buried in churchyard. To Elizabeth my wife all my lands and tenements now in the occupation of Peter Payse situate in Tolleshunt Tregoose† Essex Also to her all my goods whatsoever and she to be sole Executrix. Wit: Robert Manninge, James Manninge. Proved 23 March, 1604, by relict. (Consistory, London. Sperin, 303.)

158. Baker, Robert, of Cressing, Essex, 27 March, 2 Eliz. To the poor 6/8. To wife Margaret my house and land in Cressing for her life and after to my son John and his heirs he to pay my son Richard £5 and Ellen my daughter 40/- and Joan my daughter 6/8. To Joan my sons daughter one old angel‡ and a bullock sheep and lamb and a new hutch with a lock and key. To son John all such goods as he hath of mine noted in a bill dated 27 October 1559 he to pay out of said goods unto Joh Thorpes wife of Lyes (Leighs) being now widow 46/8. To each of Harry Bacon's sons a sheep and a lamb. Res. & Ex. wife. Wit: John Daynes Richard Deynes Fraunce Rawe and John Walford. Probate not mentioned. (Arch. Colchester. Puckell, 5.)

159. Barnes, John, of Stanford, le Hope, Essex, Husbandman, 21 March, 1585. To be buried in the Churchyard. To the poor 20/- Various articles to sons John Richard and Robert. To daughter Ellen "all my wifes apparrell" and pewter, linen etc. Res. & Ex: Thomas Barnes of Bowers Gifford. he to bring up my children, and provide sureties to Lawrance Gilman and John Slaterford (who are to be Overseers) for the due performence of this my will. Wit: William Tery, Robert Drywood. Proved 10 April, 1585, by the Ex. named. (Arch. Essex. Draper, 136.)

160. Barrett, John, of Little Thurrock, Essex, Husbandman, 5 July, 1600. To be buried in the Churchyard. To my eldest son John £12 at age 20 and my Bible. Also to him my great

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* Brass.

† The old name for Tolleshunt Darcy. The family of Tregoz held this Manor of the Honour of Peverell in the time of Stephen. It is called Tolleshunt Tregoz on a brass dated 1419 in the church. The Darcy family held it later.

‡ A gold coin having on the obverse St. Michael and the Dragon, hence its name. The current value of the angel in the time of Mary and Elizabeth was ten shillings, but previously it was only eight shillings, hence I suppose the signification of the term "old."

brass pot that was my fathers etc. To son Robert £12 at age 20. and the great brass pot that was his Aunt Katherines etc. To my daughter Martha £12 at age 20 or marriage and pewter etc. Res. & Ex. wife Martha she to give to John Haman my sisters son a sheep and a lamb or 10/- in money at his choice. Overseers: John Beda* and Robert Herde† of Stifford they to each have eight bushels of rye. Wit: Lewes Jones, Richard Prior. Proved 2 Aug., 1600, by the Ex. named. (Arch. Essex. Stephen, 298.)

161. FINCH, WILLIAM, of Braintree, Essex, Clothier, 13 Sept., 1604. To the Poor 6/8. To son William £40 at age 21. Res. & Ex. wife Editha. Overseers William Baldwyn and Robert Myres of Braintree Clothiers, and to each of them 6/8. Witnesses: James (blank) John Corke, Robert Reeve (X). Proved at Braintree, 10 Oct., 1604, by relict. (Consistory, London. Sperin, 298.)

162. FRENCH, ELYAS, of Little Stambridge, Essex, husbandman, 1 Oct., 1611. To be buried in the Churchyard. To son John £35 at age 21, the said sum to be meanwhile held by John Freeborne of Prittlewell. To Abigail my daughter £30 at age 18 or marriage, the said sum to be meanwhile held by Thomas Burnet of Rochford. Res. & Ex. Wife Bridgitt. Wit: Thomas Burnet, John Freeborne, John Prisly (x). On the 31 Oct., 1612, administration of the above will was granted by William Pasfeild Rector of the Parish Church of Chelmsford,‡ to Edward Jeppe, late the husband of Bridgitt, the Executrix named in the will—she now being also dead. (Consistory, London. Hamer, 141.)

163. FRENCH, THOMAS, the elder of Wethersfield, Essex, gentleman, 23 July, 1599. To poor of Halstead 40/- Ditto of West Wratting Cambridge 20/- Ditto of Snettisham Norfolk £3. Ditto of Much Bardfield 40/- Ditto of Little Bardfield 20/- Ditto of Whethersfield 40/- Ditto of Arkesden 20/-. To my daughter Mary now the wife of John Collin £20, and to her children John, William, Mary and Elizabeth Collin £20 each to be paid them "in the South Porch of the Parish Church of Much Bardfield." To my daughter Elizabeth now the wife of John Meade £20 and to her children Edward, Elizabeth, John and Agnes Meade £20 each to be paid as before. To the children of my son Thomas French (not named) £10 each. To Thomas Girton one of the servants of my said son 10/- To John French son of my son Thomas a silver bowl. To my wife Bridgit £5 and such goods as I had with her and possessed at the time of our marriage. Res. & Ex. son Thomas. Wit: Thomas Reynoldes, William Younge, William Purcas. Proved 31 Oct., 1599 by the Executor named. (P. C. C. Kidd, 73.)

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* This John Beda was sometime Rector of Horndon on the Hill, Essex. He was buried at Stifford, 10 April, 1610, and his will was proved 14 May, 1619.

† "Memorandu that Robert Herd of Stifford did giue unto the poore of Stifford Xs. to be distributed amonge them by his laste will wc. tene shillinges was distributed amonge them the fifte day of ffebruary in the psence of John Beda and Robert Herd and other Ano Regni Jacobi primo 1603." (Entry in Stifford Parish Register.)

‡ Instituted 23 May, 1604.

164. GOLDINGE, EDMOND, minister of Birdbrook, Essex.* 21 Novr. 15 Eliz. Sole Legatee and Executrix Sara "My trewe and lawfull wyef". Supervisor my brother William Golding of Tilbury. Wit: John Mortlacke, Thomas Coo and Wyllyam Fytche. Proved 29 Jan., 1572, by relict. (P. C. C. Peter, 4.)

165. GOLDING, HENRY, of Little Birch, Essex, Esquire. 20 March, 1575. To the poor of the Parish where I happen to be buried 20/- To the poor of Great and Little Birch and Estropp (Eastthorpe) 60/- equally between them. To my wife Alice all my household goods, corn, cattle etc. She to suffer the heirs of John Freelove quietly to enjoy the moiety of the Manor of Harsted, County Suffolk, which I sold to the said John Freelove. Whereas there is owing unto Mary Waldegrave by Nicholas Mynn £400 and by myself £160 my Executor to pay the same to my wife and my cousin William Ayloff to the use of the said Mary and she to be allowed £10 of every hundred towards her living. Mentions that Mr. Robert Waldegrave stands bound to him in a pair of Indentures for the performance of certain covenants touching the said Mary. To my wife for her life in consideration of her dower my Manor of Little Birch and other lands in little and Great Birch Copford Stanway and Layer de la Haye. After her death to my brother Arthur Golding for his life† and after to his son Henry Golding and his heirs. In default of issue to my brother George, in default to my brother Willian and in default to my right heirs for ever. To Elizabeth daughter of Mary Waldegrave £100. To my nephew Thomas Becke £20. The moiety of my Manor of Estropp‡ and Great Birch§ and one tenement in Great Birch which I lately bought of one Waynewright and his wife to descend to my brother Arthur. In consideration of the payment of my debts my executor to have the lease of Campes (which I hold of the Right Hon. the Earl of Oxford) for a term ten years, and the residue of the term to my brother George he to be my executor. Wit: Nycholas Mynne, Thomas Aglionby, John Myners. On the 12 Feb. 1576 George Golding personally appeared and renounced probate. Administration granted to Arthur Golding brother of the deceased. (P. C. C. Daughtry, 8.)

166. HEDGE, HENRY, of Rayleigh, Essex, Husbandman, 21 July, 1596. To the poor 20/- to be distributed by the Parson and Churchwardens. To William Harte the elder £10, now in his hands and a further £3. which William Jackson of Roxwell oweth me. upon a bond. He to pay William Harte his son 20/-. To George Brett all my wearing apparel. Ex. William Hart the elder. Wit: Radul Howghe, Benjamin Burie. Proved 2 Aug., 1596, by Ex. named. (Arch. Essex. Stephen, 177.)

167. KINGE, ANDREW, of Arkesden, Essex, 24 Novr., 1584. To Thomas my son at age 18 twenty shillings and ditto to daughter

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* Instituted 21 Feb., 1571.
† Arthur Golding sold this Manor to John Lord Petre.
‡ Arthur Golding sold this Manor in 1577 to Richard Atkins, gent.
§ Arthur Golding sold this Manor to Edward Ellyott, Esq.

Sarah at similar age. Residue to wife she to be sole Executrix. Wit: John Brownridge, (Vicar) John Lucas, George Hidon alias Yonge. Probate not mentioned. (Arch. Colchester. Root, 271.)

168. KINGE, LETTYS, of Much Leighs, Essex, widow, 10 June, 1584. To be buried in the Churchyard. To William Kinge my son-in-law one year old cow bullock, a kettle of brass of four gallons "wth. an hole betwene the brasse and the bande", a coverlet, a blanket and a pair of canvas sheets. To my daughter Lettice two gowns, a kirtle etc. To Joane Hulke my own brothers daughter a half sleeved gown. A pewter dish to each of my godchildren viz: Mary Bronde, Joane Ingrame and my godson Hulke. Residue equally between son John Kinge and daughter Lettice Kinge. Ex. Thomas Cornishe and my brother John Hulke. Wit: Mr. Fitche, Thomas Cornishe "with others". Proved 7 Novr., 1584, by Ex. named. (Arch. Essex. Draper, 28.)

169. KINGE, WILLIAM, of Harwich, Essex, Mariner, 1 Oct., 1627. To the poor 40/- To my wife Elizabeth the house wherein I dwell and all my household stuff and shipping for her life; after her decease the said house to come to my grandchild William Heard eldest son of John Heard and his heirs. In default to his brother John Heard. My tenement at the Town Gate in Harwich wherein John Hart butcher lately dwelt to my wife for life after to my grandchild John Heard and his heirs. For want of such heirs the said house to come to the Church or Chapel of Harwich for ever the rent to be applied to the repair of the Church. To my goddaughter Mary the daughter of Richard Renoulds 20/- Ex: wife. Wit: Richard Renoulds and Frances Butcher. Proved 11 Feb., 1627, by relict. (P. C. C. Barrington, 10.)

170. MOORE, SAMUEL, Clerk, Parson of the Rectory of Little Oakley, Essex,* 13 Oct., 1605. My body to be buried in the Chancel of the Church of Little Oakley under that grave stone that Sir William Atkins† sometime Parson of the said Church lyeth. To the poor 20/- To my successor the next Incumbent the herbs in my garden one hive or stock of bees the glass locks handles etc. at the Rectory also my book of rates and tithes collected, on condition that he deliver to my Executrix a discharge of all dilapidations. To my brother Nicholas my book of Josephus his Antiquities in English. To my brother Edward my tenement called Milles lying in Walton in the Sooke in the county of Essex on condition that he acquit my Executrix of £30 that I owe him and pay my nephew Samuel son of my brother Enoch £40 at his age of 24. Mentions goods bought of "my sister Anne Hensen when she was the widdowe of Brice Smith." To Margaret my wife and her heirs my cottage and land in Little Oakley called Borroughs als. Bramlies upon condition that she the said Margaret and her son George Wilson release the said tenement called

* Date of presentation not known. He was succeeded by Jeremiah Burgess who was instituted 16 Nov., 1609, "per mort Moore."

† William Atkins, Rector from 1491 to 1515. Will dated 10 Oct., 1515, and proved 15, same month. He desires to be buried in the Chancel and leaves bequest for a window to be made in the south wall of church.

Millers to my brother Edward and pay her goddaughter Sara the daughter of Mr. Branham 40/- and to Sara the daughter of my brother Enoch £5 at her age of 21. Res. & Ex. Margaret my wife. (Witnesses not named.) Proved 12 Feb., 1609, by relict. (Consistory, London. Hamer, 50.)

171. MOTT, GEORGE, of Bradwell juxta, Mare, Essex, Singleman, 20 March, 1583. To the poor 40/-. To the Church 40/-. To my brother William Thorne all legacies and debts bequeathed me to be paid by him. To Gregory London of Tillingham husbandman 10/- and a similar amount to George Sydaye, married. Robert Buttler, singleman, Henry Farrin, Taylor, John Phillipp, Josias Osborne. To my Godson George son of George Maulden 10/-. To my brothers Henry and Richard Mott my wearing apparel. Residue equally between Henry and Richard Mott. William Thorn and Mary George. Ex: William Thorne. Supervisor: John Maulden. Wit: John Maulden, Josias Osborne John Phillip. Proved 15 April, 1584, by executor named. (Arch. Essex. Draper, 55.)

172. MOTTE,* WILLIAM, one of the Aldermen of the Town of Colchester, Essex†, 16 Aprill, 1562. To the poor 40/- To wife Joan a number of household articles twenty loads of wood yearly £6 and a mylche Bullock. Also to her a little more (i. e. moor) I have by lease and a piece of land adjoining same which I bought lying under the Town walls by the Rye Gate for her life. Also to her for her life the house wherein widow Cowbridge dwells. After her decease the said house shall come to my son Robert‡ and his heirs he to pay 40/- to each of my daughters' children at their ages of 21 viz: John, Katherine and (blank) Tytley, Priscilla and Nathaniel Meryll and John Clayton. I give to Thomas Wood £3. To my daughter Dorothy Tytley £5 her husband John Tytley to deliver to my son Robert Mott "a generall release and acquytaunce" of all matters. To John Spisall a lamb. A lamb each to my servants viz: Alice Raynold, John Church, Giles Sewell, Macute Snowe and Russell Pie. To my son-in-law Richard Clayton my scarlet gown. Ex: son Robert and John Pickasse. Res: son Robert Motte. Supervisor: Mr. Robert Lambert§ one

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* The family of Motte was of importance in Colchester for more than three centuries. The following are notes from the early Town Records:

1334 William son of Thomas de la Motte. Free Burgess.
1421 Richard Motte of Bergholt Sackville.
1460 John and Helen Motte.
1461 & 1468 Robert Mott.
1472 & 1481 Richard Mott.
1472 William Mott.
1481 Geoffry Motte.
1534 Richard Mott of Lexden.

† The testator occurs with his wife Joan in various deeds, 1532, etc. He was a Common Councillor in 1538, a Senior Assistant in 1548, an Alderman in 1551, etc. Bailiff in 1551, 1558 and 1559.

‡ He was Bailiff in 1574, 1579 and 1584.

§ Robert Lambert was a stock fishmonger and a Free Burgess in 1542, Common Councillor in 1548, Alderman and Bailiff, 1562, 1568 and 1576. He died in 1592.

A Samuel Mott was Mayor of Colchester in 1686 and 1693. He married Elizabeth Criffield.

of the Aldermen of the Town of Colchester. Wit: Edward Strachie, John Fludd, Nycholas Wilbore, John Evered and John Paynter. Proved 26 Oct., 1562, by Robert Mott. John Pickasse renouncing probate. (Arch. Colchester. Puckell, 75.)

173. Osborne, Richard, of Little Waltham,* Essex, Labourer, 3 Feb., 27 Eliz. My goods and chattels, and the lease of Little Peverells (the house wherein I dwell) and croft adjoining and the lease of Great Peverells I give unto Katherine my wife she to be sole Ex. "trusting that she will be a good mother to all our children" To John and Mary Osborne 13/4. Overseer: my brother Robert Osborne. Wit: Edmonde Griffyne, Thomas Cooke, Elizabeth Griffine, Margaret Tyrry, Joanne Porter, Joan Cooke. Proved 30 March, 1585, by relict. (Arch. Essex. Draper, 106.)

174. Reeve, Giles, of Finchingfield, Essex, Yeoman, 31 May, 1649. To the poor of the Parish of Finchingfield where I was born £5. To my mother Dorothy Reeve £20. To my brother Joseph Reeve and his heirs for ever my cottage in Finchingfield which I late purchased of Luke Bird chapman† and now in the occupation of Thomas Chalis and Daniel Shed. Also to him £10 and wearing apparel. To my brother Thomas Reeve £40. To my kinsman William Chesill who now dwelleth with me £10 at his age of 21. To my servant Anna Wakering 5/-. Res: & Ex; brother John Reeve. Wit: Will. Tym and Thomas Heard. Proved 9 Novr., 1649, by the Executor named. (P. C. C. Fairfax, 154.)

175. Reeve, William, of Colchester, Essex, Clothier, 2 Nov., 1610. To wife Anne my Geneva Bible, household goods, 20 marks in money, a sow "greate with pigg" etc. To son Daniel various articles. To son Nathaniel 20 marks to be paid him on

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* The Parish Register of Little Waltham from its commencement in 1538 to 1585 (which is as yet unpublished), yields the following information about this family:

1540	May 2	Bapt.	Robert son of Richard Osburne.
1542	June 10	"	Anne dau. of " " ye younger.
1544	May 11	"	Colet " " " "
1560	Aug 18	"	John Osborne.
1560	Aug 21	"	Joan Osborne.
1562	Nov 25	"	Marie Osborne.
1562	Jan 5	"	Thomas Osborne.
1563	Nov 5	"	Richard son of Richard Osborne.
1569	Feb 27	"	Em daughter of " "
1547	Oct 30	Mar.	John Sawen & Agnes Osborne.
1554	Nov 4	"	Richard Osborne & Kateren Kynge.
1557	July 24	"	John Osborne & Audre Panett.
1558	Jan 15	"	Thomas Osborne & Annes Barnard.
1559	May 28	"	Edmund Osborne & Agnes Lampson.
1545	June 20	Bur.	Anne dau of Richard Osborne.
1557	Octr 11	"	Richard Osborne.
1557	Octr 14	"	The wife of Richard Osborne.
1559	May 13	"	John Osborne.
1585	Feb 17	"	Richard Osborne.

† A merchant or seller. Shakespeare refers to it:

"Beauty is bought by judgment of the eye
Not uttered by base sale of chapmen's tongues."

Loves, L.L., II, 1.

the first of May next after my death and if my son Nathaniel do not happen to come home by then the money to be delivered to John Badcocke of Colchester Clothier for the use and behoof of my son until he do come home. The said John Badcocke to pay at the rate of eight pounds in the hundred for the use of it and enter into a bond with Mr. John Waylett and Mr. Henry Cleaveland both of Colchester for the true payment of the Legacy. To my son Joseph £20 etc. "Willm. Reeve my nephew and Anne Reeve my neece the children of Willm. Reeve my sonne deceased." To Thomazin Reeve my daughter in law 40/- To Margaret Orums 10/- To Mary May my wifes sister 10/- and to William Cooke clerk 10/-. Res. & Ex my son Daniel. Wit: William Cooke, John Waylett, junior, Robert Wyniffe (X). Proved at Colchester, 4 April, 1611, by the Executor named. (Consistory, London. Hamer, 70.)

176. Terlinge, Thomas, of Bobbingworth, Essex, 17 Feb., 1597 (*sic.*). To be buried in the Churchyard.* To Weston Terlinge my son a cow. Ditto to Ellen Terlinge my daughter. To son Christopher a bullock and to son George a cow. To Thomas Jone† and Christian‡ Terlinge a sheep each. Residue to be equally divided between my said children. Ex: my two sons John (not elsewhere mentioned in will) and Weston. Wit: John Poole, the writer hereof), and Richard Poole.§ Proved 14 March, 1596, by the Ex. named. (Arch. Essex. Stephen, 182.)

177. Woodcocke, John,‖ of Harfordestocke.¶ Essex, 21 April, 1595. To the poor 40/- My copyhold land called Jemes in Margaretting to my wife Clemence** until son John comes to age 21, then to him and his heirs for ever. In default of issue to Thomas Shory my son-in-law and his heirs for ever. Res. & Ex. wife. Overseer: Mr. Thomas Whitebreade. Wit: Robert Hawkens, Edward Wittam William Croxon. Proved 27 May, 1595, by relict. (Arch. Essex. Stephen, 149.)

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* Thomas Terlinge was buried the 16 March, 1596. Jone Terlinge the wife of Thomas Terlinge was buried 11 April, 1596 (this was nearly a year before her husband).

† William Waylett, son of Robert Waylett of North Weald Bassett, and Jone, daughter of Thomas Terlinge of Bobbingworth, mar. 13 Oct., 1588. (Jone was probably the eldest child and Christian the youngest.)

‡ Christian, daughter of Thomas Terlinge, bap. 27 Feb., 1577. Richard Hatche and Christian Terling married 10 Oct., 1608.

There is a number of entries to the Terling family in the Registers, but when I noted all the memorials both in the Church and Churchyard some years ago, I found none extant to the name. It was a place-name as there is a parish called Terling in Essex at the present day.

§ The family of Poole was a large one in this neighborhood and is still flourishing.

‖ Extracts from Parish Register:

1571	July 1	Mar.	John Woodcocke and Alice Wilson.
1583	July 25	Bur.	Alice wife of John Woodcocke.
1589	April 27	Bap.	John son of John Woodcocke.
1595	April 23	Bur.	John Woodcocke.

¶ Now called Stock.

** Apparently his second wife.

(*To be continued.*)

THACHER-THATCHER GENEALOGY.

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GENEALOGICAL RECORD OF ANTONY[2] THACHER, OF YARMOUTH, MASS., AND HIS DESCENDANTS.

3. Antony[2] Thacher (Rev. Peter[1] Thacher, of Queen Camel), born at Queen Camel, Co. Somerset, England, ——, 1588-9; resided at Queen Camel, Eng., Salisbury, Eng., Marblehead (then Salem) Mass., and Yarmouth, Mass.; he was a curate of the Church of England and one of the original grantees of the town of Yarmouth, Mass.; he died at Yarmouth, Mass., between June 30th, 1667, and August 22nd, 1667, and was buried on his own land in Yarmouth. He married, first, at ——; date—— 1619, about; to Mary ——; born at ——; date ——; she died at Salisbury, England, July ——, 1634, and was buried from St. Edmund's Church, Salisbury, July 26th, 1634, and was interred probably in the yard of that church, although no stone marks her grave; her parentage is unknown. He married, second, at ——; February ——, 1635, about six weeks before the date of his sailing for New England, which was on April 5th, 1635, to Elizabeth Jones, born at ——; date ——; died at Yarmouth, Mass., presumably, although we have no record thereof; date of death ——, subsequent to the death of her husband as she was appointed his administratrix; she was presumably buried alongside of her husband. Her parentage is unknown, but she was a sister of Richard Jones, of Dorchester, Mass., who came to this country from Dinder, England, sailing from Waimouth, Eng., March 20th, 1635.

Children eight (Thacher); three sons and two daughters by first marriage; two sons and one daughter by second marriage.

Children by first marriage:

29 i. William,[3] born at ——; date ——, previous to 1620, according to D. W. Allen's Thacher genealogy, p. 32; on what authority he makes the statement I do not know; he came to this country with his father in the *James,* died August 15th, 1635, being drowned in shipwreck on that date, and his body was not recovered. The place of his birth is not a matter of record.

30 ii. Edith,[3], born at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng., probably about February 1st, 1621-2, as it is recorded in the Diocesan transcript of the Queen Camel Parish Register at Wells that she was baptized at Queen Camel by Rev. Peter[1] Thacher, February 7th, 1621-2. She died August 15th, 1635, being drowned in shipwreck on that date and her body was not recovered.

31 iii. Mary,[3] born at ——; date ——; died August 15th, 1635, being drowned in shipwreck on that date; her body was not recovered. The place of her birth is not a matter of record.

32 iv. Peter,[3] born at ——; date ——; died August 15th, 1635, being drowned in shipwreck on that date; his body was not recovered. The place of his birth is not a matter of record.

33 v. Benjamin,[3] born at Salisbury, Eng., on Sunday, April 13th, 1634, "between the hours of one and two o'clock in the morning"; and was baptized at St. Edmund's Church, April 27th, 1634, according to the Parish Register of that Church; he died at Salisbury, Eng., about September 1st, 1639, and was buried from St. Edmund's Church, September 4th, 1639, and was probably interred in the yard of that Church, but no stone marks his grave. This child was left by his father when he left Salisbury to embark for New England in the care of the child's uncle, Rev. Peter [2]Thacher, of St. Edmund's, to whom Antony [2]Thacher agreed to pay £20 for his maintenance, which agreement is mentioned in the will of Rev. Peter[2] Thacher of St. Edmund's (*quod vide*).

Children by second marriage; vi. born at Marblehead (then Salem) Mass.; vii. and viii. probably born at Yarmouth, Mass.

+34 vi. John,[3] born March 17th, 1638-9; died at Yarmouth, Mass., May 8th, 1713; married, first, Rebecca Winslow; married, second, Lydia Gorham.

+35 vii. Judah,[3] born ——; died at Yarmouth, Mass, November 4th, 1676; married Mary Thornton.

+36 viii. Bethia,[3] born——; died probably at Bristol, R. I., on December 19th, 1725; married Jabez Howland.

Antony[2] Thacher was born in Queen Camel in 1588-9. We have no distinct record of his birth there as the parish register of St. Barnabas' Church is not in existence covering that period of time, and the earliest date in the Diocesan transcript of that Register at Wells is 1601. But, as his father, Rev. Peter[1] Thacher, was living then at Queen Camel as Vicar of St. Barnabas we are justified in assuming him to have been born there, especially so as it is recorded in the ordination papers of his brother, Rev.

Peter ^{2}Thacher of St. Edmund's that he, Rev. Peter^{2}, was born in Queen Camel. As Antony^{2} Thacher was curate under his brother, Rev. Peter^{2} at St. Edmund's it has always been justifiably conjectured that he was younger than Rev. Peter^{2}; and it is a matter of early family record that Antony^{2} Thacher died in Yarmouth, Mass., in 1667 aged about 80 years. These facts taken in connection one with another place the date of his birth as 1588-9.

The first absolute record which we have relative to him subsequent to his birth, is the record of the baptism of his daughter Edith^{3}, who, according to the Diocesan transcript of the Queen Camel parish register at Wells, was baptized at Queen Camel by Rev. Peter^{1} Thacher (her grandfather) on February 7th, 1621-2. He probably spent his childhood in Queen Camel, but what was his residence from the time he gained his majority until the year 1621 we do not know. The tradition exists that he was a college graduate, but I have never, after much search, obtained any evidence that such was the case. In 1621 he was 32 years of age and for eleven years had been of man's estate. Where was he during these eleven years? His daughter Edith's baptism in Queen Camel in 1621-2 suggests his residence there at that time; and it has been thought by some, in which view I fully concur, that after reaching man's estate, having prepared for the ministry either under his father or perhaps at college, he was curate under his father at Queen Camel until the latter's death in 1624, and subsequently acted in the same capacity under his brother at St. Edmund's, Salisbury. The exact time of his becoming associated with St. Edmund's is not known. The parish Register of St. Edmund's, No. 2, which covers the period of time previous to 1630, has been missing from the custody of the parish for many years; and it is in this book that probably would appear the record of the date of the first appearance of Antony^{2} Thacher at St. Edmund's. However, in the parish Register No. 3 there appears numerous entries made by him over his signature during the year 1631, 1633 and 1634, after which latter year his name disappears from the Register. I think that shortly after his father's death in 1624 he became curate at St. Edmund's under his brother, Rev. Peter^{2}, who had been installed as rector there in 1622-3.

Who his first wife, Mary ——, was we do not know (See Note 1 following immediately after completion of record of Antony^{2} Thacher), except that her baptismal name was Mary. When and where he married her is not known; nor have we any knowledge of her parentage. D. W. Allen in his Thacher genealogy, p. 32, says that his son, William ^{3}Thacher, was born previous to 1620; but upon what authority he makes the statement I have never discovered; but if the statement is correct then his marriage took place in 1619 or previously. Should the parish register of Queen Camel, covering that period, ever be discovered

(1574-1624) we will probably find therein the record of his birth and possibly that of his marriage, and that of the birth of his child William[3] and possibly that of Mary[3] and Peter[3]. Otherwise these questions must be answered by deductive reasoning rather than by documentary evidence. Record Book No. 3 of St. Edmund's parish dates from January 21st, 1630 Old Style, 1631 New Style; and in that book there are numerous entries of Parish transactions attested to by Antony[2] Thacher over his own signature as curate, amongst which I select the following, viz.:

"1634—April 27th Benjamin, son of Antony and Mary Thacher, borne on Sunday ye 13th day, between the hours of one and two oclocke in the morning, was baptized the 27th day of the same month of April 1634. 1634—July 26th, Mary wife to Anthony Thacher, cleric, was buried."

Shortly after his first wife's death Antony[2] Thacher must have made up his mind to emigrate to New England, for we find that he embarked for New England from Southampton April 5th, 1635, on the ship *James* of London bound for this country. (See Note 2 following immediately after completion of the record of Antony[2] Thacher for complete copy of sailing list of *James* on this trip). From the sailing list of the *James* we see that he is entered thereon as being a "tayler" and that he had with him his servant, Peter Higdon; no mention by name is made of his second wife, Elizabeth Jones, whom he is said to have married six (6) weeks before sailing, nor is mention made of his children by his first wife (William[3], Edith[3], Mary[3] and Peter[3]), who accompanied him, they being included among the wives and children not named, referred to in that list. It is however definitely known that his second wife did accompany him. Nor is mention made on the list of the *James* of his nephew, Thomas[3] Thacher, who also accompanied him on this trip.

1635. February —; i.e., about 6 weeks previous to embarking on the *James,* he married Elizabeth Jones. Where this marriage took place, the parentage of the said Elizabeth Jones and her previous place of residence is not known. She was, however, undoubtedly the sister of Richard Jones of Dinder, England, who came over to this country in March, 1635, sailing from Waimouth, England, March 20th, 1635, and who settled in Dorchester, Mass. (See Note 3 following immediately after the completion of the record of Antony[2] Thacher). Benjamin[3], his youngest son by his first wife, was left behind in England in charge of his brother, Rev. Peter[2] Thacher.

The probable cause of Antony[2] Thacher's emigration was his desire to secure a home free from religious persecution then so prevalent in England; on account of this same religious espionage, he probably styled himself a "tayler" on the passenger list of the "James," when in reality he was, or had been almost up to the time of sailing, a curate of the established English Church at Salisbury. He so styled himself in order to avoid the rigid

scrutiny he would have had to undergo if he had announced himself as formerly a curate of an English Church of pronounced Puritan faith. He may have been a "tayler" by trade, as curates of Puritan faith were many of them in the humble callings of life; but if such was the case, it is positive that in this country he never followed his trade, but was always regarded as a man of literary attainments and occupied a leading and prominent position in the community in which he dwelt. He was also accompanied on this voyage of the *James* by his "cousin," Rev. Joseph Avery, and his wife and children, between whom and Antony[2] Thacher there had been entered into a league of perpetual friendship and an agreement to inhabit the same place. Rev. Joseph Avery's name, however, does not appear on the list of the *James*, and he probably came over under an assumed name to avoid scrutiny, as he was a Puritan priest. William Kemp was also a passenger on this trip of the *James*. This William Kemp was the one who was the first husband of Elizabeth Partridge, who, when she became his widow, married as her second husband Rev. Thomas[3] Thacher of Weymouth, Mass. then (subsequently of old South Church, Boston, Mass.), she being Rev. Thomas[3] Thacher's first wife.

The exact place of landing in New England of the Ship *James*, and the date of such landing does not appear to be agreed upon by the authorities; "Young's Chronicles" states that the ship arrived at Boston, June 3rd, 1635; "Freeman's Cape Cod" states that it arrived at Newbury, Mass., June 4th, 1635, and D. W. Allen's Thacher genealogy states that it arrived at Ipswich, Mass., June 4th, 1635. Wherever the passengers first landed Antony[2] Thacher and family sojourned a short time thereafter in Ipswich, Mass., during which time Rev. Joseph Avery received a call to preach in Marblehead, Mass. (then a part of Salem, Mass.), which call after some deliberation he decided to accept, Antony[2] Thacher and Rev. Joseph Avery and their families having in the meantime removed to Newbury, Mass., with a view to settling there. Rev. Joseph Avery having accepted the call to Marblehead, he and his family of eleven all told, accompanied by Antony[2] Thacher and his wife Elizabeth (Jones) Thacher, and his children by his first wife (William[3], Edith[3], Mary[3] and Peter[3]), went to Ipswich, Mass., and there on April 11th, 1635, embarked for Marblehead.

In the celebrated letter which he wrote to his brother, Rev. Peter[2] Thacher of Salisbury, England, after the shipwreck which terminated this voyage, Antony[2] Thacher states that his family consisted of seven (7) souls: himself, wife and four children make but six; who the 7th one of the party was is not clear to me. If the 7th was his servant, Peter Higdon, mentioned in the sailing list of *James*, then according to the letter written after the wreck, he, Peter Higdon, was drowned; as the only survivors of the wreck were Antony[2] Thacher and

his wife. I do not myself think that Peter Higdon accompanied him on this voyage, but do think that Peter Higdon, who was in reality, according to my views, Peter[3] Thacher (son of Rev. Peter[2] Thacher of Salisbury) accompanied his brother Thomas[3] Thacher on his overland trip to Marblehead. Antony[2] Thacher's nephew, Thomas[3] Thacher, was impressed with a sentiment of evil foreboding as regards this voyage, and determined to make the journey overland despite the danger attendant thereupon from hostile Indians. The party embarked from Ipswich for Marblehead on the date above stated in a pinnace belonging to Mr. Isaac Allerton; and the vessel was wrecked on August 15th, 1635, and all on board were lost except Antony[2] Thacher and his second wife, Elizabeth (Jones) Thacher. The fact that it is recorded that all on board were lost except Antony[2] and his wife leads me to conclude that Peter Higdon did not accompany them on this voyage as before stated. It seems to me that this Peter Higdon was in reality Antony[2] Thacher's nephew, Peter[3] Thacher, who subsequently appears in 1641 and 1642 in Marblehead as under the care of Antony[2] Thacher. If this is so then the 7th member of Antony[2] Thacher's family who accompanied him on this voyage was some person of unknown name to us, probably some retainer of his household. The entire episode of the wreck so frequently referred to by early New England chronicles is best set forth in Antony[2]'s letter to his brother, Peter[2] Thacher, written a few days after his rescue from the island on which he was cast after the wreck, which island has since been known as Thacher's Island. The storm which occasioned the wreck was a most memorable one, during which the tide rose some 20 feet; and it was said to have been the most terrific storm within the memory of the native Indians thereabouts. For a copy of this letter of Antony[2] Thacher, see Note No. 4, to follow immediately after completion of Record of Antony[2] Thacher.

A cradle coverlet of scarlet broadcloth originally trimmed with gold lace (which lace souvenir hunters have entirely picked off), said to have been originally the property of Antony[2] Thacher, and to have been rescued by him from the shipwreck, was still in 1872 in the possession of one of Antony[2] Thacher's descendants in Yarmouth, Mass., and was held by the family in great veneration, and has been used by the family for many generations as a ceremonial covering for their children at their baptisms.

From the letter of Antony[2] Thacher written after the shipwreck we see that when rescued from "Thacher's Island" he was taken to Marblehead, Mass. Colony, and there it will be seen from the following evidence he remained some time. Marblehead was not set off from Salem as a separate town until the year 1649; so while residing in that place, he was in reality an inhabitant of Salem, Mass., of which town the territory subsequently set off as Marblehead then formed a part, viz:—

"Att the Court holden at New Towne, September 1st, 1635.

"There is administration granted to Mr. Antony Thacher of the goods and Chattells of Mr. Joseph Avery, deceased, which he is to inventory and return the same to the next Court; and the said goods are to remain in his hands until further order be taken therein.

"An Inventory of the Goods and Chattells of Joseph Avery, deceased.

"Due to him from John Emery, Carpenter	£7. 0sh 0d
"Item: From Robert Andrews of Ipswich which he confesseth to be due and to be paid forth with	£2. 0. 0
"Item: From Mr. Wm. Hilton	£2. 16. 0
Or a sowe and piggs to that value *testis* Richard Hunt.	
From Richard Kent of Ipswich 10 bushels of Indian corn which he acknowledges.	

"John Emery denys his debt; but Richard Knight. Nicholas Holle and John Knight, all three of Newbery can and will testify and prove it to be due; only he was by condicion to pay the said £7 in his work, which he was to do so soon as Mr. Avery did call upon him for it; out of which £7, there is something paid in labor already, as he can make appeare.

per me *Antony Thacher*"

It is well here to note that Antony[2] Thacher always in signing his name spelt Antony without the "h." This was probably due to the fact that as curate in the English Church he was in the habit of writing in Latin, as the church records in those days were in the majority of instances written in that language, they going so far even as to use the Latin forms of English baptismal names; and hence from writing his name Antonius (in Latin) he acquired the custom of writing it Antony in English, instead of Anthony, the more commonly accepted English form of the name. Whether my surmise is correct or not, "Antony" he was and not "Anthony" as he was so often styled by the contemporaneous records and writers of his time.

"September 3rd, 1635. Att the General Court houlden at New Towne.

It is ordered that there shall be fforty markes given to Mr. Thacher out of the Treasury towards his late great losses."

In Governor Winthrop's History of New England, he states that the General Court awarded Mr. Thacher £26, 13sh, 4d towards his losses; and divers good people gave him besides.

In a list of first settlers of Salem, Mass., Antony[2] Thacher is named as being of that place in 1635.

1636-7: "At a General Court houlden at Boston, 1st month, 9th day, 1636-7, Mr. Antony[2] Thacher had granted him the small island at the head of Cape Ann upon which he was preserved from shipwreck, as his proper inheritance."

1637-8: On the first day of January, 1637 (1637-8) a meeting was held at Salem, Mass., and a vote of £100 was ordered, of which £8 were to be assessed upon the following inhabitants of Marblehead:

* * * 20 (acres) Anthonie Thatcher. * * * The figures preceeding the name of Antony[2] Thacher, as well as those preceeding all other names, represented the number of acres held by each inhabitant, upon which acreage the proportionate amount of the tax was assessed.

It is stated by some of the early authorities that Antony[2] Thacher spent some time in Marshfield, as an inhabitant of that town, previous to his permanent settlement in Yarmouth, Mass.; but I have been unable to trace any such residence there, or to discover any foundation in documentary evidence to substantiate such statement, which I am inclined to think was an unfounded report.

1638: At a General Court held at Plymouth, Plymouth Colony, December 18th, 1638.

"Mr. John Crow, Mr. Thomas Howes of Mattacheese, alias Yarmouth, took oath of allegiance to the Kinge and fidelity to government; and likewise Mr. Anthony Thacher took the same on the 7th day of January, 1638-9." This record above probably fixes the date upon which Antony[2] Thacher first became associated with Yarmouth.

"At a Court of Assistants held (at Plymouth) the vii of January in the xiiij yeare of the reigne of our Souvraigne Lord Charles, by the Grace of God, of England, Scotland and France, and Ireland, King, defender of the faith, etc. * * *

The names of those to whom the grant of land at Mattacheeset now called Yarmouth is made.	Mr. Anthony Thacher, Mr. Thomas Howes, Mr. John Crow, Mr. John Coite, to be enquired of
The names of those that are proposed to take up their freedom at Yarmouth	Mr. Madrick Matthews, Mr. Anthony Thacher, Mr. John Crowe, Mr. Thomas Howes, and others.

At a General Court at Plymouth, March 5, 1638-9. "It is ordered by the Court that Mr. Nicholas Sympkins, William Palmer, Philip Tabor, and Joshua Barnes, of the town of Yarmouth, shall be added to Mr. Anthony Thacher, Mr. Thomas Howes and Mr. John Crowe, committee of the said place, to make an equal division of the planting lands now to be divided for the first time there, to each in and according to his estate and quality and according to instructions."

John[3] Thacher, eldest child of Antony[2] Thacher and Elizabeth Jones, his second wife, was born at Marblehead, Massachusetts Colony, March 17, 1638-9.

1639. The following record of Court proceedings at Salem, Mass. Colony, together with the preceding record of the birth of John[3] Thacher at Marblehead, Mass., in same Colony, show that Antony[2] Thacher was at these dates occupied in transferring his interests from Marblehead, Mass. Colony to Yarmouth, Plymouth Colony; and that although he himself was already a large land owner of Yarmouth, he had as yet not transferred his family and made his permanent home there.

"Att Salem, 25th of the 4th month, 1639, ye 13th Courte. A complaint brought in by Mr. Anthonie Thatcher against Jane James for things taken forth of his house wch she had received. Wherefore Jane James is bound in recognizance in the some of 3li (shillings) to answer to this Court this tyme twelve months. The boys to be whipped by the Governor of the ffamilie where he had offended."

From the above official records we see that Antony[2] Thacher was one of the original grantees of Yarmouth; and from the precedence given his name in these records it is to be inferred was the most important of the three original grantees. He was one of the first settlers of that town, and established his house and dwelling there late in 1639, on the border of the meadows in the Northwest part of the village. The exact spot on which his homestead stood was a little knoll about midway between the residence (in 1872) of Mrs. James G. Hallett and that of Mr. Dustin Eldridge at Yarmouth Port, Mass.

At a General Court at Plymouth, Dec. 3rd, 1639. Anthony[2] Thacher admitted freeman and sworn accordingly.

1639-40. At a General Court at Plymouth, March 3rd, 1639-40. "Where as Mr. Thacher, Mr. Crow and Mr. Howes, the committees of Yarmouth, were complained of to have made unequal division of lands there; whereupon the said committee have exhibited a very formal division of said lands unto the Court which is well approved of. And the court doth further order that the said committee shall receive no more inhabitants into the said towne, except they bring certificates from the places whence they came under sufficient men's hands of the said places of their religious and honest character; which certificate shall be first allowed by the Governor and Assistants before such persons shall be admitted there."

In 1639 Antony[2] Thacher became Town Clerk and Town Treasurer of Yarmouth, Mass., and he remained in such capacity until his death in 1667, when he was succeeded by Mr. Edmund Hawes.

1641. General Court at Yarmouth June 17th, 1641. "Settlement of land controversy between Mr. Anthony Thacher, Mr. Nicholas Sympkins and William Chase."

Quarter Court at Salem, Mass., 1-12mo, 1641. "Peter Thatcher haled before Court for running away from Antony Thacher."

1641-2. Record of Quarter Court of Assistants at Boston, Mass., 1st of 1st month, 1641-2 (See Vol. I., p. 118, on file in N. Y. G and B. Soc. Library). "Peter Thatcher, for plotting piracy, was committed, and to be whipt; Matthew Collaine, Robert Allen and another to be whipped for concealing plot of piracy."

These two preceding records are those upon which I base my surmise that the above mentioned Peter Thacher was Peter[3] Thacher, son of Rev. Peter[2] Thacher, of St. Edmund's, Salisbury, Eng., and a nephew of Antony[2] Thacher; and that he, the above Peter[3] Thacher, had accompanied his uncle, Antony[2] Thacher, to New England as his apprentice, and whose apprenticeship was at the above date probably expired, as he was probably born in 1616, and was hence about 25 years of age. Peter[3] Thacher had also probably by this time received the money left him by his father in his will, from the hands of Antony[2] Thacher and his maternal step-uncle, Christopher Batt, and he was in all liklihood very unruly and difficult to control.

1642. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 7th, 1642. "Mr. Anthony Thacher sworn in as a member of the Grand Inquest."

General Court at Plymouth, September 27th, 1642. "Mr. Anthony Thacher appointed by Court one of the Council of War. Anthony Thacher on list of freemen of Yarmouth and one of a list of those liable to bear arms in town of Yarmouth."

1643. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 6th, 1643. "Mr. Anthony Thacher elected deputy to General Court from Yarmouth."

General Court at Plymouth, October 10th, 1643. "Mr. Anthony Thacher present as deputy from Yarmouth. He was appointed one of the committee to provide a place of defense for the towne of Yarmouth against sudden assault."

1643-4. General Court at Plymouth, March 5th, 1643-4. "Mr. Anthony Thacher present as deputy from Yarmouth."

1644. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 5th, 1644. "Mr. Anthony Thacher elected deputy to General Court from Yarmouth, and appointed by Court Surveyor of Highways for the town of Yarmouth; and also licensed by Court to draw wine in Yarmouth."

General Court of Plymouth, August 20th, 1644. "Mr. Anthony Thacher present as deputy from Yarmouth, and appointed by the Court one of a committee of three to lay out farm land granted to a Nathaniel Sowther."

1645. General Court at Plymouth, June 4th, 1645. "Mr. Anthony Thacher appointed on committee to prepare laws to overcome certain abuses."

General Court at Plymouth, October 20th, 1645. "Mr. Anthony Thacher present as deputy from Yarmouth."

1645-6. General Court at Plymouth, March 3rd, 1645-6. "Mr. Anthony Thacher present as deputy from Yarmouth."

1646. General Court at Plymouth, July 7th, 1646. "Edward Sturgis licensed by Court to keep an ordinary and draw wine in Yarmouth, provided Mr. Thacher draws out his." 'Repealed 20-8, 1646.' 'Mr. Anthony Thacher fined 6d for absense from Court.'"

1646-7. General Court at Plymouth, March 2nd, 1646-7. "Mr. Anthony Thacher being returned at the Court Register Keeper for Yarmouth was approved by ye Court."

1647. General Court at Plymouth, June 1st, 1647. "Mr. Anthony Thacher present as deputy from Yarmouth, and he was granted £20 by Court for public services."

1648. General Court at Plymouth, June 7th, 1648. "Mr. Anthony Thacher awarded 110 acres upland and 26 acres of meadow land by the Court as his allotment for discovering, purchasing and other charges in the settlement of Yarmouth."

This allotment was a slight modification of the award made to him by the original committee of which he was one; the modification being due to the complaint made by some that his allotment in the original division was excessive. The decision of the Court here recorded seems to have been a virtual upholding of Mr. Thacher's original award, as the modification was but slight.

1651. General Court at Plymouth, June 5, 1651. "Mr. Anthony Thacher, present as deputy from Yarmouth and appointed by Court to try certain Indians on complaint made by Richard Sears."

1652. February 24th. "Mr. Anthony Thacher one of the jurors appointed by Court to lay out a highway from Sandwich to Plymouth."

General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 7, 1652. "Mr. Anthony Thacher elected deputy to represent Yarmouth."

General Court, Plymouth, June 29th, 1652. "Mr. Anthony Thacher is allowed and appointed by the Court to administer the ordinance of marriage at Yarmouth as occasion may require."

1653. General Court of Election, Plymouth, June 7th, 1653. "Mr. Thacher one of the Surveyors of the Highway for Yarmouth."

1653-4. General Court at Plymouth, March 7th, 1653-4. "Mr. Anthony Thacher present as deputy from Yarmouth."

1654. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 6th, 1654. "Mr. Anthony Thacher sworn as a member of the Grand Inquest."

General Court at Plymouth, June 20th, 1654. "Mr. Anthony Thacher one of the Jurors for to lay out the convenientest way from Sandwich unto Plymouth, which Jurors were sworn before Mr. Prence (Governor). February 24th, 1652. Jurors submit plan for said way to the above Court, June 20th, 1654."

General Court at Plymouth, August 1st, 1654. "Mr. Anthony Thacher present as deputy from Yarmouth. Mr. Anthony Thacher, Mr. Josias Winslow and Mr. Thomas Kingsley submit

to the above court a report of the accounts of the Treasurer (of the Colony) as audited by them."

1656-7. General Court at Plymouth, March 5, 1656-7. "A warrant was directed from the Court unto Mr. Anthony Thacher of Yarmouth, to require him personally to appear at the Court of Assistants to be holden in May next to make answer to a complaint of Janna an Indian Sachem, concerning some land formerly belonging to him in the liberties of Yarmouth, which was purchased of him by Mr. Thacher and Mr. Howes, and, as he saith, unpaid for."

1657. General Court at Plymouth, June 3rd, 1657. "I, Anthony Thacher doe testify that Captain Standish accepted of one cow of Barnard Lumbard in the summe of five pounds, which cow the said Barnard Lumbard promised to winter, and the Captain promised to allow him for it. This I can testify upon oath, and if I be called upon shall be reddy to doe it.

(sgd) Anthony Thacher."

The signature as given here above is copied from the printed record. His baptismal name it will be here noted is spelled Anthony and not Antony. I have never seen the original manuscript record; but am under the impression that in this original from which the printed copy was taken the name appears as *Antony* and the "h" was introduced by error on account of *Anthony* being the commonly accepted form of spelling. This may be, however, but an unjustified conjecture on my part, if it is so spelled in the original manuscript record, it is the only case of his so spelling his baptismal name that I am aware of.

In the year 1657, Mr. Anthony Thacher's name is on list of those in Yarmouth that had taken the oath of fidelity.

1657-8. General Court at Plymouth, March 2nd, 1657-8. "Mr. Anthony Thacher one of a committee summoned to appear before the Court to transact certain business."

1658. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 1st, 1658. "Mr. Anthony Thacher sworn in as constable of Yarmouth. Mr. Anthony Thacher chosen as one of the Council of War. Mr. Anthony Thacher on a list of freemen of Yarmouth taken about 1658."

General Court at Plymouth, June 5th, 1658. "Mr. Anthony Thacher is required by the Court in settlement of the Indian Sachem Janna's claim to pay 20^{sh} as his share of the matter; this decision to be final. This being the conclusion arrived at by Mr. John Alden and Mr. Josias Winslow appointed by the Court to settle the matter; they having heard the case May 14th 1658 and reported to the above Court."

1658-9. General Court at Plymouth, March 1st, 1658-9. "Mr. Anthony Thacher one of a committee appointed by Court to levy on inhabitants of Yarmouth to raise £40 or £50 a year to support a minister."

1659. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 7th, 1659. "Mr. Anthony Thacher elected deputy to represent Yarmouth."

General Court of Plymouth, October 6th, 1659. "Mr. Anthony Thacher one of the Coroner's Jury to hold inquest on the death of Mary Chase of Yarmouth."

1660-61. General Court at Plymouth, March 5th, 1660-61. "Mr. Anthony Thacher, Mr. Thomas Howes, appointed a committee by Court to see that no more houses are erected at Yarmouth except by permission of the Court."

1661-62. General Court at Plymouth, March 4th, 1661-62. "The agents for the town of Yarmouth appearing at this Court according to agreement to debate and determine a difference between them and others about whales, were desired by the Court to give their result concerning the matter unto the Court as being that whereunto they could stand, who gave in their answer as followeth:

"The sixt of the first month $\frac{61}{62}$

Right Wor^{sh}. We intreat your worshipes reddily to accept these few lines for a positive answer to which we promise to stand; that the Treasurer shall have two barrels of oyle out of each whale according to his proposition made unto us for the year past, soe as there may be a full end of what troubles hath formerly past about it."

(sgd) Antony Thacher,
Robert Denis,
witness our hands Thomas Boardman,
Richard Taylor."

1662. General Court at Plymouth, June 3rd, 1662. "Mr. Anthony Thacher sworn as member of the Grand Inquest."

General Court at Plymouth, June 10, 1662. "Mr. Anthony Thacher appointed one of the two excise officers of Yarmouth to take invoice of what liquors, powder, shot and lead are brought into the government of Yarmouth, and is ordered to report same to General Court each year."

General Court at Plymouth, October 3rd, 1662. "Mr. Anthony Thacher submits to Court invoice of Liquors brought into town of Yarmouth from June last to September 26th, 1662."

1663. General Court at Plymouth, June 1st, 1663. "Mr. Anthony Thacher present as deputy from Yarmouth."

1663-4. General Court at Plymouth, March 1st, 1663-4. "Mr. Anthony Thacher and Mr. Robert Denis submit invoice of liquor, powder and shot introduced into Yarmouth since May 1663." "Item:—Mr. Thacher, 3 cases," (whether liquor or powder or shot does not appear).

1665. General Court at Plymouth, June 7th, 1665. "Mr. Anthony Thacher present as deputy from Yarmouth. Court grants Mr. Anthony Thacher an equal share with certain others of certain lands obtained by one William Nicaison at Mannamoisett from natives illegally, without consent of the Court, leaving only 100 acres to said Nicaison."

General Court at Plymouth, June 9th, 1665. "Final award of the Court in awarding land in the Nicaison controversy to Mr. Thacher and others."

General Court at Plymouth, October 3rd, 1665. "Mr. Anthony Thacher is authorized by the Court to make contracts of marriage in the township of Yarmouth, and likewise to administer an oath to any witness for the tryall of a case as occasion may require within said township, and likewise to administer an oath to give evidence to the grand inquest as there shall be occasion within the said township."

"Mr. Anthony Thacher appointed an excise officer to recommend excise on liquor for the year at Yarmouth."

1665-6. General Court at Plymouth, March 6th, 1665-6. "Thomas Starr, Jonathan Barnes and Abraham Hedge were fined by Court for abusive carriage towards Mr. Anthony Thacher in his own house."

"Mr. Anthony Thacher's name on the list of select men of the town of Yarmouth approved by the Court." This is the first mention of these officers by the Court; they were elected by the townsmen.

1666. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 5, 1666. "Mr. Anthony Thacher's name first on the list of select men for Yarmouth approved by the Court." They were elected by the freemen of the town to try cases involving not more than 40 shillings.

1667. Council of War at Plymouth, April 2nd, 1667. "Mr. Anthony Thacher a member of the Council; and he was appointed the one to act for Yarmouth to concert with military officers there situated for the good of the Government."

General Court at Plymouth, June 5, 1667. "Mr. Anthony Thacher as excise officer brings in report to the Court of liquor brought into Yarmouth for the year past." This invoice includes items up to the first week in June, 1667. He must, therefore, have been alive at that time.

In Swift's "Old Yarmouth," between pp. 90-91, is to be found a fac simile of a document drawn up and signed by Antony Thacher dated April 4th, 1667. The original of a valuable document dated June 30th, 1667, and signed by Antony Thacher was at the time of the publication (1872) of D. W. Allen's "Thacher Genealogy" in the possession of H. C. Thacher, Esq., of Boston, Mass.

According to D. W. Allen's "Thacher Genealogy," an inventory of his estate was taken August 22nd, 1667. Freeman's "History of Cape Cod" says that he died August 22nd, 1667. These two statements are consistent, as inventories of deceased individuals' estates were frequently taken immediately after death and before funeral of the deceased. From what we have of record, however, we know that he died between June 30th, 1667, and August 22nd, 1667, as we have a document signed by him June 30th, 1667, and this inventory was taken August 22nd, 1667.

Court of Assistants at Plymouth, October 30th, 1667. "Letters of administration were granted by the Court to John[3] Thacher (his eldest son) to administer on the estate of Mr. Anthony Thacher, deceased."

From the above record we see that he died intestate.

1667-8. Court of Assistants at Plymouth, March 5th, 1667-8. "Letters of administration were granted to Mistress Elizabeth Thacher and unto John[3] Thacher to administer the estate of Mr. Anthony Thacher, deceased."

From which we have recorded evidence that his second wife, Elizabeth (Jones) Thacher, survived him.

In Volume VII. of the Plymouth Colony Records the name of Mr. Anthony Thacher appears in various court proceedings, sometimes as juror and again as party to a suit. None of these records are of any material interest and hence are not quoted.

Antony[2] Thacher was buried on his own land in Yarmouth, not far from the marsh, by a little button pear tree situated near said marsh; which pear tree is said to have been planted by his own hands, and which Alden in his "Epitaphs" states was standing in 1814. Swift in his "Old Yarmouth" states that the tree was standing in 1884. The general location of his resting place is therefore known; but the identical spot is unknown, as his grave is not now, nor, as far as my knowledge extends, has ever been marked by a grave stone. When and where Elizabeth (Jones) Thacher, widow of Antony[2] Thacher, died and was buried is not a matter of record, but it is almost a certainty that she died in Yarmouth subsequent to 1667-8 and was buried there beside her deceased husband. Descendants of Anthony[2] Thatcher are eligible for membership in the Society of Colonial Wars and the Society of Founders and Patriots and in the Order of Americans of Armorial Ancestry.

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NOTES REFERRING TO THE RECORD OF ANTONY[2] THACHER

NOTE 1: Concerning Antony[2] Thacher and his first wife, Mary ——. Attention is here called to the two following wills of Clement and Thomas Thatcher, which wills were copied from the *New England Historic Genealogical Register*, January, 1893, in an article entitled Genealogical Gleanings in England, by Henry F. Waters, pp. 131, 132. The original of these wills are on file in the principal Registry of the Probate, Divorce and Admirality Division of the High Court of Justice, in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, England.

THOMAS THATCHER of Beckington, Somerset, 8 January, 1610, proved 13 June, 1611. To certain poor persons in the parish of Beckington, whom I particularly named to my executrix twenty shillings, to be divided to the said poor persons by the discretion of my overseers. For the better relieving of my uncle John Thatcher my executrix shall deliver into the hands of my brother Clement Thatcher a cow which now is in the custody of my brother-in-law Robert Keenell that, by the discretion of my brother Clement, she may be employed to the use of my said uncle during his natural life, and after his decease the said cow to remain to the use of his children. My executrix shall, in like manner, deliver into the hands of my brother Clement, one other cow, color black, for the better relieving of my aunt Elizabeth Thatcher, the use of it to her for life, and then to remain to the use of my said uncle John's children. To William Hillman twenty shillings. To Thomas Griffin ten shillings. To Thomas Bembury ten shillings. To my maidservant Mary Wattes twenty shillings. To Hester Thatcher, my brother William's daughter, one flock bed and one bolster, and one sheep. To Ezra Thatcher, my brother William's son, one sheep. A conditional bequest to John Gallington son of brother-in-law John Gallington.

Item, my will is that if my brother Anthony Thatcher (who is now in the "separation") do join in the profession of true religion with any true church, that then my executrix within one whole year after he shall so have joined himself, either with the reformed Dutch Church, in which country he now liveth, or shall return into England and join with us, shall pay unto my said brother five pounds, which in token of brotherly affection, I give unto him. The rest of my goods I give to Anne my wife whom I make executrix, and make my friend Toby Walkwood and brother Clement Thatcher overseers. (Wood 60.)

CLEMENT THATCHER of Merston Bigot, Somerset, yeoman, 13 January, 1629, proved 4 May, 1639. I give to the Church of Froome and Merston six shillings eight pence, to be equally divided, and to the poor of Froome five shillings and to the poor of Merston five shillings. To my son Clement forty pounds, to be in the custody of Bridget my wife until he comes of the age of one and twenty, she, the said Bridget continuing in my name, and not otherwise, it then to be ordered and disposed by my overseers. I give unto Thomas my son twenty pounds and to Hannah my daughter twenty pounds and to Mary and Joane my daughters twenty pounds apiece. To William Thatcher my kinsman five pounds and to his sisters Alice and Jane forty shillings apiece. To Thomas Thatcher my kinsman Hatton twenty shillings. To all my God children an ewe and a lamb, or six shillings eight pence in money, at the discretion of my executor. To my brother Gallington's children an ewe and a lamb apiece and to my brother William Thatcher's children an ewe and a lamb apiece, and to my brother Anthony, which is beyond sea, forty shillings, and to his two children ten shillings apiece. To Thomas my son my chattel lease of the house in the field and five acres of ground thereunto belonging. Two other chattel leases in Filton and Mr. Cable's land, that which was lately in the tenure of Elizabeth Hipstonn, shall remain to Clement my son, &c. Wife Bridget to be executrix and brother William Thatcher and brother John Gallington overseers. (Harvey, 92.)

Genealogists in the past have labored under the impression that the Anthony Thatcher mentioned in the two wills given above was identical with Antony[2] Thacher whose daughter Edith[3] Thacher was baptized at Queen Camel, February 7th, 1621, and which Antony[2] Thacher was subsequently curate under his brother Rev. Peter[2] Thacher at St. Edmund's, Salisbury, and who subsequently in 1635 emigrated to New England and there died in in 1667 aged about 80 years. This identity is proven to be incorrect for the following reasons, viz :—

From the Register of the Parish of Frome, Somerset County, England, Vol. I, 1558 to 1703, under the head of baptisms we obtain the following extracts, viz :—

1568, May 15, Anthonius Thatcher was baptized
1571, March 2, Clemens Thatcher was baptized
1574, August 1, William Thatcher was baptized
1575, February 25, Thomas Thatcher was baptized
1577, March 2, Elizabeth Thatcher was baptized

A careful reading of the above wills leads to the opinion that the above children whose baptizms are here recorded are all brothers and sisters, and are the brothers specifically mentioned in these wills ; the Elizabeth, baptized March 2nd, 1577, being undoubtedly the Elizabeth Hipstonn mentioned in the will of Clement Thatcher.

In the licenses to pass beyond the sea (in times of Queen Elizabeth to Charles 1) in the Public Record Office in Fetter Lane, London, is to be found the following entry, viz :—

"*Primo die Octobris*, 1631 Anthony Thatcher of age 65 years and dwelling in Leyden, *et uxor* Clarey Thatcher 38."

Notice the age of this Anthony Thatcher, 65 years old in 1631 ; hence he was born in 1566 according to this entry. It is most probable that this entry was not absolutely correct as to his age, but merely approximate. Anthony Thatcher of Frome was baptized May 15, 1568 and on October 1st, 1631, would have been at least 63 years, 4 months and 16 days old, on the supposition that he was born a few days before baptizm. In those days it was customary to baptize very shortly after birth, but exceptions frequently occurred to this rule and Anthony Thatcher of Frome may have been a year and a half old at baptism, May 15, 1568 which would make him 65 years old, October 1st, 1631. It is also possible that the original entry of the license may have read aged 63, as the 3 and 5 is often confused in transcription. Whichever of these two hypotheses is correct it is undoubtedly true that Anthony Thacher baptized May 1st 1568, at Frome and the Anthony Thatcher mentioned in the two preceding wills, and subsequently granted a license to pass beyond the sea in 1631, are one and the same person and that in 1631 he had a wife named Claree.

This Anthony Thatcher of Frome, and later of Leyden, died previous to April 9th, 1656, as is seen by the following abstract of his widow's will taken from Vol. 47, pp. 421, 422 of the *New England Historic-Genealogical Register* which is as follows :—

Claree Thatcher of Woolsack aller, in Hounsditch St. Buttolph's without Aldgate, London, widow, makes her will April 9th, 1656, which will was proved April 19th, 1656, and mentions as follows :"

"To my loving sister Mary Langham, wife of Richard Langham twenty gilders sterling money. To my loving friend and brother in the faith Anthony Trayford, five pounds of lawful money of England. To my nurse Margery Beale forty shillings. To Eleanor Shilcock twenty shillings. To my daughter Sarah Hancocke, wife of Robert Hancocke of Amsterdam, silk dyer, the sum of five shilling and no more. All of which legacies my desire is shall be paid unto the several and respective legatees aforesaid within six (6) months next after the death or departure of this mortal life of me the said Claree Thatcher, I give, will and bequeath unto Mary Moody, daughter of James Moody of Stepney, mariner, a debt of forty shillings, due unto me from her said father. All the rest and residue of my goods, etc. to my loving son Humble Thatcher whom I ordain and make sole executor, etc. Witness, Ralph Grafton, William Cock, John Butler, Scr."

From all of the above we see that the Anthony Thatcher mentioned in the wills of Clement and Thomas Thatcher given above, and Anthony Thatcher

baptized at Frome, May 15, 1568, and subsequently of Leyden were one and the same person ; and that this Anthony Thatcher in 1631 had a wife Claree ; that Anthony Thatcher died before April 9th, 1656, and was survived by his widow Claree who on that date was living in London, England.

Mr. H. F. Waters from whose *Genealogical Gleanings in England* we obtained the above wills of Thomas, Clement and Claree Thatcher, says in a note thereunder :—

"I would suggest that the testatrix of the above will (Claree Thatcher) was the widow of Anthony Thatcher referred to by his brother Thomas as in the separation" (see above will of Thomas Thatcher). The rather odd name of Clarey (Claree); the bequest of "twenty gilders ;" the reference to a friend as a brother in the faith," and to a "son-in-law of Amsterdam" all seem to show this."

Antony[2] Thacher (brother of Rev. Peter[2] Thacher of St. Edmunds') was born in 1588-9, as we have shown in his individual record. In 1631 he was married to one Mary —— , who died at Salisbury and was buried there July 20th, 1634 and he married a 2nd time to Elizabeth Jones sometime in February, 1635, and he died in Yarmouth, Mass., in 1667 aged about 80 years. Hence we see conclusively that he could not have been identical with the Anthony Thatcher mentioned in the wills of Thomas and Clement Thatcher here above given.

From English Records we obtain the following viz : (See London Marriage Licenses ; also see Waters's *Gen. Gleanings in England*) "March 18, 1618–19. Ralphe Brace of St. Bride's, merchant tailor, allegeth that Anthony Thatcher of St. Catherine's near the tower, shoemaker, a bachelor, aged about 23, and a freeman, at his own government, intends marriage with Mary Clarke of St. Saviors, Southwark, maiden, about 21, daughter of —— Clarke, husbandman, deceased long since; she now a servant with Mrs. Roberts widow. Then appeared Henry Flint of St. Giles, Cripplegate, tailor, and testifieth, etc., etc., at St. Bennet's, Pauls Wharf;" which is a marriage allegation or notice of intention. And again from Marriage Licenses, London, England, we have: Anthony Thatcher of St. Catherine's by the Tower, London, shoemaker and Mary Clarke of St. Saviour, Southwark, Co., Surrey, Spinster, daughter of —— Clarke deceased, to marry at St. Bennet, Paul's Wharf, London, 18 March, 16, 18–19." And again from the Stepney Parish Register we have the following, viz:—

"1621, April. Richard sonne of Anthony Thacher of St. Dunstan's in the West, London, yeoman. and Mary His wife, borne in the house of William Ffishburn of Ratcliffe highway, victualler, baptized the thirteenth (13th) day, being at that tyme fower dayes old." (See Vol. 2 of Baptizms.)

And again from the Register of St. Paul's Convent Garden, London, England published by the Harleian Society, we have the following, viz:— (See Vol. II, p. 164.)

"October 30th, 1797. Anthony, son of Richard and Ann Thatcher was baptized.

(Signed) Richard Ballock, *Rector.*
Thomas Bourdillon } Witnesses."
J. Lloyd }

As a result of the discovery of the above quoted marriage allegation and licence granted to Anthony Thatcher and Mary Clarke, it has been suggested by many that this Anthony Thatcher was identical with Antony[2] Thacher of St. Edmund's and subsequently of Yarmouth, Mass. This suggestion on the face of it seems plausible on account of the christian name of the wife Mary Clarke, *i. e.* Mary which was the christian name of the first wife of Antony[2] Thacher of St. Edmund's and Yarmouth; the liklihood of the two being identical is rendered possible by the date of the license 1618–19 which in no way conflicts with the possible date of marriage of Antony[2] Thacher of St. Edmund's and Yarmouth and the known date of birth of his daughter Edith who was baptized at Queen Camel, Feb. 7th, 1621-2; and still further the record of baptism of Richard Thatcher son of the above Anthony Thatcher and Mary ——(Clarke?) April 13th, 1621 (born April 9th, 1621), is not inconsistent with such identity, as this child was baptized some ten (10) months previous to Edith[3] as April 13th, 1621, old style was in the year 1621, and Feb. 7th, 1621, was 1621 old style and

1622 new style; and hence so far as dates of baptism are concerned they could both possibly be the children of Antony[2] Thacher of Queen Camel, St. Edmund's and Yarmouth; nor would the difference of places of baptism of the children and the comparative remoteness of one place from the other render the identity of these two Antony[2] and Anthony impossible, as the time elapsed between the two baptisms might easily account for a change of residence. This seems to be the whole argument in favor of such identity. On the other side of the argument, in the marriage allegation of Anthony Thatcher of St. Catherine's near the Tower, London, it is stated that in 1618–19 he was about 22 years old, and this would place the date of his birth about 1595–6; from what we have argued before under the head of his individual record, Antony[2] Thacher of St. Edmund's and Yarmouth, Mass., died in 1667 aged about 80 years, and was therefore born as I conclude about 1588–9. Hence as the one was born in 1595–6, and the other in 1588–9, a difference of 7 years, they cannot be one and the same person, notwithstanding the fact that they each had a wife named Mary, and the births of the children of each as far as we have knowledge thereof in no way conflicts with the possibility of identity.

My conclusion from a close analysis of the above citations is that Anthony Thatcher of the marriage allegation and license was not the son of Rev. Peter[1] Thacher of Queen Camel, but the son of some other as yet undetermined Thatcher, and that the occurrence of the Christian name Anthony suggests a possible relationship between his father and Rev. Peter[1] Thacher of Queen Camel.

The Anthony Thatcher who was baptised at St. Paul's, Convent Garden, London, Oct. 30th, 1797, it would appear from the repetition of the names Richard and Anthony, to be a descendant of Anthony Thatcher, who married Mary Clarke, who had a son Richard Thatcher baptised April 13th, 1621. The names Richard and Anthony having been probably maintained during the intermediate missing generations.

These remarks are given to show my reasons for doubting that either of the two above discussed Anthony Thatchers could be identical with Antony[2] Thacher of Queen Camel, St. Edmund's and Yarmouth, Mass.

NOTE 2. Sailing list of ship *James*, taken from *New England Historic-Genealogical Register*, Vol. XIV, pp. 332, 333, with notes thereon by S. J. D.:

"SOUTHON.—A list of names of suche Passeng^{rs} as shipt themselves at the towne of Hampton, in the *James* of London of iij^{c} tonnes William Coop^{r} Mr. v^{rs} New England, in and about the v^{t} of Aprill, 1635.

Augustine Clem^{t}, sometime of Readinge (in Berkshire), Paynter.
Thomas Whealer, his servant
Thomas Browne, of Malford (perhaps Milford in Hants), weav^{r}
Hercules Woodman, of the same, mercer
John Euered, alias Webb (settled in Chelmsford, Mass., and died 1665) } of Marlborough in Wiltshire laborers or husbandmen
Stephen Euered, alias Webb
Gyles Butler
George Coussens
Thomas Colman
Thomas Goddard
John Pithouse
Anthony Morse } of Marlborough shoomakers
William Morse
John Hide, Tayler } late of Marlborough
John Parker, Carpenter
Richard Walker, shomaker
Maudit Ingles, ffuller (a name that has been subjected to much torture, plain Maudit Ingles in this [original] record. On our Boston record, April 2, 1638, Maudit Ings appears. No doubt the same. See *Hist. and Antiquities of Boston*, p. 241 and elsewhere)
Thomas Davyes, Sawyer
Thomas Carpenter, of Amesbury (in Wilts), Carpenter

William Paddey, skinn^{r} } late of London
Edmund Hawes, cutler }

Edmund Batter, maulter
John Smale, his servant
Michael Shafflin, Tayler
Josuah Verren, Rep^{r}
Thomas Antram, weav^{r}
Thomas Browne, his servant
George Smythe, Tayler
Phillip Varrem, Roop^{r}
John Greene, surgeon
} Late of New England

Zacheus Courtis, of Downton, laborer (several places bear this name, but this was probably in Wilts)
Henry Rose, of Platford, laborer (or Plaitford, in Wilts)
Nicholas Batt, of ye Devyes, lennen weav^{r}
Thomas Scoates, of Sarñ (Sarum, Salisbury in Wilts), laborer
John Pike } of Langford laborers (Some 12 places bear this name in different counties. Langford Steeple is in Wilts)
John Musselwhite }
Sampson Salter, of Caversham, fisherman (probably the same place called Goñsham in another list. In Oxfordshire)
Henry Kinge, of Brencsley, laborer
William Andrews of Hampsworth, carpenter
John Knight } of Romsey, Taylers
Richard Knight }
Thomas Smithe of the same, weaver
Nicholas Holte, thereof, tanner
Robert ffield, of yealing, laborer
Anthony Thetcher of Sarm, tayler and
Peter Higdon his servant
James Browne } youths of Hampton of about 17 years old
Lawrence Seag^{r} }
Henry Leüage } of Sarn Taylers
William Parsons }
John Emery } of Romsey, Carpenters
Anthony Emery }
William Kemp, servant

The totall number of these men, youthes, and boyes are liij p'sons, besids the wives and Children of Dyvers of these.

(sgd) Tho: Wurfris, Coll^{r} ibm.
(sgd) N. Dingley, Comptr
(sgd) John Knapp, Searcher"

On a separate sheet accompanying the above:

"Right ho^{rble}

After the p'formance of our most humble Duties, may it please y^{r} Lo^{ps} to receaue hereinclosed a list of the names of suche passeng^{rs} as tooke shippinge at this porte for New England, and that onely in Aprill last in the good ship Called the *James* of London whereof William Coop^{r} went Mr. And thus in Due obedience and observance of yor hon^{rs} lre Dated the last of Decemb^{r} past. Thus wee humbly take leave. Southampton the xijth Day of June, 1635.

Yo^{r} Lo^{ps} most humble serv^{ts}
(sgd) Tho: Wurfris Coll^{r}
(sgd) N. Dingler, Compt^{r}
(sgd) John Knapp, searcher"

(Direction.) "To the right ho^{rble} the lords of his ma^{ts} most honorable privie Counsell, this at Whitehall. London."

Note 3. Concerning Elizabeth Jones, 2nd wife of Antony[2] Thacher. From Pope's *Pioneers of Massachusetts*, p. 262, we obtain the following extract viz:—

"Richard Jones of Dinder, England, embarked from Weymouth, England before March 20th, 1635. He settled in Dorchester, Mass., bought house and

land there 1635. Richard Jones of Salisbury, witness in Essex Court in 1648 may be the same." (Note: Pope is wrong in this suggestion, as, if Alice was his widow in 1642, he could not have been a witness in 1648.—J. R. T.) "Alice Jones, aged 26, who came on the *James* in July, 1635, was doubtless his wife. He died intestate, leaving children Timothy, Samuel, Elizabeth and Mary. The widow Alice Jones conveyed estate, 2–12, 1642, to Anthony Thatcher of Yarmouth, Richard Baker, Thomas Millett and George Weekes of Dorchester, for her son Timothy. She refers in the inventory of her estate to her brother Thatcher and her man John March." (Suffolk deeds, Vol. I, p. 41). From Suffolk Co., Mass., Deeds Vol. I, p. 41, we obtain the following (4) 1634.

"Alice Jones, late wife of Richard Jones, deceased intestate, granted unto her children her home and land and goods in manner as followeth:

One third part of the house and land she reserved to herselfe for six (6) years; and the other two thirds she reserved for her three (3) children Samuel, Elizabeth and Mary for the said term, out of which she is to be allowed for their dyet and apparel the 1st year £ 7 and the other five (5) years so much as the ffeofes shall judge fit, whilst she keepeth them. And after the six (6) years expired, the house and lands to remain to Timothy her son and to his heirs forever, he paying to the other three (3) children £ 22 as followeth vizt. To Elizabeth or her assigns £ 7 in corn, cattle or money within two (2) years next after the six (6) years expired, unto which Alice Jones promeseth to add 20 sh; and two (2) years after that Timothy shall pay unto Mary £ 7 in manner aforesaid, whereto Alice Jones promeseth to add 20^{sh}; and two (2) years after that Timothy shall pay to Samuel, his brother £ 8.

And of her moveable goods (after her debts are paid and certain goods taken out for her son Timothy as in the inventory it is mentioned.) She giveth two thirds for the use of Elizabeth, Mary and Samuel to be divided equally amongst them before the last of the third month next and to be kept in the hands of the ffeofes (Antony Thacher of Yarmouth, Richard Baker, Thomas Millett and George Weekes of Dorchester) until they be of years."

And in case Timothy die without heirs, the house and lands to descend to Samuel; and for want of issue by him, to descend to the two daughters, or such of them as shall be living; and so if any of the three (3) children Elizabeth, Mary or Samuel die before they be of age to receive their portions, it shall remain to the rest then living.

In witness whereof Alice Jones set to her hand and seal the 2nd day of the 12th month 1642; and delivered one pewter dish to Elizabeth in part of the two thirds of said goods. In presence of Jeoffrey Turner and Elizabeth Crane. This was acknowledged before the Court as the deed of Alice Jones with the consent of her husband and —— the 8th of the 4th ——."

Note upon above extracts by S. P. May.

"The deed of gift of Alice Jones is a very singular one and it is explained by the fact that she had then at the date of the deed 9-4, 1643 or shortly thereafter married John Kinsley. This accounts for the closing words of the deed; 'with the consent of her husband.' She had then married John Kinsley between 2–12, 1642 and 9–4, 1643, the former the date of the deed and the latter the date of its recording.

Alice Jones, widow, lived in Dorchester, Mass. The question naturally arises why did she (or her husband) go so far as Yarmouth for a ffeoffee (or trustee). Doubtless Antony Thacher was their brother-in-law, his 2nd wife Elizabeth Jones being a sister of Richard Jones (unless perhaps she was the widow of a brother of Richard Jones). The first theory is probably the correct one.

That Richard Jones was a brother of Elizabeth Jones is proved by the will of his son Samuel Jones, dated May 28th, 1661 in which he makes bequests to his six (6) cousins in Yarmouth.

Here arises an interesting point. Either Antony Thacher had in 1661 six (6) children (I find only three (3) named) or else there are three cousins to be accounted for. Bearing in mind then that Richard Sears in his will calls Antony Thacher 'brother' and that Antony Thacher's son John calls Richard Sears 'uncle,' it is borne in upon me that Richard Sears had married a sister of Elizabeth Jones and of Richard Jones, and that Richard Sears three (3) children Paul, Silas and Deborah were the three (3) other cousins.

I have long thought that John Thacher would not have called Richard Sears 'Uncle' unless the connection was on his own father or mother's side and not by the way of Antony Thacher's first wife."

The above are Samuel P. May's views upon the family relationship of Elizabeth Jones, 2nd wife of Antony[2] Thacher. Mr. May is a genealogist of known repute and his argument in the matter seems to carry conviction with it, and I am convinced that his reasoning is correct.

NOTE 4. Antony[2] Thacher's letter to his brother Rev. Peter[2] Thacher concerning the shipwreck August 15th, 1635, taken from D. W. Allen's *Thacher Genealogy:*

"I must turn my drowned pen and shaking hand to indite the story of such sad news as never before this happened in New England. There was a league of perpetual friendship between my cousin Avery and myself, never to forsake each other to the death, but to be partakers of each other's misery or welfare as also of habitation in the same place. Now upon our arrival at New England, there was an offer made unto us. My cousin Avery was invited to Marblehead to be their pastor in due time; there being no church planted there as yet, but a town appointed to set up the trade of fishing. Because many there (the most being fishermen) were something loose and remiss in their behavior, my cousin Avery was unwilling to go thither, and so refusing, we went to Newbury, intending there to sit down. But being solicited so often, both by men of the place and by the magistrates, and by Mr. Cotten, and most of the ministers, who alleged what a benefit we might be to the people there, and also to the country and commonwealth, at length, we embraced it, and thither consented to go. They of Marblehead forthwith sent a pinnace for us and our goods. We embarked at Ipswich, August 11, 1635, with our families and substance, bound for Marblehead, we *being in all twenty-three souls*, viz: *eleven in my cousin's family*, *seven in mine*, and one Mr. William Elliot sometime of New Sarum, and four mariners. The next morning, having commended ourselves to God with cheerful hearts, we hoisted sail; but the Lord suddenly turned our cheerfulness into mourning and lamentations, for, on the fourteenth of August, 1635, about ten at night, having a fresh gale of wind, our sails being old and done, were split; the mariners, because it was night, would not put to her new sails, but resolved to cast anchor till the morning. But before daylight it pleased the Lord to send so mighty a storm as the like was never known in New England since the English came, nor in the memory of any of the Indians. It was so furious that our anchor came home, whereupon the mariners let out more cable, which slipped away. Then our sailors knew not what to do; but we were driven before the winds and waves. *My cousin* and *I* perceived our danger, and solemnly recommended ourselves to God, the Lord both of earth and seas, expecting with every wave to be swallowed up and drenched in the deep; and as *my cousin*, *his wife*, and *my tender babes* sat comforting and cheering one to the other in the Lord against ghastly death, which every moment stared us in the face, and sat triumphing upon each one's forehead; we were, by the violence of the waves and the fury of the winds (by the Lord's permission), lifted up upon a rock, between two high rocks, yet all was one rock; but it raged with the stroke which came into the pinnace, so as we were presently up to our middles in water as we sat. The waves came furiously and violently over us and against us, but by reason of the rock's position could not lift us off, but beat her all to pieces.

Now look with me on our distress and consider of my misery who beheld the ship broken and the water in her, and violently overwhelming us; my goods and provisions swimming in the seas, my friends almost drowned, and mine own poor children so untimely (if I may so term it without offence), before mine eyes, drowned and ready to be swallowed up and dashed to pieces against the rocks by the merciless waves, and myself ready to accompany them. But I must go on to an end of this woeful relation. In the same room whereat he sat, the master of the pinnace not knowing what to do, our foremast was cut down, our main mast broken in three pieces, the fore part of the pinnace beat away, our goods swimming about the seas, my children bewailing me as not pitying themselves, and myself bemoaning them, poor souls, whom I had occasioned to such an end in their tender years, when as

they could scarce be sensible of death. And so likewise *my cousin, his wife* and *his children*, and both of us bewailing each other, in our Lord and only Saviour ,Jesus Christ, in whom we had comfort and cheerfulness, in so much that from the greatest to the least of us, there was not one screech or outcry made, but all as silent sheep, were contentedly resolved to die together lovingly, as since our acquaintance we had lived together friendly. Now as I was sitting in the cabin room door with my body in the room, when lo, one of the sailors by a wave, being washed out of the pinnace, was gotten in again, and coming into the cabin room over my back, cried out, 'We are all cast away, the Lord have mercy upon us. I have been washed overboard into the sea and gotten in again.' His speech made me look forth and looking towards the sea, and seeing how we were, I turned myself to *my cousin* and the rest, and spake these words 'Oh, cousin, it hath pleased God to cast us here between two rocks, the shore not far off from us, for I saw the tops of trees when I looked forth.' Whereupon the master of the pinnace, looking up to the scuttlehole of the quarter deck, went out at it, but I never saw him afterward. Then he that had been in the sea went out again by me and leaped overboard towards the rocks, whom afterwards also I could not see. Now none were left in the barque that I knew or saw, but *my cousin, his wife and children, myself* and *mine* and *his maid servant.* But my cousin thought I would have fled from him, and said unto me, 'Oh, cousin, leave me not, let us die together,' and reached forth his hand unto me. Then *I*, letting go my son *Peter's* hand, took him by the hand and said, 'Cousin, I purpose it not; whither shall I go? I am willing and ready here to die with you and my poor children. God be merciful to us and receive us to himself,' adding these words, 'the Lord is able and willing to help and deliver us.' He replied, saying, 'True, cousin, but what His pleasure is, we know not; I fear that we have been too unthankful for former deliverances, but He hath promised to deliver us from sin and condemnation and bring us safe to heaven, through the all-sufficient satisfaction of Jesus Christ; this therefore we may challenge of Him.' To which I, replying, said 'that is all the deliverance I now desire and expect', which words I no sooner said, but by a mighty wave *I* was with a piece of the barque, washed out upon part of the rock where the wave left me, almost drowned; but recovering my feet, I saw above me on the rock, *my daughter Mary*, to whom I had no sooner gotten but my *cousin Avery and his eldest son* came to us, being *all four of us* washed out by one and the same wave. We went all to a small hole on the top of the rock, whence we called to those in the pinnace to come unto us, supposing we had been in more safety then, than they were in. *My wife* seeing us there crept up into the scuttle of the quarter deck to come unto us; but presently came another wave, and dashing the pinnace all to pieces, carried *my wife* away in the scuttle as she was, with the greatest part of the quarter-deck unto the shore, where she was cast safely but her legs was something bruised, and much timber of the vessel being there also cast, she was sometime before she could get away, being washed by the waves. All the rest that were in the barque were drowned in the merciless seas. *We four* by that wave were clean swept away from off the rock also, into the sea, the Lord in one instant of time disposing of fifteen souls of us according to his good pleasure and will. His pleasure and wonderful great mercy to me was thus: Standing on the rock as before you heard, with my *eldest daughter, my cousin and his eldest son*, looking upon and talking to them in the barque, when as we were by that merciless wave washed off the rock, as before you heard, God in his mercy caused me to fall by the stroke of the wave, flat on my face, for my face was towards the sea, in so much that I was sliding off the rock into the sea, the Lord directed my toes into a joint of the rock's sides, as also the tops of some of my fingers, with my right hand, by means whereof, the wave leaving me I remained so, having in the rock only my head above the water, when on the left hand I espied a board of plank of the pinnace. And as I was reaching out my left hand to lay hold on it, by another coming over the top of the rock, I was washed away from the rock, and by the violence of the waves was driven hither and thither in the seas a great while, and had many dashes against the rocks. At length, past hopes of life, and wearied in body and in spirit, I even gave over to nature, and being ready to receive in the waters of death, I lifted up both my heart and hand to the God of heaven (for note), I had my senses remaining perfect with me all the time

that I was under and in the water, who at that instant lifted my head above the top of the water that so I might breathe without any hindrance by the waters. I stood bolt upright as if I had stood upon my feet, but I felt no bottom, nor had any footing for to stand upon, but the waters. While I was thus above the water, I saw by me a piece of the mast, as I suppose, about three feet long which I labored to catch into my arms. But suddenly I was overwhelmed with water and driven to and fro again, and at last I felt the ground with my right foot, when immediately, whilst I was thus groveling on my face, I presently recovering my feet was in the water up to my breast, and through God's great mercy, had my face unto the shore, and not to the sea. I made haste to get out but was thrown down on my hands with the waves, and so with safety crept to the dry shore, where, blessing God, I turned about to look for my children and friends, but saw neither nor any part of the pinnace where I left them as I supposed. But *I saw my wife* about a butt length from me getting herself forth from amongst the timber of the broken barque. But before I could get to her she was gotten to the shore. I was in the water after I was washed from the rock before I came to the shore, a quarter of an hour at least. When *we* were come each to the other *we* went and sat down on the bank. But fear of the seas' rolling and our coldness, would not suffer us there to remain. But *we* went up into the land and sat us down under a cedar tree, which the wind had thrown down, where we sat about an hour almost dead with cold. But now the storm was broken up, and the wind was calm, but the sea remained rough and fearful to us. My legs were much bruised, and so my head was; other hurt I had none, neither had I taken in much quantity of water, but my heart would not let me sit still any longer, but I would go to see if any more were gotten to the land in safety, especially hoping to have met with some of my own poor children; but I could find none, neither dead nor yet living. You condole with me my miseries who now begin to consider of my losses. Now came to my remembrance the time and manner how and when I last saw and left my children and friends. One was severed from me sitting on the rock at my feet, the other three in the pinnace. My little babe (ah, *poor Peter*,) sitting in his sister *Edith's* arms; who to the utmost of her power sheltered him from the waters. My poor *William* standing close unto them, all three of them looking ruefully on me, on the rock, their very countenances calling unto me to help them, whom I could not go unto, neither could they come at me, neither would the merciless waves afford me space of time to use any means at all, either to help them or myself. Oh, I yet see their checks, poor silent lambs, plead pity and help at my hands. Then on the other side to consider the loss of my dear friends, with the spoiling and loss of all our goods and provisions; myself cast upon an unknown land in a wilderness, I knew not where nor how to get thence. Then it came to my mind how I had occasioned the death of my children; who caused them to leave their native land, who might have left them there, yea, and might have sent some back again and cost me nothing; these and such like thoughts do press down my heavy heart very much. But I must let this pass, and will proceed on in the relation of God's goodness unto me in that desolate island on which I was cast. *I* and *my wife* were almost naked both of us, and wet and cold even unto death. I found a snapsack cast on the shore in which I had a steel and flint and powder horn. Going further I found a drowned goat; then I found a hat and my son *William's* coat, both of which I put on. *My wife* found one of her petticoats, which she put on. I found also two cheeses and some butter driven ashore. Thus the Lord sent us some clothes to put on, and food to sustain our new lives, which we had lately given unto us, and means also to make fire for in an hour I had some gun powder, which to mine own (and since to other men's) admiration was dry. So taking a piece of my wife's neckcloth, which I dried in the sun, I struck a fire, and so dried and warmed our wet bodies, and then skinned the goat, and having found a small brass pot, we boiled some of her. Our drink was brackish water. Bread, we had none. There we remained until Monday following, when about three of the clock in the afternoon, in a boat that came that way, we went off that desolate island, which I named after my name, 'Thacher's Woe,' and the rock 'Avery, his fall,' to the end that their fall and loss and mine own, might be had in perpetual remembrance. *In the isle lieth buried the body of my cousin's eldest daughter*, whom I found dead on the shore. On the Tuesday following, in the afternoon, we arrived at Marblehead."

THIRD GENERATION.

34. HONORABLE COLONEL JOHN[3] THACHER (Antony[2], Rev. Peter[1],); born at Marblehead (then Salem) Massachusetts Bay Colony, March 17th, 1638-9; resided at Marblehead, Mass., and Yarmouth, Mass.; he was a statesman and soldier; he died at Yarmouth, Mass., May 8th, 1713, "on Friday about noon, and was buried Monday 3 P. M."; he was buried at Yarmouth, Mass., with military honors in the old cemetery there, where a gravestone marks his resting place. He was first married at Marshfield, Mass., (then in Plymouth Colony) November 6th, 1661, to Rebecca Winslow of Marshfield, Mass. She was born at Marshfield, Mass., July 15th, 1643; she died at Yarmouth, Mass., July 15th, 1683; and was buried presumably at Yarmouth, Mass., though no gravestone does, or ever has, marked her grave; she was a daughter of Josiah Winslow (brother of Gov. Edw. Winslow) who died and was buried December 1st, 1674, in his 69th year, and of his wife Margaret (Bourne) Winslow, who was buried at Marshfield, Mass., October 2nd, 1683, both of her parents residing in Marshfield, Mass. Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher married a second time at Yarmouth, Mass. (there recorded), January 1st, 1683-4, to Lydia Gorham of Barnstable, Mass.; she was born at Barnstable, Mass., November 6th, 1661; died at Yarmouth, Mass., August 2nd, 1744, and was buried at Yarmouth, Mass., in the old cemetery where a gravestone marks her resting place. She was a daughter of Col. John Gorham and his wife Desire (Howland) Gorman, who resided at Barnstable, Mass.

Children 21 (Thacher), all born in Yarmouth, Mass.

Children by first marriage 9, 3 sons and 5 daughters and 1 sex not given.

+37 i. Peter,[4] born May 20th, 1665; died February 12th, 1735-6; married Thankful Sturgis.

+38 ii. Josiah,[4] born April 26th, 1667; died May 12th, 1702; married Mary Hedge.

+39 iii. Rebecca,[4] born June 1st, 1669; died April 10th, 1734; married, first, James Sturgis; married, second, Ebenezer Lewis.

+40 iv. Bethia,[4] born July 10th, 1671; died July 7th (or 8th), 1734; married James Paine.

+41 v. John,[4] born January 28th, 1674-5; died March 7th, (17th or 26th), 1764; married Desire (Sturgis) Dimmock.

+42 vi. Elizabeth,[4] born June 19th, 1677; died May 18th, 1710; married Moses Hatch.

43 vii. Hannah 1st,[4] born August 19th, 1679; died July 11th, 1689, in girlhood, not married; buried probably in Yarmouth, Mass.; no gravestone.

44 viii. Mary 1st,[4] born August 3rd, 1682; died September 7th, 1682, in infancy; buried probably in Yarmouth, Mass.; no gravestone.

45 ix. Child, sex not stated,[4] born ——; died ——; and was probably buried in Yarmouth, Mass. We have no record of the sex of this child, nor any reference to it whatever except in the verses written by John[3] Thacher on the death of his wife and unto her memory, in which he specifically states that his first wife bore him 9 children.

Children by second marriage 12; 4 sons and 8 daughters.

+46 x. Lydia,[4] born February 11th, 1684-5; died September 3rd, 1724; married Joseph Freeman.

+47 xi. Mary 2nd,[4] born February 5th, 1686-7; died June 28th, 1778; married Shubael Gorham.

+48 xii. Desire,[4] born December 24th, 1688; died May 6th, 1723; married Josiah Crocker.

+49 xiii. Hannah 2nd,[4] born October 9th, 1690; died May 6th, 1780; married Nathaniel Otis.

50 xiv. Mercy 1st,[4] born July 23rd, 1692; died August 27th, 1692, in infancy, and was buried probably in Yarmouth; no stone marks her grave.

+51 xv. Judah,[4] born August 20th, 1693; died January 8th, 1775; married Sarah Crosby.

52 xvi. Mercy 2nd,[4] born December 28th, 1695; died August 22nd, 1696, in infancy, and was buried probably in Yarmouth; no stone marks her grave.

+53 xvii. Ann,[4] born May 7th, 1697; died March 13th, 1756; married John Lothrop.

+54 xviii. Joseph,[4] born July 11th, 1699; died June 17th, 1763; married Ruth Hawes.

+55 xix. Benjamin,[4] born June 25th, 1701-2; died ——, 1768; married Hannah Lumbert.

+56 xx. Mercy 3rd,[4] born February 7th, 1702-3; died——; married James Harris.

+57 xxi. Thomas,[4] born April 2nd, 1705; died December 20th, 1746; married Thankful Baxter.

Making twenty-one (21) children in all; sixteen of whom married and left issue.

Honorable Col. John[3] Thacher was born in Marblehead (then Salem), Mass., and removed with his parents to Yarmouth early in the 1640's. Of his history prior to marriage we have no definite knowledge, but assume that his boyhood and youth were spent in Yarmouth, receiving such school advantages as were obtainable there in those early days. We have no record of his having attended college. In 1661 he was married to Rebecca Winslow, daughter of Josiah Winslow of Marshfield, Mass., by his wife Margaret (Bourne) Winslow. It is assumed that the marriage took place

in Marshfield, although no record thereof is to be found there nor in Yarmouth; the poem dedicated to his first wife's memory suggests that Marshfield was the place of marriage.

Josiah Winslow, his father-in-law, was the youngest brother of Governor Edward Winslow. He was born in Droitwich, England, February 11th, 1606, and was baptized February 16th, 1606; came over to New England with his brother Kenelm, arriving here in 1631 (as stated both by Bradford's and by Winthrop's contemporaneous histories) with Allerton on the "White Angel" landing at Saco, June 27th, 1631. He lived some time in Scituate and then removed and settled in Marshfield. He married Margaret Bourne, perhaps the daughter of the second Thomas Bourne, and had amongst other children, Rebecca Winslow, born at Marshfield, July 16th, 1642, or July 15th, 1643, the latter date being probably the correct one as it is taken from the Vital Records of Marshfield. Josiah Winslow was a Representative to the General Court of Plymouth in 1643, '45 and '47 and several years thereafter, certainly in 1659 and '60. He was town clerk of Marshfield from 1646 until his death, December 1st, 1674. Margaret (Bourne) Winslow, his widow, died in 1683.

The date of marriage of Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher to Rebecca Winslow is variously given. Allen in his "Thacher Genealogy," pp. 33, and Savage in Vol. IV., p. 602, of his "Genealogical Dictionary," both say that the marriage took place November 6th, 1661. The N. E. H. G. Reg., Vol. XIV., p. 11; and Freeman's "History of Cape Cod," Vol. 1, p. 622, and Davis' "Landmarks of Plymouth," pp. 258-9, all say November 6th, 1664. The poem written by John[3] Thacher on the death of his first wife, however, specifically fixes the date as 1661; and when I note that the first of their known and named children was born on May 20th, 1665, I am inclined to think that the 9th child recorded above was in reality their first born, who was born between 1661 and 1665 and probably died in infancy or at birth.

In 1668 Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher was chosen a deputy to the General Court at Plymouth and served in that capacity annually to the year 1681, except in the years 1672, '75 and '77. In 1668 he was elected a selectman of Yarmouth and remained such for many years. In 1681 he was appointed one of the Council of War for Plymouth Colony in which capacity he served a number of years. From 1682 to 1692 he was an Assistant to the Governor of Plymouth Colony. Immediately upon the union of Plymouth Colony with the Province of Massachusetts Bay under the Charter of William and Mary in 1692 he was elected a representative and subsequently an Assistant or Councillor to the Provincial Council and served as such until 1707. He joined the militia of that period at an early age and in time attained the rank of Colonel therein, and upon his death, May 8th, 1713, he was buried with military honors. His first wife, Rebecca, died July 15th, 1683, from ailments, induced by the birth and subsequent death of her last child,

Mary 1st[4] Thacher; she was probably buried in Yarmouth, Mass., although no stone marks her grave. Hon. Col. Thacher was much attached to his first wife and deeply grieved over her loss; and during the period between her death and his second marriage he composed verses in her enthusiastic praise, dated August 30th, 1683. (A copy of extracts from these verses will be found in Note 1, following the completion of the record of Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher, the extracts being there inserted not on acount of their intrinsic merit, but as an example of the custom then largely in vogue of extolling the virtues of departed dear ones in verse; and moreover principally on account of the genealogical facts related in said verses, which facts are not specifically recorded elsewhere.) It would seem hardly possible that after such an ardent outpouring of his love and affection for his first wife in these verses that he could so soon again enter the matrimonial state; but the care of his then large family of children necessitated his having a helpmate, and he married a second time January 1st, 1683-4, to Lydia Gorham. Family tradition furnishes us with an interesting anecdote concerning his first and second wives which will be found related in full in Note No. 2, following this record. Lydia Gorham, his second wife, was a daughter of Colonel John Gorham of Barnstable, Mass., and his wife, Desire (Howland) Gorham. She died at Yarmouth, August 2nd, 1744, having survived her husband many years. Both she and her husband were buried in the old cemetery at Yarmouth, Mass. The stone that marks their graves was the first inscribed stone erected in the Yarmouth burying ground and bears the following inscription:—

"In memory of the Honorable John Thacher, Esq.,
Who departed this life 8. May, 1713 in the 75th year of
his age, and in memory of Lydia Thacher his
wife, who died 2 August 1744, in the 84th year of
her age."

Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher made his will under date of April 25th, 1713, and it was proved July 27th, 1713; a copy of this will will be found at the end of this record in Note 3.

The following is a transcript of the official record of Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher as extracted from the records of the Colony of New Plymouth, New England, as published by order of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, edited by N. B. Shutleff, M. D., Boston, 1853, and which is to be found in all important public libraries, to wit:—

1666. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 5th, 1666. "John Thacher sworn as a member of the Grand Inquest."

1667. Court of Assistants, Plymouth, October 30th, 1667. "John Thacher on land committee for Yarmouth. Also letters of administration granted by Court unto John Thacher on estate of Mr. Anthony Thacher, deceased."

1667-8. Court of his Majesty, Plymouth, March 5th, 1667-8. "Letters of administration granted to Mistress Elizabeth Thacher

and unto John Thacher on the estate of Mr. Anthony Thacher, deceased."

1668. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 3rd, 1668. "John Thacher elected deputy for Yarmouth, and ratified as selectman for Yarmouth."

1669. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 1st, 1669. "John Thacher audits Treasurer accounts July 8, 1669; he is elected deputy from Yarmouth."

1670. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 7th, 1670. "John Thacher elected deputy for Yarmouth, ratified as selectman of Yarmouth; on list of freeman of Yarmouth May 29, 1670, and appointed by Court to look after collection of minister's rates."

1671. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 5th, 1671. "John Thacher elected deputy for Yarmouth and ratified as selectman of Yarmouth."

1672. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 5th, 1672. "John Thacher ratified as selectman for Yarmouth; also on Coroners Jury to view body of Richard Lake's daughter."

1673. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 3rd, 1673. "John Thacher elected deputy for Yarmouth and ratified as selectman of Yarmouth; he was also present as deputy from Yarmouth at Court held at Plymouth, September 15th, 1673."

1673-4. General Court at Plymouth, March 4, 1673-4. "John Thacher appointed by Court to act as one of the administrators of the estate of Richard Taylor."

1674. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 3rd, 1674. "John Thacher elected deputy for Yarmouth and ratified as selectman for Yarmouth. Sergeant John Thacher made ensign of Yarmouth Co. of Militia, July 7th, 1674."

1675. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 1st, 1675. "John Thacher ratified as selectman for Yarmouth."

1676. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 7th, 1676. "Ensign John Thacher elected deputy for Yarmouth and ratified as selectman for Yarmouth."

1676-7. Court of his Majesty, March 6, 1676-7. "John Thacher has delivered unto him Yarmouth's share of certain contributions from Ireland to assist the poor, rendered needy by the Indian War." "Mentions John Thacher as partaking in distribution of fund sent from Ireland for the relief of such as are impoverished, distressed and in necessity by the late Indian War." "Yarmouth £—.10^{sh}. 00^{d}. Mr. John Thacher."

1677. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 5, 1677. "John Thacher ratified as selectman for Yarmouth."

Majesty's Court of Plymouth, November 1, 1677. "John Thacher on Coroner's Jury on death of James Claybourne."

1678. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 5th, 1678. "John Thacher elected deputy for Yarmouth and ratified as selectman for Yarmouth, and acted as adviser in administration of estate of Thomas Phillips."

1679. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 3rd, 1679. "Ensign John Thacher elected deputy for Yarmouth and ratified as selectman for Yarmouth."

1680. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 1st, 1680. "John Thacher audits Treasurer's accounts June 4, 1680. He is elected a deputy and ratified as a selectman for Yarmouth."

1681. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 7th, 1681. "Ensign John Thacher ratified as selectman for Yarmouth, he was approved of and appointed by Court to be Lieutenant in the Yarmouth Militia Company; and Lieutenant John Thacher was appointed by Court to be of the Council of War."

Court of his Majesty at Plymouth, October 28th, 1681. "John Thacher on jury to try Thomas Saddeler."

1682. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 6th, 1682. "John Thacher chosen and sworn in as an Assistant to Governor."

Court of his Majesty, July 7th, 1682. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

Court of his Majesty, October 31st, 1682. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

1682-3. Court of his Majesty, March 6, 1682-3. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

1683. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 6th, 1683. "John Thacher audits Treasurer's accounts, June 8th, 1683; he was also chosen an Assistant and also appointed on a committee to revise laws and to audit Treasurer's accounts."

1683-4. Court of his Majesty, March 5th, 1683-4. "John Thacher present as Assistant. He together with other Assistants, the Governor and Deputy Governor, acte in the settlement of the estate of Desire Gorham" (his mother-in-law).

1684. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 3rd, 1684. "John Thacher chosen an Assistant; and as Assistant records that Jonathan Hawes chooses his uncle Jeremiah Hawes as his guardian."

Court of his Majesty, July 1st, 1684. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

1684-5. Court of his Majesty, March 5th, 1684-5. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

1685. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 2nd, 1685. "John Thacher chosen Assistant. Entered on Treasurer's account as owing a fine of 5 shillings. Capt. John Thacher and Mr. Barnabas Lothrop directed by this Court to settle the estate of Wm. Chase of Yarmouth, deceased."

Court of his Majesty at Plymouth, October 27th, 1685. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

1686. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June ——, 1686. "John Thacher chosen Assistant."

1687. Records are entirely missing for the year, but it is presumed John Thacher was Assistant.

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1689. General Court of Election at Plymouth, 1st Tuesday of June, 1689. "John Thacher chosen Assistant, and his name entered on list of freemen."

General Court of Assistants at Plymouth, August 14th, 1689. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

His Majesty's Court at Plymouth, October 2nd, 1689. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

His Majesty's Court at Plymouth, December 25th, 1689. "John Thacher present as Assistant." "John Thacher fined 20^{sh} for absence, fine remitted it being first offense." "John Thacher appointed first one of a committee of six (6) chosen and appointed by the Court to take and adjust the accounts and charges of the War relating to the late expedition against the Indians; and to make report to the Court to the end that soldiers and others concerned may have their wages and dues paid with all convenient speed. Captain John Thacher, Captain Jonathan Sparrow and Mr. John Gorham appointed a sub-committee to act for the County of Barnstable."

1690. Court of Assistants at Plymouth, April 1st, 1690. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 3rd, 1690. "John Thacher chosen as Assistant."

General Court at Plymouth, November 4th, 1690. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

General Court at Plymouth, 1st Thursday, December, 1690. "John Thacher, Esq., present as Assistant."

1690-1. Court of Majesty's Assistants, February 11, 1690-1. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

1691. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 2, 1691 (last Court of Election at Plymouth). "John Thacher chosen Assistant."

General Court at Plymouth, July 7th, 1691. "John Thacher present as Assistant."

1692. Court of Assistants at Plymouth, April 5th, 1692. "John Thacher present as Assistant. This was the last Court of Assistants of Plymouth Colony, which colony thereafter became a part of the Province of Massachusetts Bay."

From the Acts and Resolves of the Province of Massachusetts, published by authority of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts we obtain the following record of the continuation of the Public Service of Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher, to wit:—

1692. General Court at Boston, June 8th, 1692. "Captain John Thacher representative for Barnstable County."

1693. Captain John Thacher representative for Barnstable County.

1694-5.	John Thacher, Esq., Councillor or Assistant for former Colony of New Plymouth, Mass.						
1695-6.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1696-7.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1697.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1698.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1699-1700.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1700-1.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1701-2.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1702.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1703-4.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1704-5.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1705-6.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1706-7.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1707.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

This last year Mr. Thacher did not sign the oath of office.

This completes the record of his official services as given in the printed Colonial records of Plymouth Colony and the Province of Massachusetts Bay.

From the *N. E. H. G. Reg.*, Vol. XVI., pp. 24 and 146, we obtain the following:—

"1694, June 2nd, John Thacher signed as Assistant the deed of Eastham, Mass., from the Indians. Sachamus signed deed for the Indians; deed witnessed by John Thacher and John Seabury."

John[3] Thacher's heirs were among the grantees of the 7 Narragansett Townships laid out by the General Court and confirmed April 18th, 1735.

Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher had but one brother and one sister. Judah[3] Thacher, his brother, left male issue, but they all died without issue; hence the male line of Antony[2] Thacher was perpetuated only through his son, Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher, who is therefore the ancestor of all of the Cape Cod Thachers living at the present time. Descent from Hon. Col. John [3] Thacher entitles his descendants to membership according to their sex in the following societies: Colonial Wars, Colonial Dames, and the Society of Founders and Patriots, and the Order of Americans of Armorial Ancestry. Descendants of his second wife, Lydia (Gorham) Thacher, are entitled to membership in Society of Mayflower Descendants, as Lydia Gorham's mother, Desire Howland, was the daughter of John Howland and Elizabeth Tilley; they are also by their ancestor, Lydia (Gorham) Thacher, entitled to membership in Colonial Wars, Colonial Dames and Founders and Patriots.

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(*To be continued.*)

EARLY SOUTHAMPTON, LONG ISLAND, INHABITANT LISTS.

Contributed by the late Prof. S. R. Winans of Princeton University.

Thompson, in his *History of Long Island*, makes it a point to present lists of first settlers in the several towns. His object is to meet a popular interest, rather than to furnish critically exact data of record. None the less, such a list as the Southampton List, page 207, is most unfortunate in its content and claim.

After describing briefly the contract of March 10, 1639-40 with Capt. Daniel How to transport the people from Lynn, Thompson notes that the document is still extant, and then adds: "The names of the settlers who had arrived *during the first twelve months* were as follows" [47 names]. Then he continues, "the conveyance to the *above named* persons is recorded," etc.; giving the Farret memorandum of sale to twelve men therein named. The definite language suggests original papers that lay before the author. In fact, Thompson's list is artificial and based on inference. Its errors of omission and inclusion and of name confusion have puzzled many. The writer has discovered its source and manner of making. It is the Sagaponack land partition list of Feb., 1653-4, treated by Thompson for his purpose. See *Southampton Town Records* (printed), Vol. I, p. 100. The "deadly parallel" tells the story. The coincidence of thirty-five names in name-sequence with a list *drawn by lot* gives an absolute demonstration.

Some of Thompson's modifications are as follows. He adds eight names from the original contract document which are not on the Sagaponock list, the individuals so named having withdrawn earlier or really never settled there, such as George Welbe, whom he uniformly calls "Wells." He also adds several names of persons found in the old Town Accounts book, whom

he infers to be early settlers. The peculiar position of the additions in the list is due to their being written last, at the ends of the short columns in printer's copy.

As to omissions, he misses entirely some eighteen men who were living in Southampton in 1644, some of them real first-comers; for he is unaware of the secession (1648) of families who joined in settling Easthampton. Then from his Sagaponack list he omits, of course, all the repeated names in it; also sons whom he assumes to have been too young for settlers of 1640. In every case he drops the title "Mr.," ignoring its significance for age and civic standing, and therewith himself supplies Christian names, which in nearly every instance are wrong. "Mr. Odell" [Richard], as if from Wm., becomes a non-existent "William Odell." "Mr. Raynor" [Thurston], the father, is given as "Joseph Raynor," the son. "Mr. John Gosmer" he reads erroneously as "Gosman;" and where in another place on the Sagaponack list the same man is called "Mr. Gosmer," this becomes for Thompson [Mr.] S. Osman, expanding to "Samuel Osman," the name which mystifies the historian Howells, see *Southampton*, p. 435.

From a reference to "Mr. Haynes" [James] in 1647, then of Southold and never of Southampton, Thompson adds "Benjamin Haynes," who really was a son, born 1643, and who came to North Sea about 1668. Misled by Thompson, Hatfield in his "Elizabethtown" makes this mythical "Benjamin of 1640" a "brother of James." Isaac Willman becomes "Hillman;" Jones becomes "James," etc.

Enough to show the worse than worthless character of the list. The arrival dates of these men extend from 1640 into the 1660's.

The earliest complete list of male inhabitants at Southampton is the whale squads list of March, 1644 (*S. T. R.*, Vol. I, p. 32), forty-two names. It is especially to be noted that this list includes several landless servants, and also minors above 16 years. The list is not partial; it is for whale-oil dividends. It was some years before the full number of forty householders was reached.

Land division lists were naturally drawn by lot, and were usually recorded in that order. Certain of the lists—besides those noted by Howells—happily are in residence order, a fact not hitherto brought out. Such is the "townsmen" list of May 10, 1649, except that the gentry, the "Mr.'s," are named first; then read the names across. (*S. T. R.*, Vol. I, p. 56). It goes from Thomas Halsey northward on the West side of the street, and from Samuel Dayton, South on the East side.

Also the fencing list of 1651-2 (*S. T. R.*, Vol I, pp. 143-4), is now found to be in house order. Set the columns of page 144 directly under those of page 143, and then read continuously. This list goes twice from North to South, first on West side, and then on East, beginning East with Joshua Barnes.

Likewise the list of Dec., 1665 (*S. T. R.*, Vol. I, pp. 151-2), and its counterpart of Jan., 1665-6 (*S. T. R.*, Vol. II, pp. 250-1), furnishes the house-lot order for that date; going North on West side, then South on East, with several appended names.

These early lists, here cited, may now furnish supplementary material to the excellent street plan by Mr. W. S. Pelletreau, prefaced to *S. T. R.*, Vol. III.

There are several inhabitants lists in the old book of Town Accounts, entered there evidently as of temporary importance on convenient partially blank pages.

First, the powder list of April 1657, printed in *S. T. R.*, Vol. I, pp. 154-5, omits a few officials expressly exempt from ordinary military service, but otherwise is a full list in house order.

The whale-squadrons list printed in Howell, *Southampton*, pp. 183-4, is from the same book. It belongs to the year 1666 or 1668, and is not earlier, as the preceding account entry of 1657 might indicate.

Further, the full list of all inhabitants everywhere in Southampton bounds, which Howell prints at page 32, is from the same book. He dates it "1657," without informing us that this date is inferential, *the list being undated.* Careful inspection of this list gives more than a score of independent record items bearing on the names included, which prove positively that this list is not earlier than 1666, while one item points to 1669 as its probable date. Howell, in the genealogical part of his work, and others following him, make so much use of this fictitious "1657" as a reference date that it is important that the true date be known.

CLUES FROM ENGLISH ARCHIVES

Contributory to American Genealogy.

By J. Henry Lea and J. R. Hutchinson.

(Continued from Vol. XLI, p. 286, of The Record.)

Nash v. Elbridge: Bill of Complaint of Thomas Nash of Claynes, co. Worcester, gent., executor of the will of Richard Guy late of Ashton upon Tarrent, co. Gloucester, gent., deceased, and Susan late wife of said Richard, dated 16 April, 1646. One Giles Elbridge of the City of Bristol, merchant, deceased, was in his lifetime seized of lands known as Watton farm, lying in Watton, co. Gloucester, and being so seized, he did, about five years since, demise the said lands to the said Richard Guy for a term of years yet enduring, by the yearly rent of £105. About two years since the said Richard Guy made his last will, appointing plaintiff and one Edward Guy his executors, but owing to the troubles of the times the said will is not yet proved in due form of law. About two years since the said Giles Elbridge also died, after whose decease the said premises ought to descend and come to John Elbridge, son and heir of said Giles, but for the delinquency of the said Giles Elbridge the Committee for Gloucester long since seized upon the said farm and rent, and the said John Elbridge, having as executor gotten the said lease into his possession, doth

sue plaintiff for the aforesaid rent and for great sums of money, alleged to be due and unpaid unto his said father in his lifetime, and doth further pretend that the said Richard Guy stood indebted unto his said father in a bond for £100. The witnesses who could prove the truth of these statements are all either dead or beyond the seas.

ANSWER of John Elbridge, defendant, sworn 1 June, 1646: It is true that Gyles Elbridge did grant, 1 May, 17 Charles I., to Richard Guy the said messuage called Wattons farm for seven years for £105 per annum, but the said Richard Guy failed in his payments. Giles Elbridge made his will 24 Feb., 1643–4, and thereby devised the premises to this defendant, and shortly after died. (Chan: Pro., Chas. 1., N. 5: 21.)

The place of origin and parentage of Giles Elbridge, the Pemaquid Patentee of 1632, had been abandoned as an insoluble problem by Col. Chester and other early workers,* but it was reserved to be the good fortune of one of the writers to find this clue in the Bristol Town Records, too late indeed for incorporation into Prof Salisbury's monumental work† but early enough, happily, to give the talented author the satisfaction of knowing the truth before he passed away.

The following brief sketch embodies several facts, beside his affiliation, not heretofore known.‡

Giles Elbridge, son of William Elbridge, apothecary, of the City of Gloucester, was bound apprentice to Robert Aldworth and Martha his wife, of Bristol, 13 June, 1608,§ and was admitted a Burgess 1 Oct., 1615,‖ in virtue of this service, Robert Aldworth being then an Alderman of the City, and whose partner he subsequently became.

His first wife was Elizabeth Aldworth, daughter of John Aldworth, the brother of his former master, to whom he was married before 1624. He married, secondly, at St. Stephen's, Bristol, 30 April, 1635, ¶ Mrs. Mary Hooke, daughter of Humphrey Hooke, merchant and Alderman of Bristol. She was buried 30 Nov., 1637, in the Aldworth Family vault in the Church of St. Peters, Bristol.**

Giles Elbridge's sons Robert, John and Thomas Elbridge were also admitted to the freedom of the City in right of their father,†† the last named having been a joint grantee with him of Pemaquid.‡‡ Capt. Giles Elbridge died in 1643 and was buried, 25

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* *Family Memorials*, 1885, by Prof. E. E. Salisbury, pt. i, p. 118.

† Op. Cit. See account of *Aldworth & Elbridge Families*, pt. i, pp. 103–143.

‡ See also Aldworth and Elbridge wills in *Waters' Gleanings*, i, 632–6, and 734–5.

§ *Bristol Apprentice Books.*

‖ *Bristol Burgess Books*, 12 Dec., 1630.

¶ St. Stephens Parish Register.

** *Family Memorials*, op. cit., pt. i, p. 132, but there called *daughter* of her husband.

†† *Burgess Books.*

‡‡ *Savage*, ii, 106.

Feb., of that year, in the same vault with his wife. * His will was probated in the Prerogative Court at London, 19 March, 1643–4.† (Oxford Will filed.)

Will of JOHN TROWBRIDGE of Exeter, co. Devon. There is oweinge vnto me from my uncle Mr. James Marshall of Exon, merchant, £49, and from my father Mr Thomas Trowbridge £10 which I lent him, and I have sent for Muclinx (*sic*) eight peeces of Sarges, cost twentie pounds And twentie fowre pounds Mr Jno: Manninge of New England, merchant, owes me, and twentie one pounds Mr William Davis of Muskeeta in Newfoundland owes, which I have ordered George Pardon, master of the Willinge Minde, to receive of him this yeare there and carry it with him for St. Lukas and bring home returnes with him, All which summes amounts vnto £129, of which if it please God to take me hence £20 shalbe disbursed for my buriall, and of the other £109 I give vnto my honored father fortie pounds, to my brothers Thomas, William and James Trowbridge betweene them £50, to my aunt Mace £5, and to my cozen James Marshall £14. Dated at Taunton, 20 Oct., 1653. Witnesses to the identity of the handwriting: James Marshall, senior, Christo: Clarke, junior, Chr: Dore. 26 June, 1654, commission to Thomas Trowbridge, father and principal legetary named in the will of John Trowbridge, late of the city of Exeter, deceased, to administer.

(P. C. C. Alchin, 492.)

The legatee in the preceeding will was certainly the Captain John Manning of Boston, Mass., merchant, who was of that place as early as 1640, of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. in 1641, later an Ensign of same and called "*Captain*" in town records after 1655, probably from his having commanded a vessel, as he does not appear to have held that office in the Artillery Co. He died after 1664. He is not to be confused with the Capt. John Manning of New York (1664–1685) Sheriff there 1667–72, and whose unjust punishment for the surrender of Fort James to the Dutch in 1673 is a matter of history. His residence, on an island in the East River, was carried by the marriage of a step daughter (failing his own issue) to Robert Blackwell who gave his name to the now well known Blackwell's Island.‡

Will of JOHN SHEPARD of Towcester, co. Northampton, mercer, dated 16 July, 1643. I give and bequeath unto my eldest son WILLIAM SHEPPARD now in New England all the goods which I sent over unto him in May or June, 1643, in a ship called the *Concord*, which are expressed in a book and amount to £72; and also all other goods which he carried over at his first going thither, if it please God that they come safe to him and that he live to enjoy and possess them in a married estate, either in New England or in Old England; but if it should please God that he

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* *Family Memorials*, pt. i, p. 119.

† *Ibid.* loc. cit.

‡ *Manning Genealogy*, by W. H. Manning (1902), pp. 780 and 803; Savage Gen. Dict., iii, 147, Pope's Pioneers, 209.

should die before the said goods come to him, or he be marrried, then my will is that they be returned for the use of my executrix and surviving children, provided that my son WILLIAM shall have power to dispose of five pounds as he seeth good; and for this part of my will in particular I desire my brother THOMAS SHEPARD of Cambridge in New England, and Mr. Collins now of the same town, to be overseers to see it performed; and I do further give and bequeath unto my said son WILLIAM SHEPPARD my house in Northbarrstreet in Banbury, if so be it please God he live to come over again to Old England and be married there, or live in Old England unmarried, or if he should be disposed to sell it (upon good advise) and be desirous to live in any other land or place, then my will is that my son JOHN, my son SAMUEL, and son DANIEL shall have 20 marks apiece out of the sale of it, if they live; but if my son WILLIAM die before he return to Old England again, and be not married, nor have anie heir of his body lawfully begotten, then the said house, shall go to my other three sons and my daughter ELIZABETH, or if all die, then to my wife for life, and thereafter to my right heirs. Son JOHN the house I purchased of Thomas and John Winfield, in the high street in Towcester, at 21. Son SAMUEL the house purchased of John Hayle of Hechencoate in the parish of Towcester, at 22. Daughter ELIZABETH £100 at marriage, provided she do not marry until she be 18, unless with consent of her mother. Youngest son DANIEL, at 21, four acres of land purchased of my father in law William Kingston lying in Towcester Fields and Spittlefields, two acres purchased of Michael West, two acres purchased of Anne Jennings, and the meadow purchased of Robert Marriott of Caldecott. Daughter Anne Hartly 40s. to buy her a ring, and to her son Francis Hartly two silver spoons. My adventure of £150 for lands in Ireland, in which my cousin Richard Farmer hath £100, and my brother George Waple £50, shall be divided amongst my sons. Residue to wife Frances, whom executrix. Overseers: brother Georgo Waples, cousin Richard Farmer, friend John Linnill, and my son WILLIAM SHEPPARD if he live to retnrn home again. The house in Towcester which my father WILLIAM SHEPPARD did give unto me his eldest son and to my heirs after the decease of his wife, my mother in law Amy Sheppard, I give to my wife for life, in accordance with my father's will, after the death or my said mother Amy. Witnesses: William Pitchford, Andrew Paine, Peter Deakin. Proved 6 June, 1646, by the executrix. (P. C. C. Twisse, 88)

Rev. Thomas Shepherd, first pastor of the church at Cambridge, Mass., born at Towcester, co. Northants, 5 Nov., 1605, graduated at Emanuel College, Cambridge, England,* came to Boston, 1635. He married (1) in England, 1632, Margaret Toutiville, who died in 1636 and he married (2) 1637, Joanna Hooker, daughter of Rev. Thomas Hooker and (3) 1647, Margaret Boradile who remarried to Mr. Jonathan Mitchell. He died 28 Aug.,

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* *History of First Church of Cambridge.*

1648.* He was evidently identical with the brother of the testator and was uncle of Samuel Shepherd of Cambridge, Mass., freeman there 13 March, 1635–6, proprietor and town officer 1638–9, and Major. He was living with his wife Hannah in Ireland in 1658† but at that time still retaining membership of the Cambridge Church.

It seems more than doubtful whether the William Shepherd, eldest son and principal legatee in the above will could have been that William of Dorchester whose unsavory record in the Massachusetts Courts in 1636 is so well known‡ or that later William of Taunton, Mass., in 1650, who is tentatively suggested as being identical with the last named.§ Nor is the identification with that William of Connecticut who, in 1677, was divorced from his wife, more satisfactory.

Much more probable is it that William, the legatee, returned promptly to England after his father's death in 1646, took possession of his estate and left his bones in English soil. An examination of the Parish Registers of Towcester will probably prove this to have been the case. They date from 1561 and furnish valuable information regarding the family.

The fourteenth day of August, 1656, I WILLIAM BOYS of Cranbrooke in the county of Kent, clothier, being in some good measure of health, doe make and ordaine this my last will. My bodie I will to be decently buried at the discretion of Joan my wife, whom I make sole executrix of this my will. I give and bequeath unto Sibylla Boys my eldest daughter £200 when she shall attaine the age of eighteene years; to Mary Boys my daughter the like summe at her said age; and to my four sonnes John, Thomas, William and Joseph Boys £200 apiece of good English money at their severall ages of one and twentie years. As for my house and land in Cranbrooke, which now I inabite and which I lately purchased, viz., seven parts of eight parts thereof, I give the same unto Joan my wife during her naturall life and after her decease unto my four sonnes before named equally and to their heirs for ever. And if it shall happen that the other part should be desired to be sold, which now belongs unto John Slow sonne of Thomas Slow in New England, then my mind and will is that my wife shall purchase the same in behalf of my four sonnes, paying for it out of the portions before given them. If my said wife happen to marry again she shall give sufficient suritie to my brother Edmund Colvill of Maidstone for payment of my children's portions. Witnesses: none. Proved 24 Feb., 1656–7, by Joan Boys the relict and executrix. (P. C. C. Ruthen, 72.)

Thomas Slow, was of Providence, R. I., and admitted freeman there in 1655.‖ There was a Joseph Boyes, tanner, in Salem,

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* *Pope's Pioneers of Mass.*, p. 412.

† Cf. the mention of "adventure of £150 in Ireland, to be divided amongst my sons" in the will.

‡ *Savage*, iv, 77.

§ *Pope's Pioneers*, p. 412.

‖ *Savage*, iv, 108.

Mass., and proprietor there in 1638, who died in 1684, but it is improbable that he was the son Joseph of the testator, who would have been already eighteen years in America at the making of the will, while the children of the testator were evidently very young at that time.*

THIS third daie of September, 1657, I THOMAS ENSIGNE of Cranbrooke in the countie of Kent, yeoman, being sicke and weake in body, do make this my last will and testament: I give and bequeath unto my uncle William Austen 20s.; to my aunt his wife 20s.; to my cousin Hannah Miller, William Austen, Sarah Austen, and Mary Austen, being the son and daughters of my said uncle William Austen, 20s. apiece; to my cousin Sarah Johnson, widow, relict of Ambrose Johnson late of Biddenden, co. Kent, clothworker, deceased, 6s. 8d.; and to my cousins Martha Woolball and (*blank*) Woolball, the two daughters of Richard Woolball of Biddenden, clothier, 6s. 8d. apiece. I ordain and make my cousin John Austen, son of my uncle William Austen, sole executor of this my last will, unto whom I give full power to take up the yearly rents of my lands situate in Stapleherst and Cranbrooke, now in the occupation of Lawrence Tyler, for and during the term of five years, to pay my legacies aforesaid, and also to pay to Christopher Bourne of Biddenden, yeoman, £7-7 when the same shall become due. I give and bequeath unto my dearly beloved father Thomas Ensigne in Nue England all the rents and profits of my messuage, barn, garden, orchard, close and six pieces of land, containing 26 acres, being the same before mentioned, now in the occupation of Lawrence Tyler, to the use and behoof only of my said father and his assigns during his natural life, after the end of five years next after my decease; and as for the fee simple of my said messuage and land, as expressed in one deed of division bearing the date 20 Feb., 1632–3, I give the same to my brother John Ensigne his heirs and assigns for ever, provided always that he my said brother do pay unto my two sisters, Hannah and Sarah, ten pounds apiece at their several days of marriage or ages of twenty years, which shall first accede. And further it is my mind and will that what goods shall be sent to me from Neu England, which I shortly expect, my executor and my loving friend Mr Harman Sheaf, whom I make overseer of this my will, shall have and sell the same to the best advantage and make return thereof to the use of my brother and sisters in Neu England. Signed: [*Thomas Ensigne*,] in presence of Henry Greene, Peter Master. Proved 24 March, 1657–8, by John Austen, (*cousin and*) sole executor.† (P. C. C. Wootton, 198.)

Thomas Ensigne, planter, of Scituate in 1638, freeman there 6 March, 1638–9, deacon in 1653. He married, 17 Jan., 1638, Eliza Wilder. His will dated 16 July, 1663, and proved 9 June, 1664, by its mention of his surviving children, John, Hannah and

* Pope's *Pioneers*, p. 62.

† The words "*cousin and*" are from the Probate Act Book.

Sarah, completes his identification as the father of the testator in in "Neu England."

The Registers of Cranbrook, Biddenden and Staplehurst, all dating from an early period, make this clue an easy one to follow for any persons interested.

I MARY LANGHORNE *alias* INGLESBY, being sensible of appraoching death, make this my last will: My body I leave to be disposed of by my executor as becometh his father's wife and his mother, not pompeously. There is money to defray the charges in Mr John Cooke's hands. I appoint my son Sir William Langhorne my executor and give him £100 to buy him a ring, though his kindness to me deserveth great part of what I have, and though I have nothing worthy of his acceptance I give him the new suit of hangings I brought to Charlton; and if my son Die I desire Mr Cooke to see my will fulfilled. I give to my son Thomas Langhorne £300 and my silver tankard, my diamond ring, my gold watch, and his father's seal ring; to my daughter Katherine James £20 and my gold bodkin, and to her two sons £5 apiece; to my daughter Dorcas Pordage £30, and to her two daughters £5 apiece; to my grandson John Conyers, Esq. £10, and to his three sons 40s. apiece; to my daughter Conyers my pearl necklace; to my brother Clement Oxenbridge and his wife £4, and to his daughter Katherine 40s.; to my dear friend Mrs Petchell my silver cawdle cupp; to her husband 20s.; and to her three children 20s. apiece; to poor prisoners that are honest people £5; and to poor widows which fear God £5. There is owing to my brother Oxenbridge's children £40 borrowed by Captain Ingoldsby and never paid, and they are all dead but one in Jamaica and one in New England, which never came to demand it, but if they should I would have it paid though they are very rich, yet it may be they may in time come over, but I fear they are dead. Dated 24 Nov., 1686. Witnesses: Christopher Jeakins, Edward Rolt, Anne Keey. Proved 16 Dec., 1686, by Sir William Langhorne, Bart.. the excutor. (P. C. C. Lloyd, 167.)

The above testatrix was daughter of Daniel Oxenbridge, Doctor of Physick, of St. Stephens, Coleman St., London, from Warkwirth, Northumberland. (Will dated 21 Dec., 1641, proved 12 Sept., 1642, P. C. C. Campbell, 110)* and his wife Katherine, daughter of Thomas Harby Esq.,† and was the wife successively, of William Langhorne of London and Putney, and of Hitchin, Herts., merchant, and of Capt. —— Ingoldsby, who was probably deceased at the making of her will.

Clement Oxenbridge, her brother, was of Wimbledon, co. Surrey was still living in 1686, and John Oxenbridge, the other brother, pastor of the First Church of Boston, Mass., until his death in 1674. (Will dated 12 March, (1st mo.) 1673–4, proved 9

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* *Waters' Gleanings*, i, 419.

† *N. E. Register*, xliv, 195. Called there in error by Waters, *daughter* of Clement Throgmorton.

Jan., 1674 (5),* Suff. Prob. Lib. vi, 75) His daughters Bathshuah, wife of Richard Scott, and Theodora, were undoubtedly the two children surviving "one in Jamaica and one in New England" of their aunts will.

Sir William Langhorne, Bart., the son and Executor, born about 1634, was an East India merchant, of Gray's Inn, 7 July, 1652, and of the Inner Temple, London. He was created a Baronet 28 Aug., 1668, purchased the estate of Charlton, near Greenwich, Kent, in 1680. He was twice married but had no issue and at his death, 26 Feb., 1714–15 the title became extinct.†

20 May, 1686, I NATHANIEL MICKELTHWAITE the elder of London, Merchant, give unto my wife Joanna £1250; to my son Nathaniel £1250, including the lease of the messuage in Coleman Street wherein I now dwell, or if he die I give the said messuage to my son Jonathan, or in default to my friends Mr Thomas Cubben and Joseph Sibley and my brother in law Mr Francis Crane in trust for my daughter Sarah Benson, wife of Joseph Benson. To my son Jonathan £1100 over and above what I have given with him in placing him apprentice to Mr Archer, my messuage in Pye Ally in Fanchurch Street to be reckoned part of the same. My sisters Anne Knight *alias* Whiteman of New England, Elizabeth Tue *alias* Coleman (*elsewhere* "*Cole*") of London, widow, and Hester Crane, wife of the said Francis Crane. My nephew William Tutty of Cheshunt, co. Hertford, baker. Nathaniel Benson my grandson, son of my daughter Sarah Benson. My estate of inheritance in certain lands in Ireland, in the Barony of Rathcouroth, co. Westmeath, let by lease unto Lewes Moares of Colgony. Executors: wife Joanna and sons Nathanil and Jonathan. Witnesses: William Naylor, James French, Phillip Constable, John Wheatley, scr. Proved 6 Dec., 1686, by the executors.
(P. C. C. Lloyd, 168.)

Robert Whitman or Whiteman of Ipswich, Mass., came in the *Abigail* from London, 19 June, 1635, aged 20,‡ he married in 1648 Susanna ——, who died in 1664 and in Nov. of that year he remarried Hannah Knight and was still living in 1679.§ Thus far on the authority of that eminent historian, James Savage, but in the will of William Tutty of St. Stephens, Coleman Street, London, gent., dated 10 Oct., 1640, and proved 9 Jan. following (Com. Lond XXVIII, fo. 234)‖ we have mention of "my eldest daughter Anne, lately married with Alexander Knight of Ipswich in New England beyond the seas," while the will of John Tuttie, citizen and fruiterer of London (son of Wm. Tuttie, gent. dec'd, dated 3 and 5 Sept., and proved 3 Oct., 1657, (P. C. C. Ruthen, 372)

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* *Waters Glean.*, i, 420. The Oxenbridge wills and valuable notes in Waters should be carefully read by all interested.

† *Complete Baronetage*, by G. E. C., iv, 45.

‡ *Hotton's Lists*, p. 88.

§ *Savage Gen. Dict.*, iv, 524.

‖ *Waters' Gleanings*, i, 842–843.

names his "sister Hannah Knight of New England, and her children" and also his "sister Elizabeth Tew" and her son Nicholas Tew and "brother Micklethwaight."

William Tutty, in the will above cited mentions "Nathaniel Micklethwaite, my wife's son, executor of Paul Micklethwaite late Doctor of Divinity, deceased" which Nathaniel was evidently the testator of the above will, the sisters Anne and Elizabeth being evidently uterine only and the actuall daughters of William Tutty.

11 March, 17 James I., I WILLIAM SHAWE of Wapping in the countye of Middlesix, maryner, being in good and perfect health. This my present intended voyage to Virginia. I give to my six children John, Martha, Mary, Joan, Elizabeth and Sarah Shawe, and to such child or children as my wife now goeth withall £800 equallye amongst them, John and the said child or children unborn to have their portions at one and twenty, and my daughters at one and twenty or marriage; and if all my said children die before their portions come due, then I give the said £800 amongst all the children of my brother Thomas Shawe of Haslington, co. Chester, yeoman, equally. My wife shall have the said money, and the education and bringing up of my said children, untill they come of age. I forgive my brother Thomas all such debts as he oweth me. To my sister Margaret Browne, wife of Hugh Browne of Sandbiche, co. Chester, husbandman, 40s. Sister Cicely Abram of Haslington, co. Chester, widow 40s. Poor of Wapping 40s. To my wife's brother Joseph Chapman 30s. To her brother Jonathan Chapman all my books and sea instruments. To her brother Samuel Chapman 20s. Mr Sedgwick, preacher, of Wapping, 20s. Mr Mekin of London, preacher, £3. Cousin John Shawe of London, goldsmith, £3. Friend Robert Papworth of London, chandler, £3. Residuary legatee and executrix: wife Martha. Overseers: friends Robert Mekyn and Robert Papworth, and cousin John Shawe. I will that my lands in the realm of England or elsewhere shall descend to my son John Shawe as my right and next heir. Witnesses: Richard Greene, scr., Jo: Dearslye. Proved 11 Oct., 1620, by the executrix.

(P. C. C. Soame, 36.)

1606, Nov. 10, William Shawe of the Tower p'ish & Martha Chapman daughter of William Chapman of Lymehous deceased, License, (*married.*) (Psh. Reg. Stepney, Mx.)

I, RICHARD DAVYES now of the parish of St. Leonard's Shoroditch, co. Middlesex, and late of Peankatanke River in Virginia, planter. Dated 26 Aug., 1660. To my wife, Joan Davyes 220 acres of land, being my whole plantation in Peaukatauke River, in Virginia. Also my stock of tobacco, and said wife Executrix. Witnesses: Edward Boswall, Edward Tudman, William Davis, Adam Eve, scrivenor. Proved 5 July, 1661, by the Executrix named. (P. C. C. May, 107.)

(*To be continued.*)

SOCIETY PROCEEDINGS.

Regular Meeting, November 11th, 1910.

The November meeting of the Society was held on the evening of Friday, Nov. 11, 1910, being the first meeting of the season, and was well attended.

The meeting was called to order at 8.40, the president, Mr. Clarence Winthrop Bowen in the Chair.

The Executive Committee reported the election of the following since the May meeting: Henry Hersey Andrew, Annual Member, 507 West End Ave., City, proposed by Henry P. Gibson; William Denton Bloodgood, Annual Member, 542 Fifth Ave., City, proposed by John R. Totten; William Badeau Bragdon, Annual Member, Cranford, N. J., proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs; Lawrence LaTourette Driggs, Annual Member, R. 1017, 32 Liberty St., City, proposed by John R. Totten; James Alfred Ellis, Annual Member, 265 Broadway, City, proposed by Rev. E. B. Stockton; Mrs. Samuel Knapp Frost, Annual Member, 254 Garfield Place, Brooklyn, N. Y., proposed by John R. Totten; Emory Delos Lapham, Annual Member, East Rochester, N. Y., proposed by John R. Totten; Mrs. Edgar Madden, Annual Member, 3120 Broadway, City, proposed by John R. Totten; Frederic Gregory Mather, Annual Member, 164 Fairfield Ave., Stamford, Conn., proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs; Antonio Fernando de Navarro, Annual Member, 13 West 46th St., City, proposed by John R. Totten; Moses Taylor Pyne, Annual Member, Princeton, N. J., proposed by John R. Totten; William Ross, Annual Member, Hastings-on-Hudson, N. Y., proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs; Anne Elizabeth Smith, Annual Member, 151 W. 48th St., City, proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs; John B. White, Annual Member, 1111 Long Building, Kansas City, Mo., proposed by John R. Totten; Mrs. Joseph Simeon Wood, Annual Member, 135 S. 2nd Ave., Mt. Vernon, N. Y., proposed by John R. Totten; Mrs. William Woodward, Sr., Annual Member, 11 West 51st St., City, proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs.

The following deaths have been recorded since the last meeting: Honorary Members: Hon. Melville Weston Fuller; Mrs. Julia Ward Howe; The Duke of Veragua. Annual Members: Theodore Melvin Banta; William Gilbert Davies; Cornelius Berrien Mitchell.

President Bowen then introduced the speaker of the evening, Howard E. Gansworth, of Buffalo, New York, who read a very interesting paper entitled "The Iroquois of the Confederacy."

At the close of the lecture Capt. Richard Henry Greene moved that a vote of thanks of the Society be tendered to Mr. Gansworth for his interesting lecture, which was duly seconded by Mr. Henry P. Gibson, and carried unanimously.

The meeting then adjourned to the Library, where the members and their guests were served with refreshments.

Regular Meeting, December 9th, 1910.

A regular meeting of the Society was held on December 9th, 1910 at 4 P. M. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Clarence Winthrop Bowen, President.

The Secretary reported the following elections to membership since the last meeting, viz:— Arthur Clarence Jacobson, M. D., No. 115 Johnson St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Annual Member, proposed by Henry Oscar Rockefeller, M. D.; Charles Gifford Finney Wilcox, No. 184 Clinton St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Annual Member, proposed by John R. Totten.

Mr. Bowen then presented to the Society the speaker of the day, Charles Francis Adams, Esq., President of the Massachusetts Historical Society of Boston, Mass., who had accepted the invitation of the Society to address them on the subject of "Our Civil War and the Diplomatic Complications of that Period."

Mr. Adams held his audience for about an hour with a most scholarly and interesting treatment of his subject and it was the unanimous expression of opinion that the Society had never been favored with a more satisfactory treatment of a topic of such national historic interest. As a contribution to the Diplomatic history of our country during the period covered, Mr. Adams' address is of the greatest value, as it gives to the public much hitherto unpublished data, which will in the future be of immense value to historians in commenting upon the events of those times. The Society's special guest of the

afternoon was the Hon. John Bigelow, who during the period covered by Mr. Adams' address was the Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States to France. Upon the completion of Mr. Adams' address Mr. Bigelow arose and favored the audience with most appropriate comments, which his former position of Minister to France enabled him to render most pertinent: he closed his remarks with a strong eulogy of Charles Francis Adams, Senior, who was his ministerial colleague at the Court of St. James during the Civil War. The Society is to be congratulated in having had Mr. Bigelow as its honored guest on this occasion and felicitates him upon the recent celebration of his 93rd birthday in such a condition of vigorous mental and physical health.

Hon. Joseph H. Choate, recent Ambassador to the Court of St. James, then arose and proposed a graceful vote of thanks to Mr. Adams for his masterly address, in which he specifically stated that the recognition of the upright and steadfast character of Charles Francis Adams, Senior, while Minister to England during the Civil War so impressed the English people that it is largely due to those personal characteristics that the Diplomatic relations between England and the United States have now attained such a highly satisfactory condition. Mr. Choate also stated that Mr. Bigelow's active Ministerial efforts largely contributed towards the non-recognition of the Confederate States.

The proposed vote of thanks was duly seconded by General James Grant Wilson, who moved that the address of Mr. Adams be printed by the Society either in the Record or in pamphlet form for future preservation.

The motion of thanks to Mr. Adams and the motion to print his address, duly seconded, was unanimously carried.

The meeting then adjourned for refreshments. The attendance at the afternoon gathering of the Society was unusually large and will be regarded as a memorable occasion by all present.

QUERIES.

Esty.—Information is desired concerning the parentage or further ancestry of the following :—

1. Esty, Joseph, who died in Columbia Co., N. Y., 1796. His name mentioned in Probate Records of that county.
2. Esty, Job, member of the Columbia Co. Militia 1805.
3. Estey, William, member of the Baptist Church, Salem or Cambridge, N. Y. 1816.
4. Esty, Aaron, born 1788, probably in Ontario Co., N. Y., married Cyrene Fisk, and moved to Ohio.
5. Estee, John, who married Elizabeth McNeil at Churchville, Bucks Co., Pa., 1799; also record of her descendants.
6. Esty, David, who died at Freetown, Mass., in 1779; wife Bathsheba ——.
7. Estey, Moses, born in Gagetown, N. B., Canada, in 1774, married Elizabeth Hall of Gagetown.

SPENCER JOSEPH ESTEY,
198 Washington Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Willet—Wanted dates of birth and death of Capt. Gilbert Colden Willet and of his marriage to Susan Murray. Also dates and ancestry, both paternal and maternal, of Col. William Willet, his father, who married Alice Colden.

Murray—Wanted name of wife (with dates and ancestry) of Robert Murray (born 1721, died July 22, 1786), Susan's father, and his ancestry. He was also the father of Lindley Murray, the Grammarian.

Van Wormer—Wanted parents of Isaac Van Wormer, born May 10, 1765, living in 1809 and probably later. He married Sept. 25, 1787, Elsie Van Loon (at Albany?) It is very possible that he was a grandson of Frederick Van Wormer, bapt., April 20, 1712, at Albany.

There was a Frederick (Van) Wormer (son of the above?) and his wife Grietje Van Schaack, who had children, Annatje and Petrus, bapt. at Coxsackie, Oct. 12, 1742, and April 12, 1751, respectively. Isaac Van Wormer, had among other children a Frederick and a Margaret, who may have been so named for their grandparents, in which case the above Frederick (Van) Wormer and Grietje Van Schaack, would constitute the missing link.

EDUARDO HAVILAND HILLMAN, Campo S. Samuele. N. 3227 Venice, Italy.

BOOK NOTICES.

EDITORIAL NOTE:—The New York Genealogical and Biographical Society solicits as donations to its Library all newly published works on Genealogy, History and Biography, as well as all works on Town, County and State History, or works embodying information regarding the Vital Records of any and all localities. It also solicits the donation to the manuscript collections of its library any and all manuscript compilations which bear upon the above mentioned topics.

In consideration of such donations the works so presented to the Society will be at once placed upon the shelves of its library and will be reviewed in the next subsequent issue of THE NEW YORK GENEALOGICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD, each donation of such character, whether in printed or manuscript form, will be reviewed under the head of "Book Notices" and a copy of THE RECORD containing the review will be sent to the donor.

The Society does *not* solicit donations of publications or manuscripts on topics foreign to the above mentioned subjects, as its library is specialized and cannot accommodate material which does not bear directly upon its recognized sphere of usefulness.

Donations for review in the January issue of THE RECORD should be delivered to the Society before December 1st of the previous year; for the April issue, before March 1st; for the July issue before June 1st; and for the October issue, before September 1st.

All donations will be generously reviewed with a view of calling the attention of the public to their good points; but, while generous, the reviews will contain such proper criticism as the interest of the genealogical student would expect from the editorial staff of THE RECORD.

The "Book Notices" of THE RECORD are carefully read by all librarians as well as genealogical students, and the review of a work in THE RECORD is equivalent to a special advertisement of such work.

Letters of transmittal of donations of such works should embody the price of the work donated and the name and address of the person from whom it can be purchased.

AN HISTORICAL NARRATIVE OF THE ELY, REVELL AND STACYE FAMILIES, who were among the founders of Trenton and Burlington in the Province of West Jersey, 1678–1683, with the genealogy of the Ely descendants in America, by Reuben Pownall Ely of Lambertville, N. J., by Warren Smedly Ely of Doylestown, Pa., and by Daniel Brittain Ely of Montclair, N. J. Octavo, cloth, pp. 445, with Index. Press of Fleming H. Revell Co. New York, 1910. Price $5.00.

In spite of its rather prolix title this work is a clear and concise statement of the descendants of Joshua Ely of Trenton, N. J., stated to have come from Dunham, Co. Notts, England, and related to the Stacye and Revell families by marriage. The spirit which actuated its authors and compilers to print the mass of material collected is to be commended, and it is to be regretted that so much of the data collected was omitted for lack of space. The annals of the English families of the name seem to be somewhat loose compilations of Heraldic Visitations and Pedigrees in which the names of Ely, Stacye and Revell appear, and while the printing of such information in one volume may be useful, it is hardly necessary for an American genealogy unless the line of relationship is more clearly traced than in this work. The New Jersey records seem to indicate whence the Ely, Stacye and Revell immigrants came, and more time and care devoted to searching the wills, parish registers, etc., dealing with those localities in England would have yielded more pertinent data than copies of ancient heraldic pedigrees of English families of the same name, not positively known to be related.

Although a professional genealogist is responsible for much of the work, it is not arranged in standard style and hence students of genealogy will be handicapped in making any rapid examination of its contents. The book is well printed and the illustrations are unusually good half tones.

SPELMAN GENEALOGY. The English Ancestry and American Descendants of Richard Spelman of Middletown, Conn., 1700, by Fanny Cooley Williams Barbour. Cloth, Octavo, pp. 559. Full Index. Frank Allaben Genealogical Co. New York, 1910. Price $10.00, carriage 30 cents extra.

This admirably arranged work is an exhaustive history of the Spelman family in Old and New England, and it is unfortunate that the author did not live to see the final results of her many years' research and toil. Starting with Sir William Espielman, Kt., 1300, no less than fifteen generations of the name have been traced in the English records and eight generations in America, the first American representative of the race only crossing the sea in 1700. The tracing of the pedigree and arms in England is wonderfully complete and a great debt of gratitude is due to Sir Henry Spelman, Kt., whose genealogical

chart was the foundation for the present Spelman lineage. The personal annals of each descendant of Richard Spelman, the immigrant, appear most complete and the persistence, industry and intelligence of the author deserve the highest praise. The book contains some eighty illustrations of autographs, former homes, and portraits of the family, and a colored plate of the Spelman arms. The paper and typography is unusually fine, even for an age when no expense is spared upon costly genealogical printing and the standard arrangement of the genealogical data is heartily to be commended. The plan and scope of the history should serve as a model for future family historians and it is seldom that so detailed and complete a genealogy of the English ancestry is secured.

As an authoratitive and final work of reference of this prominent Connecticut family the book should be found on the shelves of every important library in the country.

Some Account of Captain John Frazier and His Descendants, with notes on the West and Checkley Families, by Josiah Granville Leach, LL.B. Cloth, Octavo, pp. 139, with Index. Printed for private circulation by the press of J. B. Lippincott Co. Philadelphia, 1910. No price stated.

No more ancient and illustrious family than that of Fraser exists in Scotland to-day and its annals have been repeatedly printed and published in works on Scottish genealogy and pedigree. The history of that crafty and treacherous member of the family, Simon Fraser, Lord Lovat, has for years furnished material for popular historians and novelists, and the military prowess of his kin in the early Colonial History of this country indicates the fighting spirit so characteristic of this race. Mr. Leach's history of John Frazier, is admirable in plan and full of most interesting facts, well told, and of portrait illustrations, beautifully finished. He fails, however, to state clearly and conclusively how Capt. John Frazier of Boston, a native of Inverness, Scotland, was related to the illustrious family of like name. The mere words "a descendant of the ancient family of Fraser, settled in Scotland for several generations," being no proof of kinship. There are, to the reviewer's knowledge, many Frasers who have been born in Inverness in no way related to the great Fraser family, save by similitude of name alone. Capt. John Frazier, sturdy sea captain, man of action and intelligence, was the head of a long line of descendants, whose annals are set forth in the pages of this attractive book. The family history is one of " gentle folk " with marked traits of industry and self reliance, and Prof. Benjamin West Frazer, Jr., of Lehigh University, has won well deserved recognition and success, in geological and scientific circles.

The book is beautifully printed upon superior paper and artistically bound and the plates are exceptionally fine in quality.

Andrew Warde and His Descendants, 1597–1910, by George K. Ward, A. M. Large Octavo, pp. 604. Full index. Half Morocco. A. T. De La Mare Printing and Publishing Co., Ltd. New York, 1910. Price $10.00. Address Rev. Geo. K. Ward, 617 West 152nd St., N. Y. City.

This work is the result of the Association of Descendants of Andrew Warde, some fifteen thousand or more names being traced and recorded in the volume. It is claimed that the original American ancestor was a grandson of Richard Ward of Homersfield and Gorleston, Co. Suffolk, England, armiger, and came to New England about 1630, settling at Watertown, Mass., later removing to Stamford, Conn., and finally locating at Fairfield, Conn., where he died in 1659. He married Hester, daughter of Edmund and Judith (Angier) Sherman, by whom he had nine children. The history of his descendants is given in more genealogical than historical form, the greater part of the subject matter being dates of births, marriages and deaths. The author has added brief biographical sketches of allied families and the chain of descent is carefully worked out, his labor indicating great industry and zeal. The reference system of nomenclature is simple to the author but not standard and hence somewhat puzzling to the general reader. Excellent half tone reproductions of family portraits and objects of interest fill the pages and the record should be appreciated and substantially supported by those akin to this family.

GENEALOGICAL AND MEMORIAL HISTORY OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, compiled and edited by Francis Bazley Lee. Half Morocco, Quarto, pp. 1694. Full Index. In four volumes, illustrated. Lewis Historical Publishing Co. New York, 1910. Price $25.00.

This extensive work has been prepared from data received from family representatives and genealogies already printed concerning early founders of New Jersey families, and the mere digesting of the mass of printed material and assembling the facts in a single publication indicates what time, labor and intelligence has been devoted to the task. The advantage of condensing all Jersey Genealogies into these four volumes is obvious and the accuracy of the data is remarkable, considering the large field covered.

A brief introduction sets forth the names of the early settlers of the State and prepares the reader for the long series of family histories and biographies which follow. In a work of this character the annals of a family as given by some present descendant must be accepted as accurate, for detailed verification of traditional claims to arms, noble birth and other such *desiderata* could not be made by the compiler. A short examination of some of the many genealogies, however, discloses that they are not only well written but well edited, and to those having ancestry in New Jersey this publication can be confidently recommended as a basis of genealogical research. It is to be regretted that some of the ancient Jersey families have been omitted, notably that of Throckmorton, one of the oldest and best known families not only in Jersey but in England.

Of necessity, however, all the Jersey families could not be placed in one publication and it is extraordinary that the omissions are so few and comparatively unimportant. The volumes are finely illustrated with steel plates and half tone portraits, are well typed and sensibly bound. As a comprehensive work of reference for New Jersey families these books should be in constant demand.

GENEALOGICAL AND FAMILY HISTORY OF THE STATE OF MAINE, compiled under the editorial supervision of George Thomas Little, A. M., Litt. D. Quarto, 4 vols. Copyrighted Lewis Historical Publishing Co., 265 Broadway, N. Y, City. 1909. Price $25.00.

This work is similar in scope and attainment to that of the *New Jersey Genealogical and Family History*, published by the same firm and reviewed in this issue; and is worthy of the same commendation which we have bestowed upon the New Jersey work. The Lewis Historical Publishing Co., have now issued in this series similar works covering the States of New Hampshire, Maine, Massachusetts and New Jersey, a similar work covering the upper tier of New York is about to issue from their press, and the State of Connecticut is we understand under preparation.

Historical and Genealogical Libraries should secure the entire series.

RECOLLECTIONS OF ABRAHAM LANSING, by Charles E. Fitch, L. H. D. Cloth, 8vo, pp. 226. Privately printed. The DeVinne Press, New York, 1909. No price stated.

This volume is of the nature of a memorial to Abraham Lansing, a distinguished jurist of Albany, N. Y., and descended from a long line of upright and eminent sires. It is composed of a brief Biography, Appreciations, Letters, Public Tributes, Speeches of Mr. Lansing, and the Log Book kept by him at Camp Albany, on the Restigouche, where he spent many summer vacations in the pursuit of sport and recreation. Every page of the work shows the trace of a loving hand and the stirling worth of the subject of the publication can be appreciated from the text, which in well chosen words outlines the character, career and accomplishments of the late Mr. Lansing. The work is beautifully printed, the paper and binding being even beyond the high standard of the typography. For his friends and those, who, if less intimate, knew him as an upright and intelligent man of affairs, this memorial will be a source of satisfaction and prove a welcome addition to works of biography collected by the more important libraries throughout the country.

THE OLD NEW YORK FRONTIER. ITS WARS WITH INDIANS AND TORIES, ITS MISSIONARY SCHOOLS, PIONEERS AND LAND TITLE, 1614–1800, by Francis

Whiting Halsey, with Maps, Illustrations, and Index. Cloth 8vo, pp. 432. Charles Scribners' Sons, New York, 1901. Price $2.50 net.

Border warfare has always been marked by the courage, endurance and daring of the early settlers, who actuated by the passion of land acquisition, lived and died in an age of romance. The history of the Mohawk and Susquehannah Valley may be divided into three periods, viz: That of the Indian and Fur Traders, that of French and Indian and Revolutionary War and the Pioneers, and finally that of the Settlers and Emigrants after the War of the Revolution. Far to little attention has been paid by Historians to this important branch of State history, and the present volume will fill a long felt want. To refer to all the subjects dealt with in this admirably planned and well written book would be impossible for lack of space, but the chapters upon the Missionaries, Sir William Johnson, the Fort Stanwix Deed, the First Settlers, Joseph Brant, the Battle of the Oriskany and the Cherry Valley Massacre, are especially well treated and described. The author has availed himself of much material hitherto inaccessable to the general reader, such as the Clinton MSS., the Draper Collection of Brant MSS., and the Sir William Johnson MSS.

The test makes fascinating reading, and although the historical facts are concisely set forth, they are described in a way to charm and hold the attention of the general reader. Not the least valuable portions of the work are those tracing the New England ancestry of the border settlers and emigrants.

The press work and binding of the volume is up to the present exacting standard of its publishers, and there are many and well chosen illustrations.

New York State Historical Association, Proceedings of the Eleventh Annual Meeting, Vol. IX, Cloth, 8vo, pp. 445, published by the Association, 1910.

This most excellent association continues its valuable records in Vol. IX, and the essays and historical sketches contained therein will make admirable material for future historians. Some of the more interesting articles are "The Governors of New York," "The Portrait Medaillon of Jacques Cartier," "The Capture of André," "Relations of the Dutch and the Indians prior to the massacre of 1665," "Anne Hutchinson, Her Life in New York," and "The Ticonderoga Exposition of 1775."

In dealing especially with the minor events of the Colonial and Revolutionary history of this country, the Association is preserving for all time many facts that in the course of time might disappear, as being too local or unimportant for the general historians to note. The results of individual research, by those particularly interested in a particular person, place or event, may often shed the clearest light upon the motives actuating the greatest historical events of history and the patriotism and generosity of the members of this Society in publishing this volume cannot be too highly commended.

Publications of the American Jewish Historical Society, Number 19. Paper 8vo, pp. 259. Index. Published by the Society. The Lord Baltimore Press, Baltimore, Md., 1910.

This number fully sustains the high object of the preceeding publications and is in no way inferior to them in interest and value. It contains articles upon "The Jews and Masonry in the United States before 1810," "The Jews in Connection with the Colleges of the Thirteen Original States prior to 1800," "The beginning of Russo-Jewish Immigration to Philadelphia," a Series of Notes and the Necrology of the Society. The purpose of these publications is praiseworthy, for the genealogy and history of this great people has been wofully neglected. Once, however, the pride of those of Jewish descent is aroused in collecting and perpetuating the annals of their people in this country, records and publications of the utmost value will result. The publications of this Society will be a sure foundation to build up the American history of the Children of Israel and every encouragement and support should be given to the officers and members of the association to continue their well doing.

The Quackenbush Family in Holland and America, by Adriana Suydam Quackenbush, Paper, Quarto, pp. 221. Full Index. Press of Quackenbush & Co., Paterson, N. J., 1909. Price not stated.

Curiously enough this name appears to be rare in the Holland archives and was confined to the small area of the City of Leiden and its suburbs. Aelbert van Quackenbosch was the first of the name traced to Leiden about 1490, whose son Dirk used the Coat of Arms which appears in the "Leiden Armorial" on Sept. 17, 1529. His descendants are traced and terminate in Holland with the family of Pieter Gerritzoon von Quackenbosh who died in 1640. It is reasonably probable that Pieter van Quackenbosch, student at Leiden University age 12, and later at Groenigen, was identical with the man of that name, who, with his wife Maritje and his infant son Reynier, came from Oestgeest, near Leiden, Holland, to Beverwyck in 1660. From him sprang a long line of descendants, clearly set forth in this work. It is desirable that permanent records should be made of all the early Dutch Families in New York State and the compiler is to be congratulated upon the success of her researches. The paper and print is excellent and the sole regret is that so complete a memorial should not have been bound in cloth for greater preservation.

LANCASTER COUNTY INDIANS, ANNALS OF THE SUSQUEHANNAHS AND OTHER INDIAN TRIBES OF THE SUSQUEHANNAH TERRITORY FROM ABOUT THE YEAR 1500 TO 1763, THE DATE OF THEIR EXTINCTION, by H. Frank Eshleman, B. E., M. E., LL. B. Paper, 8 vo, pp. 415, with Index. Lancaster, Pa., 1908. To be obtained from H. Frank Eshleman, 48 North Duke St., Lancaster, Pa.

This work is an exhaustive series of historical papers descriptive of the Indian tribes of Lancaster County, Pa., made up of copious extracts from all authoritative records and publications dealing with the subject. Civilization and Progress have swept aside and all but exterminated the Indian aborigines of the Eastern Colonies and States, once so numerous and powerful, and unless steps are taken to preserve their history, the very name of Indian may fade away into a tradition. The author displays great industry and labor in collecting the material for this volume and while the book has little genealogical interest, its historical and anthropological value is unquestioned. The average student of Indian History has in this collection all the data under one cover, much of which it would have been impossible for him to search out, without long and persistent hours of toil.

THE WOODS FAMILY OF GROTON, MASS., by Henry Ernest Woods, A. M., Paper 8vo, pp. 39. Press of David Clapp & Son, Boston, 1910. Price not stated.

This pamphlet is a reprint of the Woods genealogy which appeared in Vol. 64, of *New England Historical and Genealogical Register* and deals with the descendants for six generations of Samuel Woods of Watertown, Mass., in in 1653, Cambridge and Groton, Mass. The compiler has done his work well and is to be commended for putting the material in reprint form, whereby it is more available and useful for the family student and historian.

THE DIARY OF PHILIP HONE. Edited by Bayard Tuckerman. A new edition, 8vo, cloth, pp. 426, including index. Published by Dodd, Mead and Company, 4th Avenue & 30th St., N. Y. City, 1910. Price $3.50 net.

To those who are even casually interested in the history of New York City, we recommend this one-volume edition of *The Diary of Philip Hone.* Philip Hone was one of the foremost figures in New York life during the first half of the nineteenth century. A man of great wealth for that day, he was prominent financially, socially and politically. In addition, he was a pilanthropist of wide activity, and a patron of the arts and literature. At his house he entertained Daniel Webster, Henry Clay, Fanny Kemble, Charles Dickens and many other distinguished visitors. His diary reflects faithfully the life of his native town for a quarter of a century. during which time New York grew from a small town to a city of half a million. *The Diary of Philip Hone*, which was published years ago in an expensive two-volume edition, and has long been out of print, is now issued in one volume at a very moderate price.

From the intimate nature of this work it results that it is full of information as to family connections which cannot fail to be of great interest to genealogical and historical students. The work reflects great credit upon the editor and likewise maintains the high standard of excellence characteristic of the publishing house from which it is issued.

LIFE AND LETTERS OF JAMES WOLFE, by Beckles Willson. 8vo, cloth, pp. 522, including index, with many illustrations and maps, published by Dodd, Mead & Co., 30th St. & 4th Avenue, N. Y. City, 1910. Price $4.00 net.

To the enthusiasm and industry of the author the world is indebted for a volume which will take its place as a standard biography of the hero of the Plains of Abraham. It is based upon contemporary documents and upon a great quantity of private letters, most of which have never before been published. It deserves to be read if only for the fluent charm of the narrative; and it will appeal to students of history for the valuable material brought to light, and for the new and interesting glimpses afforded into the domestic and official life of General Wolfe. This work is recommended to all Historical Libraries and those of general reference as a valuable addition of specific nature to the general store of knowledge bearing upon the events of that period.

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The first 123 pages of this work are devoted to a careful recording of the proceedings of the Rockefeller Association and cannot fail to be of great interest to the members of that body. Pages 124 to 147 inclusive give History of the family, with deeds of land, etc. Pages 148 to 329 are devoted to pure genealogical information concerning the family, showing the German origin of the particular branch whose records are here perpetuated. The recording of the French branch of the family is left for future publication. The genealogical information embodied in the work is arranged in standard form and is excellent in every particular and reflects great credit upon the editors. A full list of the members of the association follows the genealogical section, and the whole is completed by an excellent index. The press work and general *ensemble* is up to the invariably high standard of the Knickerbocker Press.

LIFE OF HIRAM PAULDING, REAR ADMIRAL, U. S. N., by Rebecca Paulding Meade, small 8vo, cloth, pp. 321, including index, with numerous portrait illustrations. Baker & Taylor Company, Union Square, N. Y. City, publishers, 1910. Price $1.50 net.

An excellent work proceeding from the pen of one to whom the subject thereof was of revered memory. It throws much side light upon the events of our country's history from 1797 until 1878 and is therefore a valuable addition to the history of the period mentioned.

MEMOIR OF PHILIPPE MATON WILTSEE AND HIS DESCENDANTS, with a historical introduction referring to The Wiltsee Nation and its Colonies, by Jerome Wiltsee, Sr., 8vo, cloth, pp. 294, No Index, Copyrighted 1908. Press of G. W. Meyers, Atchison, Kans. Price $5.00, postage 18 cents. Address Jerome Wiltsee, Sr., Falls City, Nebraska.

This work contains a valuable compilation of genealogical data concerning the European progenitors of the Wiltsee family in America and record of the descendants of this stock in America up to 1905. The work is careful and exhaustive but is not arranged in standard genealogical form which renders search for individual records somewhat tedious. It is to be regretted that the work is not indexed, as the lack of this necessary feature of any genealogical work still further augments the difficulty of locating the valuable information contained therein. Aside from these criticisms the author is to be highly commended for an excellent and painstaken contribution to the field of genealogical research. All genealogical and historical libraries should secure the work.

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JOHN THOMPSON HOFFMAN.

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John Thompson Hoffman was the twenty-third Governor of the State of New York and held that office from 1869 to 1873. James Ford Rhodes has said that "his career is one of the curiosities of our politics." The hard fate which pursues so many of our public men is exemplified in his life, and to-day he is practically forgotten, or when his name is mentioned it is usually coupled with the assertion of careless falsehoods which by heedless repetition seem to have grown into history. It may not be amiss to tell what sort of a man he really was and to correct some of the misrepresentations concerning him, although it is impossible to present the subject fully within the limits of a a magazine sketch.

In his *Life of Chatham* Lord Rosebery says that "there is one initial part of a biography which is skipped by every judicious reader; that in which the pedigree of the hero is set forth, often with warm fancy and sometimes at intolerable length." But the ancestry of Hoffman is not without significance, for it was distinctively American and distinctively associated with New York. His father, Doctor Adrian Kissam Hoffman, was the son of Philip Livingston Hoffman and Helena Kissam. Philip Livingston was the son of Colonel Martinus Hoffman and Alida Livingston, the former descended from Martin Hoffman, who emigrated from Holland in 1657 and settled at Kingston, Ulster County, New York, and the latter from Philip Livingston, Lord of the Manor of Livington, herself a sister of Philip Livingston the Signer and of Governor William Livingston of New Jersey. Doctor Hoffman, who was born in the Livingston Manor House at Claverack, served for a short time as Assistant Surgeon in the Navy, and married Jane Ann Thompson, daughter of Doctor John Thompson of Galway, Saratoga County, and allied with such families as Lyells and the Schuremans. He began the practice of medicine in Sing Sing (now Ossining), Westchester County, New York, in 1825, where, on January 10, 1828, his son, John Thompson Hoffman, was born. Although the city of New York was only

about thirty miles distant, the means of communication between the two places at that time was limited to stages and sloops, so that the village long preserved its individuality and its own quiet and dignified society, and it had not become so closely associated with the State Prison then recently established there as to obtain the somewhat unpleasant notoriety which it afterwards acquired. The child developed into a lad of notable brightness and intelligence. He received his preliminary instruction at the Mount Pleasant Academy, an excellent institution still remaining, being for a portion of the time under the tuition of Nathaniel S. Prime, the father of Doctor Samuel Irenæus Prime and William Cowper Prime, the former remembered now as the distinguished editor of the *New York Observer*. Doctor Samuel was one of the teachers in the school, and many years afterwards he took occasion to place upon record in his periodical the respect and admiration which the boy aroused in him by his intellectual ability and by his sincere and upright character. He was mentally precocious, and at the early age of fifteen entered Union College, then under the presidency of Eliphalet Nott, as a member of the Sophomore class; was obliged to leave college for a time on account of delicate health; returned in junior year; and was graduated with honors at the age of eighteen, in 1846. Even as a boy he had much experience in public speaking, and was the favorite "Fourth of July orator" of the neighborhood in the time when Independence Day was the occasion for oratory of the patriotic kind. He had a good voice, an attractive presence, and the florid style of the day, and he possessed a natural inclination towards politics. His graduating speech attracted more attention than such efforts usually do; the subject was "Sectional Prejudice," and the perusal of a copy of it in my possession, made by the faithful hands of his devoted sister, indicates that the youthful orator considered that kind of prejudice to be very bad indeed. He studied law in Sing Sing with Judge Albert Lockwood and General Aaron Ward. General Ward was the leading man of the county and had for several terms represented the district in Congress. Young Hoffman began to take an active part in local politics long before he was a voter—a delegate to conventions and a campaign speaker before he attained his majority. In those days the democracy was divided in two warring camps—the "Hunkers," or Conservatives, who supported the Polk Administration in national affairs, and the "Barnburners," or Radicals, led by Wright, Butler and the Van Burens. Hoffman was a "Hunker," and in 1848, at the age of twenty, he was chosen a member of the State Central Committee by the Hunker Convention. In the ensuing campaign he "took the stump" for Cass, but the Barnburner defection to Van Buren gave the State to Taylor and the Whigs. On January 10, 1849, his twenty-first birthday, he was admitted to the bar and at once acquired a respectable clientage; but he realized that his place was in the city, and in the autumn of the same year he opened an office at No. 63 Wall Street, which he retained until he became so much involved in public affairs that

he was obliged to give up his practice. Almost immediately he entered into a partnership with Samuel M. Woodruff and William H. Leonard—later a Justice of the Supreme Court—which partnership was not long afterwards dissolved by the death of Mr. Woodruff, but was continued with Judge Leonard until the latter was chosen to the Supreme Court in November, 1859. The firm had an extensive commercial and general business for those days, and Hoffman gained an excellent reputation at the bar. In January, 1854, he married Ella, daughter of Henry Starkweather, a merchant in the city, and soon after established his home at No. 30 West Nineteenth Street, where he lived until his election as Mayor. In 1858 he presented to the Court of Appeals the respondent's side of the important case of Mead *v.* Mitchell (17 N. Y., 210), in which he was successful. In 1856 he could have had a nomination for Congress, which would have been equivalent to an election, but he declined in favor of his friend, Horace F. Clark, having no desire to accept public office other than a judicial one or one in the line of his profession. In 1859 his friends urged President Buchanan to appoint him United States District Attorney for the Southern District of New York, but the President thought him "too young" for so important a place. In 1860 the Tammany Hall democracy nominated him for the ancient and honorable office of Recorder. When it was suggested to him he was not disposed to accept; indeed, he wrote a letter declining it, but the bearer suppressed it, and, after the nomination had been made, he was persuaded not to refuse it. He was elected by a good majority, being the youngest man ever chosen to fill that position. The judicial business of the Recorder was on the criminal side, a field in which he had no previous experience, but he was both popular and efficient, and gained for himself a high judicial reputation. He was firm and vigorous, but always fair in his conduct of trials, and his comprehension of the questions of law presented to him was so clear and accurate that his decisions were invariably sustained when reviewed by appellate courts. In the time of great public excitement during the rebellion of 1861–65, he was a staunch supporter of the Union, although he did not approve of some of the arbitrary acts of the government in respect to the liberties of citizens, now generally regarded as unnecessary and unjustifiable. In the fall of 1863 large numbers of participants in the Draft Riots of that year were tried and convicted before him, and the severity of the sentences which he imposed upon them were strongly commended by the community, which had been disposed to believe that a Democratic judge would inflict light punishment. In the same autumn he received what was then an unusual mark of public confidence and esteem. He was nominated for re-election on October 12, 1863, by the Republican or "Union" County Convention. The representatives of that body, advising him of its action, added, in the letter which now lies before me and is a conclusive refutation of the later slanders of Mr. Greeley and his *New York Tribune:* "The Committee were instructed further to declare that the nomination was made for the reasons that

your judicial judgments have been impartial and uninfluenced by partisian considerations; that the manner in which you have performed your official duty demands your re-election, and that you have been neither doubting nor cold in your support of the national cause." The two hostile factions of the democracy, Tammany Hall and Mozart Hall, at once nominated him. He was supported by the whole newspaper press of the city, and being opposed by only a small body of so-called "Independents," was re-elected by 60,000 votes out of 64,000—an occurrence then without precedent in the annals of the city.

In the autumn of 1865 local politics in New York were in much confusion. Tammany Hall, of which organization Hoffman had become a member in 1853 or 1854, was hard pressed, and its managers were fully aware that unless they put forward for Mayor a candidate of unimpeachable integrity and great personal popularity they would lose the battle. Hoffman was their only hope. He was reluctant to accept the office of Mayor. He once said to me: "The office of Mayor of New York is the most thankless one I know of," and in his message to the Legislature in 1869 he said: "The Mayor of the city, its chief magistrate, to whom the people naturally look for a redress of grievances, is deprived of nearly all the powers which properly belong to the the executive." Yet everything was expected of the Mayor, although the real powers were exercised chiefly by commissions created by the Legislature, the evils of which became so unbearable that, so far as municipal government was concerned, they were in later years entirely done away with. His ambition was to occupy a position on the bench of the Supreme Court of the State, and he was much disappointed when he failed to persuade the "leaders" to give him the nomination—they needed him to head the municipal ticket. An appeal was made to him that his duty to his party required him to stand for the Mayoralty, and that he should sacrifice personal considerations in the interest of the cause. His strong sense of duty compelled him to yield, and on November 21, 1865, he was nominated. Three candidates opposed him: Marshall O. Roberts, Republican, a man of distinction and of high character; John Hecker, placed in the field by the Citizens' Union; and C. Godfrey Gunther, then the incumbent of the office, nominated by the anti-Tammany democracy. The contest was close, and it was generally conceded that Hoffman won a personal victory, leading the next highest candidate, Roberts, by less than 1,200 votes. He entered upon his duties on January 1, 1866, and his administration was successful. Writing of him as he was at about this time, Alexander, in his *Political History of the State of New York*, says (Vol. iii, 156): "Hoffman's life had been full of sunshine and success. He was a distinguished student at Union College, an excellent lawyer, an effective speaker, and a superb gentleman. Slenderly but strongly built, his square, firm chin and prominent features, relieved by large, brown eyes, quickly attracted attention as he appeared in public." James Ford Rhodes, in his *History of the United States* (Vol. vi, 401, note), says: "In the winter

of 1866 I used frequently to see him at an early morning hour walking down Broadway on his way to the City Hall. Tall and erect, under forty and in full mental and physical vigor, he presented a distinguished appearance, and was looked at with interest as he passed with long elastic strides. He was regarded as one of the coming men of the nation. He had the air of a very successful man who is well satisfied with himself and confident that affairs in general are working for his advantage." Mr. Rhodes's inferences from what he personally saw are not, however, very trustworthy, as we shall see later.

As the State election of 1866 drew near Hoffman was manifestly the favorite democratic candidate for Governor. The Johnson Republicans, of the Weed-Raymond type, and the Democrats, uniting in general support of the national administration, joined in a convention at Albany on September 11, 1866. General John A. Dix, Robert H. Pruyn of Albany, and Henry C. Murphy of Brooklyn were spoken of, and Mr. Alexander, whose interesting history is tinged by his Republican predispositions, gives a somewhat obscure but partisan account of how Dix was manœuvred out of the running. The fact is that Dix, although he had been a Democrat before the war, had no strength with the party; he had quite a flexible political character, and it is not surprising that only six years later he was elected Governor as a full-fledged Republican. At the Convention of 1866 Edward Pierrepont, oddly enough to be in less than ten years Attorney-General in a Republican Cabinet, remarked that it was "a Democratic convention," withdrew Dix's name and moved the nomination of Hoffman, which was made by acclamation. Governor Fenton was the Republican candidate, and the campaign was active and animated. Hoffman "stumped the State" with considerable effect. Mr. Alexander says: "There was much in Hoffman himself to attract the enthusiasm of popular assemblages. Kind and sympathetic, with a firm dignity that avoided undue familiarity, he was irresistibly fascinating to men as he moved among them. He had an attractive presence, a genial manner, and a good name. He had, too, a peculiar capacity for understanding and pleasing people, being liberal and spontaneous in his expression of sympathy, and apparently earnest in his attachment to principle. He was not an orator. He lacked dash, brilliant rhetoric, and attractive figures of speech. He rarely stirred the emotions. But he pleased people. They felt themselves in the presence of one whom they could trust as well as admire." Leaving out of view the unworthy doubt implied in the use of the word "apparently," this characterization is fairly just—except that, on appropriate occasions he did have many "attractive figures of speech." In reality, he was a man of absolute honesty and sincerity; keenly sensitive; unsuspicious of others, and prone to trust those who professed friendship; without an atom of that wily craft which is unfortunately needed for self-protection in politics. If he had been a wily and suspicious man he might have attained the dubious success of Tilden who, whatever his merits may have been, was never renowned for unselfishness or sincerity.

Having no real grounds for assailing him personally the *Tribune* accused him of "disloyalty" during the rebellion, a favorite charge in those days, but it was a futile effort, for Hoffman had been a War Democrat of the Douglas type, and his loyality had been vouched for by a Republican convention. The burden of Andrew Johnson proved too heavy, and Fenton won by a little over 13,000 votes out of 718,000. This defeat in no way lessened the influence and the *prestige* of the democratic candidate. As temporary chairman of the State convention of 1867, he spoke in no uncertain phrases in reference to the prevalent delusions, favored by many of his party, and declared "the honor of the country pledged to the payment of every dollar of the national debt, honestly and fully, in the spirit as well as the letter of the bond," while Seymour artfully evaded the question. In the latter part of the same year he was re-elected Mayor over Fernando Wood by upwards of 20,000 majority. At the Democratic National Convention of 1868, held in Tammany Hall, of which he was then Grand Sachem, he received on the 17th and 18th ballots the three votes of Nebraska for the Presidential nomination, cast by J. Sterling Morton, chairman of the delegation, many years later Secretary of Agriculture in President Cleveland's second administration. At the State Convention, in September, Henry C. Murphy, as Mr. Alexander will have it, "allowed Hoffman to be nominated by acclamation for Governor." In November he defeated the Republican candidate, John A. Griswold of Troy, by over 27,000 majority, while Seymour led Grant by 10,000. It has been asserted and re-asserted by Republican partisans, newspapers, and historians that the election was won by colossal frauds—an outcry quite common where the party hitherto dominant has been defeated at the polls. There is no doubt that under the lax election laws of that time many frauds were perpetrated by both parties, and it was well known that they were fully as great in the country districts as in the city, although the city, being regarded as a sort of centre of all crime, naturally received most of the blame. The subsequent disgrace and fall of the "Ring" has made it easy to convict its members of every offense of which they were ever accused, and because the city was robbed in 1870–71, every one is willing to believe that they must have stolen the State in 1868. The campaign of that year was Seymour's, under the direct charge of the pure and high-minded Tilden. There was never any proof that the election was carried by fraud, but the charge was made and was repeated so often that in accordance with the rule in political history, it has come to be accepted as true. Mr. Alexander is especially violent about it, relying chiefly on such competent authorities as Horace Greeley's *Tribune* and other party newspapers, and the speeches of Mr. Roscoe Conkling. No responsible person ever accused either Seymour or Hoffman of any knowledge of or any participation in any fraudulent practices—even of such a knowledge or participation as that of Mr. Hayes in the theft of the Presidency eight years afterward.

When Hoffman assumed the office of Governor in 1869 the Legislature was Republican. He vigorously opposed the adoption of "special legislation," the passage of special bills where general laws could be availed of, and disapproved of the custom of granting street railway franchises to individuals without restrictions, which had prevailed under Morgan and Fenton. In vetoing the charter of the 125th Street Railroad, he said: "I hold that these grants belong to the people; that their value should be paid into the treasury of the State or of the City of New York, and that the Legislature has not the right, in morals or justce, to give them away to any individuals who may be selected for such benefaction. * * * All legislation should be founded on public reasons and be for public benefit. Legislatiion is a 'public trust,' and not a mere right to be exercised for private benefit or emolument." That his administration was satisfactory to the people generally was indicated by the fact that in the fall of 1869 the Democrats carried the State triumphantly, winning even the Legislature, notwithstanding the "notorious gerrymander," of which the Republicans had been guilty—a performance which, if it had been the work of the Democrats and for their own benefit, would have stirred Mr. Alexander to vociferous indignation. In November, 1870, he was re-elected Governor over Stewart L. Woodford by 33,000 majority, more than 6,000 in excess of that of 1868, although the majority in the city was reduced about 16,000, and the charge of "fraud" was not repeated.

To review adequately and in detail the whole four years of his tenure of office at Albany would require a minute study of the legislation and politics of the State during the period, and would demand a volume. The chief record of his work is to be found in his *Public Papers*, published after his retirement, but they do not tell the history of the time. They show the care and vigilance which he exercised over the legislation of the day and the way in which he scrutinized the measures submitted for his approval. He was noted for the number of his vetoes—about four hundred during his two terms—all of which, with one or two exceptions were sustained. No one would be sufficiently interested to read the *Papers* now, although President Cleveland told me that he had constant occasion to refer to them when he was Governor, and found them to be the best of those produced by any of his predecessors. A perusal of the newspapers of that period shows that they took the usual partisan view of every matter; the Republican press could see little or no good in anything he did, while the Democratic journals praised everything without much discrimination. Abuse of public men was somewhat more bitter than it is now, and the fact that Hoffman's name was constantly suggested for the Presidency in 1872, led the opposition papers to be venomous in the extreme. All this abuse would long since have been buried in oblivion but for the fact that Hoffman was supported by the men who constituted the so-called "Ring;" that the members of it, or some of them, were detected in robbing the city treasury; and that, although no one ever accused him of any share in or even knowledge of their

offenses, he was believed by the great body of the people, who have no disposition to investigate but take their beliefs from the daily papers and from such pictures and caricatures as those which Nast poured forth profusely, to have been the mere agent or tool of Tweed and his companions because he was their beneficiary in a political way—just as Seward and Morgan were thought by thousands to be the servants of Thurlow Weed, and McKinley the mere representative of Mark Hanna. After the lapse of years only the broad and general effects remain on the canvas of local political history; to acquiesce in the popular impression is easy, while to search for the truth calls for study and hard work, for which the uninterested public has neither time nor inclination. Moreover, those who, aiming at profit or at popularity, join most loudly in the cry of "Stop thief!" are apt to parade their virtues in print—like Tilden, who never lifted his voice "to assail the Tweed Ring until the *Times* disclosure made its destruction inevitable" (*Alexander*, iii., 315.) Those who are on the defensive have the worst of it, as a rule; and Hoffman, proud, sensitive, conscious of his own rectitude, never made any public defense, trusting to time to vindicate him. It was a mistake, for time rarely vindicates those who suffer in silence.

The principal accusation against him was that he "approved Tweed's measures." Alexander (iii., 230) summarizes the charges: "During the earlier months of his gubernatorial career his veto of several bills granting aid to railroads gave promise of independence, but after Tweed and Sweeny became directors of the Erie he approved the measure enabling corrupt operators to retain possession of the road for an indefinite period in defiance of the stockholders. It is probable that the real character and fatal tendency of his associates had not been revealed to him. Nevertheless, ambition seems to have blunted a strong, alert mind. The appointment of Ingraham, Cardozo, and Barnard to the General Term of the Supreme Court within the City of New York, if further evidence were needed, revealed the Governor's subserviency." He might have added, the signing of the so-called "Tweed Charter," which, however, occurred at a time later than that which was then under review. As far as "associating" with Tweed and his allies is concerned, it will be remembered that until the exposures of 1871 they were in high standing in the party; bitterly assailed by political foes as all political leaders usually are; popular with the voters; sustained by the party press, and by many of the best and most influential citizens, notably by such men as John Jacob Astor, Moses Taylor and Marshall O. Roberts, who, joining with others, published a certificate in 1870 approving the management of the city's financial affairs. Hall, the Mayor, was a man of attainments, of good reputation as a lawyer, had been chosen District Attorney by the Republicans, and indeed was, in the end, acquitted by a jury of any wrongdoing or criminality. Mr. Samuel J. Tilden worked with them in politics and men like Seymour and Kernan never uttered in public a word in their disfavor while they were in power. Their ultimate downfall was due to the chance act of a disreputable informer seeking

revenge. That they knew they could exercise no improper influence over Hoffman appears from the fact that they did not begin their peculations until after he had ceased to be Mayor, and had been transferred to Albany; and Tweed, in his latest days of disgrace and ruin, while disclosing unpleasant truths about a number of men who had partaken of his bounty, refused to implicate the Governor in any way, merely saying he was "cold." Perhaps he was, to Tweed. But Tweed had been his campaign manager as early of 1860; had saved him from the grinding and often offensive details of a political campaign in New York City, and had a wonderful power of impressing men of the strongest character and personality. The man, however, who certainly had weight with Hoffman was Peter B. Sweeny, and down to his latest day the Governor always said: "No one can ever persuade me that Mr. Sweeny did anything wrong."

Dealing briefly with the specifications, let us consider a moment the so-called "Erie Bill." It was falsely so-called, for it applied to the Hudson River Railroad (then an independent corporation,) and the New York Central Railroad, as well as to the Erie. It merely permitted the board of directors to classify themselves so that only a portion of the members would retire each year. It was modelled on the English law on the subject. It is a system which has since come generally in use as a means of preventing the sudden capture of corporate properties by speculators and of ensuring permanence of policy and management. It was not to take effect until after the coming Erie election, so that it is difficult to see how it could operate in "defiance of stockholders" who had the power to elect a board which would refuse to classify. It was introduced by a very reputable Republican Senator. It had but one vote against it in the Senate and passed the Assembly by a vote almost as unanimous. No protest was made against it in the Legislature or even before the Governor, except only two letters from persons residing out of the State who did not prove that they had or represented any shares and did not give any effective reasons why it should not become a law. It was in precisely the same words as a similar law in Pennsylvania, affecting the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, and approved by Governor Geary. Moreover, up to this time, it has never done any one any harm; on the contrary, the value of it has been abundantly established. The clamor about it was wholly the work of the partisan newspapers who found in it an opportunity to throw upon the Governor a part of the unpopularity of Fisk and Gould.

As to the designation of General Term Judges, there were five Supreme Court Judges in New York, two of whom were Judge Sutherland and Brady. Judge Sutherland had but a very short time to serve; Judge Brady had just been elected, and absolutely refused to serve. The letter he wrote declining to serve is in my possession. There was among all Democrats a strong feeling of hostility to up-state domination of the city; the experience with commissions had been the reverse of satisfactory. The Governor shared in this feeling. He thought that city litigation could best

be disposed of by city judges. He had no personal love for Barnard—indeed the contrary condition existed. Judge Ingraham was an old and highly respected member of the court whom he honored and admired greatly. Judge Cardozo's ability he well knew, and there was no cloud at that time upon his reputation. So he named the only three New York judges who were able or willing to serve. The charge that he did so at the dictation or even the request of Tweed or of the Ring is absolutely untrue. It was only a part of the mendacity of the enemies who were jealous of his success or who were his opponents in politics.

The history of the charter of 1870 is briefly this: In April, 1870, the Legislature adopted a new charter for the city by a vote of 30 to 2 in the Senate, and 116 to 5 in the Assembly. It was approved in the main by the press, the Citizens' Association memorialized the Legislature in its favor, and "a number of men of wealth and character in the city signed a petition for its adoption" (*Rhodes*, vi., 395.) Mr. Rhodes makes this fatuous remark about it, which shows how the subsequent disgrace of Tweed colors the assertions of historians: "The very name of this act, the Tweed charter, ought to have caused it to be universally condemned as an infamous job"—as if, forsooth, because some rabid newspapers called it so, it should have been "universally condemned" without reference to its merits, but Mr. Rhodes appears to accept Nast's cartoons and Mr. Paine's life of that artist, a farrago of gossip made up thirty years later out of newspaper inventions, as final authority. The Governor signed this charter so adopted and recommended. Even Mr. Goodnow, in the chapter on the Ring in Bryce's *American Commonwealth*, which Mr. Bryce was forced to omit from the later editions as libellous, admits that it had "undoubted merit," and the *Times* said of it on the day after its adoption: "The new charter is very generally conceded to be a good one. We have the assurance of the best men of both parties that it is a substantial and reliable reform, and from the examination we have been able to give it we are inclined to concur in that opinion." The same newspaper, on April 13, 1870, said that the Mayor's appointments under the charter "were far above the average in point of personal fitness, and should be satisfactory." Mr. Alexander says that "Manton Marble bitterly denounced it," but Manton Marble said, a year after its adoption (June 13, 1871:) "There is not another municipal government in the world which contains so much character, capacity, experience and energy as are to be found in the city of New York under the new charter." It was not perfect charter, but to ascribe to it the municipal misfortunes which were developed a year afterwards is utterly unjustifiable.

In his annual message of 1872, Governor Hoffman said of it: "As a whole, the charter adopted was a great improvement on the then existing condition of things. * * * It restored to the people of the city their constitutional right of local self-government, of which they had been for many years deprived. It defined the responsibility of those in authority; so that in case of wrongdoing the people could tell at once upon whom to cast the

blame. * * * Though the charter was not all it should have been, it was the best that could then be obtained, and it promised relief from great and long-continued wrong, under which the people of the city had been suffering, and from a system of government, the abuses under which are now coming to light. The misconduct, recently exposed, was not a consequence from any of its provisions." There was never any refutation of what was justly said of the charter in the message from which quotation has been made; all the argument against it was the cry of "Tweed's charter!"

The exposure of the Court House frauds in the summer of 1871 was the cause of the downfall of the Tweed Ring. As the Governor said in his message of 1872: "The responsibility for the wrongdoing which has very justly aroused public indignation does not rest so much upon the charter as upon individuals who held office in the city before the charter was passed, and took office also under it. * * * The auditing of the alleged claims against the former county government to the extent of six millions of dollars and upward, to which the public attention has been chiefly directed, was made not under the charter, but under a clause in the bill commonly called the New York County tax levy; a clause, perhaps, not objectionable in itself, if the powers which it conferred had been faithfully and carefully executed. The annual tax levy of New York should no more be made up by the Legislature than that of any other county. * * * It is the duty of the State to give to the city a good organic law under which its people can manage their own affairs and protect their own interests, and then let them understand distinctly that success depends on their own willingness to attend to their public duties. If they will not give attention to their own affairs no form of charter nor provision of law can secure to them good government." A study of the Governor's messages will show that his views of what the City charter should be, urged and reiterated year after year, have been adopted by the later charter makers. For the thefts of Tweed and his satellites he was no more responsible than Tilden himself.

But the political effacement of Hoffman after the close of his term of office in 1872 was mainly due to an act of firmness and independence on his part, which although greatly applauded at the time by men of all shades of political opinion has been allowed to drift into oblivion, except where it has occasionally been made the subject of misrepresentation by some scribbler pretending to relate history. For years it had been the custom of a small body of Protestant Irish, known as Orangemen, to celebrate the 12th of July, the anniversary of the Battle of Boyne, by some picnic or by a procession through some of the streets of the city. In 1870 a riot of quite a serious nature had resulted and it was feared that in 1871 the procession would lead to acts of violence on the part of some of the ignorant portion of the Irish Catholics, so much so that Archbishop McCloskey and many of the clergy of the church took occasion on the preceding Sunday to utter strong words of counsel and of warning against

any hostile demonstrations. The city authorities erroneously decided that the proper way to prevent disorder would be to prohibit the procession, and on Tuesday, July 11, by the direction or with the expressed approval of Mayor A. Oakey Hall, the Superintendent of Police, James J. Kelso, issued an order accordingly. Great and general indignation was felt at this official interference with the right of citizens peaceably to parade in the public streets, and the action of the Superintendent was severely condemned. Governor Hoffman, learning of this order on the afternoon of the 11th, and having no power to revoke or suspend the order, hastened at once to New York, and, having induced the police authorities to revoke the order, issued that night this proclamation, which is worthy of reproduction in full:

"Having been only this day apprised, while at the capital, of the actual condition of things here with reference to proposed processions to-morrow, and having in the belief that my presence was needed, repaired hither immediately, I do make this proclamation.

The order heretofore issued by the police authorities in reference to said processions having been duly revoked, I hereby give notice that any and all bodies of men desiring to assemble and march in peaceable procession in this city to-morrow, the 12th instant, will be permitted to do so. They will be protected to the fullest extent possible by the military and police authorities. A military and police escort will be furnished to any body of men desiring it, on application to me at my headquarters (which will be at Police Headquarters in this city) at any time during the day. I warn all persons to abstain from interference with any such assemblage or procession except by authority from me; and I give notice that all the powers at my command, civil and military, will be used to preserve the public peace and to put down, at all hazards, every attempt at disturbance; and I call upon all citizens, of every race and religion, to unite with me and the local authorities in this determination to preserve the peace and honor of the City and State. Dated at New York, this eleventh day of July, A. D. 1871. JOHN T. HOFFMAN."

It was hailed with enthusiasm by all the friends of law and order. The procession marched and the police and several thousand of the National Guard were prepared to protect it. The first attack of the mob was repelled without the use of firearms, but the second was so severe that the troops were compelled to fire in self-defense. Several of the militia and police were killed or wounded; forty-five rioters were known to be killed and eighty-three wounded, while others were carried away and concealed by their comrades. The riot was suppressed and the procession was continued to its intended place of dispersal.

While most of the patriotic and sober-minded people of the whole country were outspoken in praise of the Governor, the rage of the Irish Catholics was furious; he was bitterly denounced at public meetings, and in their newspaper organs, and was hung in effigy by mobs of them. The most unscrupulous journals of the

Republican faith, unable to utter a word against the propriety and justice of his action, resorted to falsehood and accused him day after day of weakness and criminal delay in putting forth the proclamation. Such papers as the *Tribune* and the *Albany Journal*, charged him with weakness and vacillation, with having known of the Police Order as early as the 10th, and with having been forced by public opinion to interfere. It was abundantly demonstrated, although the word of a "superb gentleman" should have been sufficient, that he passed through the city early on the 10th on his way from Newport, R. I., to Albany, that he had no intimation of the proposed order, and that his first knowledge of it was on the afternoon of the 11th when,—for railway communication between New York and Albany was slow in those days—the morning papers arrived at the capital. He left by special train from Albany for New York at the earliest possible moment. The persistent mendacity of these newspapers survives because historians seem to think that it is a mark of research to rummage in the journals of olden days and that all they find there must be worthy of belief; and we read in Wilson's *Memorial History of the City of New York* such words as these: "The act of the Governor was hailed by the public as a sign that he was determined to have his own way, though it seems doubtful whether it was anything more than a tardy acknowledgement of the sovereignty of public opinion!" A young gentleman who avowed to me that he wrote this for the *Memorial History* admitted that he was ignorant of the facts but got the idea out of some old newspapers.

But even if it were true—as it is utterly false—that he hesitated to act in the emergency, one may well doubt if his moral courage and heroism can be too highly estimated. The strength of the Irish Catholic vote in his party was controlling then; it has diminished to some extent, but it was dominant in 1871. No candidate for public office, whether Democrat or Republican, could directly antagonize that element and escape defeat. Thirteen years later, as many believe,—though personally I do not—James G. Blaine lost the Presidency by merely listening without rebuke to a slur upon Catholics uttered by an injudicious Protestant minister. Mayor Hall, commonly supposed to be one of the "Ring" which was said to control the Governor, had been chiefly responsible for the revoked order. Hoffman was the man most talked of, the country over, as the coming candidate for the Presidency. He well knew that he was signing his own political death-warrant when he put his name to that proclamation. As a writer observed, after his death: "He knew what he was sacrificing in the cause of equal rights, that he was closing the door to political preferment, and making enemies of thousands who had been his zealous supporters; but he did not hesitate for a moment, he did not parley with a mob, nor address as "friends" those whom he knew to be the enemies of liberty and good government. The men whom he had offended determined to punish him, and they were able to ostracise him and kill his political ambitions. They associated him with the Tweed Ring to prevent

him from receiving the support of good citizens on the one hand, and they inflamed the Roman Catholic voters against him upon the other hand; and unless he abandoned his party, his public career was closed." He received hundreds of letters from prominent men of both parties all over the land, extolling him for his action. He said to me at the time, referring to those from Republicans, "Oh, yes; but not one of them would vote for me." It was well said years afterwards in the *Observer*: "But this action, so honorable to the man and to his office, really ended Governor Hoffman's political career. It was not his relation to Tweed and the Ring which made him objectionable as a leader, Men who were much more closely allied with them at that time have been forgiven and their associations forgotten. It was not his action upon the Erie Railroad Bill nor anything of the sort which blighted his political aspirations, and prevented a man who had a fair chance of presidential honors, from ever being spoken of again for nomination. The real reason why he was neglected by the party, and left under a cloud in its political sky, was the bold and honorable stand which he took in the Anti-Orange Riot in the city of New York in July, 1871."

Some doubted at the time whether the privilege of parading was worth the sacrifice of life which it involved. There can be no doubt about it now. Since then there has been no successful attempt to prevent citizens from exercising their unquestionable rights, at least on the part of public authorities. Yet notwithstanding the fact that the clergy and the educated men of the Catholic church had no sympathy with the acts of the baser element, they generally regarded with resentment the action of the soldiers for which they held the Governor responsible; and his foes, whether within or without his party, hailed the opportunity to check his advancement. As he anticipated, the noblest and most unselfish deed of his life was the cause of his political destruction.

The State owes to him the Constitutional Amendments of 1874. The work of the Convention of 1867 had been rejected by the people, except the Judiciary Article, and there were defects in the Constitution of 1846 which called for remedy. In his message of January, 1872, he directed the attention of the legislature to this subject, referring to many of the most desirable changes. He doubted the advisability of calling another convention to be chosen at the time when the people were engrossed in a Presidential election, and recommended the creation of a Commission of thirty-two members to be made up of an equal number from each of the two great political parties, which "could have all the benefit of the debate incident to a larger body, through intelligent discussions in the press, and the voluntary suggestions of thoughtful citizens." The legislature took the necessary action and the Governor appointed a commission of qualified and eminent citizens, four from each of the eight judicial districts, including such men as George Opdyke, Augustus Schell, Robert H. Pruyn, Francis Kernan, Daniel Pratt, Lucius Robinson, George B. Bradley, David Rumsey, and Sherman S.

Rogers. They performed their task more satisfactorily than any body of constitution makers in the State had ever done. Most of the Governor's suggestions were carried out, and after the delay necessitated by the requirements as to adoption and ratification by the legislature, the principal amendments were approved by the people in 1874 and others in 1876. Among other things they provided for the punishment of bribery at elections; required thirty days residence in an election district; abolished property qualifications for voters; fixed the pay of legislators at $1,500 a year without limiting the length of the session; required two-thirds of all the members elected to each house to over-ride the Governor's veto; authorized the veto of individual items in an appropriation act; prohibiting the granting to any corporation, association or individual of any right to lay down railroad tracks or any exclusive privilege, immunity or franchise whatever by any special or private act, and otherwise restricted special legislation. They abolished the Boards of Canal Commissioners and State Prison Inspectors and substituted a Commissioner of Public Works and a Superintendent of State Prisons. These were all useful reforms, as every student of our State affairs well knows, and they were chiefly due to the efforts and the wisdom of Governor Hoffman.

In the various measures which were adopted to pursue and punish the Ring and the participants in their peculations, Governor Hoffman rendered all proper assistance and took such part as was appropriate and necessary. On April 30, 1872, he vetoed what was known as "The Committee of Seventy Charter" in a message which was so convincing that the ill-devised and whimsical scheme was never heard of afterwards. No one ever answered his arguments and his conclusions met with the approval of the public. The *Herald* said of this proposed charter: "It is a law experimental in its character, complicated in it machinery, and destitute of that directness and simplicity which, more than anything else, tend to secure good and honest government. Unless a great change has come over our politicians and office-seekers, we are likely to see more corrupt bargains and conspiracies under this law than we have ever known under any former charter." No one could pretend that this veto was inspired by the defunct and powerless "Ring." It merely repeated the opinions and judgments which the Governor had expressed during his whole public life in regard to municipal government in New York City. It is all very well to say, as Mr. Goodnow does in the suppressed chapter of Mr. Bryce's book which has been already mentioned, what is generally said even to this day by well disposed persons who have made no study of the facts—"John T. Hoffman was a man of much higher character than his supporters and associates. He was personally honest but his ambition blinded him to the acts of his political friends." Yet when the record is examined, it cannot be found that his "ambition blinded him" to do anything for "his political friends" that was wrong in itself, or which would not have been done by any Governor of the State who ever served it. Some of the lower

order of pretended reformers, like the managers of the *Times*, sought to punish him for his veto of the Committee's charter by charging him with complicity in certain alleged frauds in 1868 when he was Mayor. The attempt proved to be futile. The *Evening Post*, which could not well be accused of being a partisan of his, in apologizing for a mention of it in its news columns, said in its issue of May 28, 1872: "Governor Hoffman is not of the party to which we belong—indeed rumor assigns him to that which we least affect, the Greeley mongrels—but we feel bound to say that in his official conduct and official utterances we have found a great deal more to approve than to condemn. He seems to us to have discharged his duty towards the public not only with unusual ability, but with high probity and honor."

He was chosen to head the New York delegation to the Democratic National Convention at Baltimore in July, 1872. He was received there with enthusiasm and made the principal speech in favor of the nomination of Horace Greeley. It was a mistake, but it is difficult to see what else the Democrats could do after the nomination of Greeley by the Liberal Republicans. Hoffman said in the course of his remarks: "I for one frankly admit that if my advice had been sought and taken by the Cincinnati Convention he would not have been nominated there." Towards the close of 1872 he allowed it to be known that he would not ask for a renomination. He had been the candidate three times in succession and twice successful; and moreover he knew that with the record of the 12th of July and the hostility of Tilden, Seymour and Kernan, he could not win. At the conclusion of the year he went abroad for a prolonged sojourn. On his return he took up his residence in Albany where he had had many warm friends from the time of his boyhood. He practiced law but not very actively, and at times appeared in public on occasions of interest and delivered addresses on topics of the day. He was always a graceful and interesting speaker. Later he removed to New York, where he continued practice, not appearing in court but acting as counsel and as referee. His old friends loved to meet him and he enjoyed the pleasures of a congenial society, spending a good deal of time in Europe. His only child, Ella, married Mr. Edward Sandford and lived abroad except for a few years. She now resides in Paris with her only surviving child, a daughter.

The limits imposed upon me do not permit me to describe the services of the Governor to his alma mater, Union College, of which he was for years a trustee and from which he received the degree of LL.D. in 1869, Princeton conferring the same degree upon him in 1870. Nor can I give any account of his labors in the matter of the government of the State Prisons and the care he exercised in the granting of pardons and commutations of sentences. In regard to his life after his retirement from office, some unfortunate misstatements have been made in recent years and I take this opportunity to correct them.

In his generally excellent history Mr. Rhodes has fallen into a grievous error and illustrates the danger of drawing conclusions from mere personal observations without any knowledge of the

facts. In the sixth volume of his history he adds a note to the text at page 401, in which after describing Hoffman as he saw him in 1866—a passage quoted in the early part of this sketch,—he continues thus: "Twenty years later I saw him at the Schweizerhof in Lucerne. Accompanied by his wife, he was driving through Switzerland, and in this hotel, full of his own countrymen, he sat neglected, probably shunned by many. The light was gone from his eyes, the vigor from his body, the confidence from his manner; consciousness of failure brooded in their stead. He had not become dissipated. Great opportunities missed; this was the memory that racked him, body and spirit, and left him nerveless and decrepit, inviting death." This is a most amazing error. We of his family never saw any such signs of physical decay; nor was there ever any such distress over the past as Mr. Rhodes' imagination has discovered. Governor Hoffman was sensitive and was naturally conscious of popular injustice; but he never exhibited any signs of weak regretfulness. He was never "neglected" or "shunned" by his countrymen. His personal friends, his true friends, were as warmly devoted to him as ever, although it may be that the sycophants, the "fair weather friends," who hang about the skirts of men in power, may have fallen away from him. I happen to have before me, dated in 1881, a letter offering him a dinner, signed by such men as John T. Agnew, Abraham R. Lawrence, Smith Ely, Jr., Samuel D. Babcock, Charles H. Marshall, Wilson G. Hunt, Abram S. Hewitt, E. D. Randolph, and a dozen others who were and some of whom are still men of distinction in New York; some written evidence that so far from being "shunned" or "neglected," he was honored by men whose regard was worth having. In Albany his friends wished to send him as a Representative in Congress, but he had no inclination towards legislative work and he knew that the Irish vote would be turned away from him. President Cleveland, who testified to me both orally and in writing of his appreciation and admiration of Hoffman, twice offered to him between 1885 and 1888, positions of honor in the public service. I heard him make a campaign speech in Brooklyn in the eighties and he was received with the utmost enthusiasm. It seems an odd notion to gauge the esteem in which a man is held by his countrymen by the indifference of a parcel of tourists in a Swiss hotel.

It may be true, however, that when Mr. Rhodes saw him he was depressed and unhappy, and the reasons emphasize the unconscious cruelty of the historian's act. These had nothing to do with political defeats or disappointed ambitions. At the time of which Rhodes speaks he was suffering from severe domestic affliction. He was a man of strong affections, particularly for children; and he had just lost his only grandson, a boy whom he idolized. It was a matter of newspaper comment after his death that he never recovered from that blow. There were other personal griefs almost to sacred for disclosure which saddened him and took the zest out of his life. One who knows the truth and is familiar with the spirit and character of the man, finds it

difficult to resist a feeling of indignation that such a lamentable perversion of truth should be perpetuated as history, to be copied and repeated as it has been by Mr. Alexander and will be by his successor historians in the years to come.

In the early winter of 1888 the Governor went abroad for the purpose of meeting his daughter and grand-daughter. He had had several premonitory attacks of faintness but they were not regarded as serious, and while he and his family were sojourning at Wiesbaden he was apparently in fair health, although he complained at times of "feeling old." On the afternoon of March 24, 1888, while he was chatting with his wife and his little grand-daughter in their sitting-room at the hotel, he arose to perform an act of courtesy to Mrs. Hoffman and fell dead almost instantly. He was interred in Dale cemetery, at Ossining, by the side of his parents. Mrs. Hoffman survived him until 1892. The *New York Observer*, in a brief review of his career, truly said that he spent the later years of his life "in dignified retirement, respected by all good men, and died honored and regretted by a host of friends, who understood the sacrifice which he had made for the rights and privileges of American citizenship in the city of New York."

MARRIAGES AND BAPTISMS PERFORMED BY THE REV. JOSHUA HARTT, OF SMITHTOWN, LONG ISLAND, WITH A SKETCH OF HIS LIFE.

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Although the first place of public assemblage for the worship of God in what is now known as Smithtown (Old Fresh Pond), Suffolk County, Long Island, was at Nissequag, on the Sound, it was removed in 1750 to a village called Smithtown Branch, lying on the middle road, and nearer the center of the town. The records of the Presbytery of Suffolk show that a church, consisting of seven members, was formed in this town, September 17, 1751. Here it was that the Reverend Joshua Hartt was installed as minister, on the 13th of April, 1774. He was born at Huntington, L. I., September 17th, 1738, and having graduated at Nassau Hall, (Princeton) in 1770, he was ordained as an evangelist by the Suffolk Presbytery, April 2nd, 1772. During his incumbency at the Branch he devoted a part of his time to the service of other churches. In the Revolutionary struggle he suffered much at the hands of the British. Illustrative of the indignities heaped upon him the writer of this sketch was recently informed by some of the aged grandchildren of the patriot preacher, that on one occasion being chained to a negro prisoner, a British officer inquired, "How do you like your company?" To

which, he retorted, "Better than yours!" At another time, when preaching at Smithtown Branch, a bullet was fired at him lodging in the wall just above his head, where the mark remained for many years. And Prime, in his "*Revolutionary Incidents of Long Island*" records: "p. 632. (May 28, '77. Col. Smith and Rev. Mr. Hart, were brought to the Provost where Hart fell sick, and lay at death's door. Col. Ethan Allen kneeled down and made so fervent a prayer by his side, and otherwise cheered him up, that he recovered and was admitted on Parole in New York City, October 25, ——, Ed.)"

An examination of numerous papers and sermons, including a "Journal" kept by Mr. Hartt and now in the possession of his grand-children and great-grandchildren, reveals the character of the man. To preaching the Gospel he added farming, teaching school and land surveying; his diary containing many entries covering these activities. "Opened my Schoole, January 14th, 1793;" he records and "tallies" the daily attendance in favor of the following pupils: Henry and Joel Scudder; John, Samuel and Garner Mulford; Deborah, Isaac and John Scidmor; Anna Scidmor, Benjn. Scribner, Isaac and John Gildersleeve, Moses Scribner Alexander and Smith Bryant, Thos. Tredwell, Isaac Arthur, Ebenezer Bryant, Isaac and Israel Scudder, Elizabeth Mulford, Jemima Bryant, Philetus Ketcham, Stephen Gildersleeve, Alexander B. Hartt, Karly Scudder, Benjn. Ketcham, Sarah Bryant, Joseph Scidmor, Anna Fleet, Mary Briant, Joel Griffis, Joel Scidmore, Mathew Bunce, Jonah Rulen, Jeffrey Bunce and John Gardner.

For some time following the return of peace in 1783 Mr Hartt in company with others was engaged in making surveys of the State lands in the vicinity of Whitestown, Oneida County, New York. In 1790, he and the Reverend Nathan Kerr having been appointed missionaries by the Presbyterian General Assembly, they visited Whitestone, Cherry Valley and the Indian tribes of that neighborhood, which was then considered to be in "The West."

During our second conflict with Great Britain, in 1812, he preached numerous sermons of great power in justification of the War and in condemnation of the enemy's policy upon the sea. Blessed with a vigorous mind, he also possessed a splendid physique, weighing three hundred pounds, and notwithstanding his spirit of progressiveness, he was in manner mild and conciliatory.

The long list of marriages and baptisms performed by him and as herewith published is from the original record in the handwriting of Reverend Joshua Hartt now in the possession of one of his great-grandchildren, Mrs. Francis Osborne (Martha Hartt) Collas, Brooklyn, New York. In this connection it is interesting to note that for the performance of the marriage service he was wont to remark that he had received in fees "all the way from £50 to a copper ladle." His death occurred at Fresh Pond, L. I., October 3, 1829, in his ninety-first year. It is proposed to submit at a subsequent date to this article some genealogical information pertaining to his family.

Marriages.

1774

Jan. ? Jacob Conkling & Mary Soper.
Jan. ? Richard Valentine & Mary Oakly.
Jan. ? Josiah Soper & Keturah Tillotson.
Jan. ? 6. Jesse Brush & Doritha Platt, (dau. Zephaniah) 30th marriage.
Jan. ? 25. Wm. Burch & Elizabeth Cellom (Kellum).
Feb. 3. Moses Wicks & Sarah Smith, Widow (of Samuel).
March 21. Amos Underhill & Mary Woodhull.
March 23. Benjamin Blachly & Sarah Wheeler.
July 4. Richard Wier & Johannah Hub.
Sept. 20. Oba Smith & —— .
Oct. 19. Jacob Devee (or Deree) & Sarah Smith.
Nov. 8. Jacob Post & Sariah Jackson.
Nov. 14. Mordecai Beedle & Charity Carpenter.
Dec. 6. Gideon Wright & Mary Dickerson.
Dec. 13. Benj. Pettit & Phebe Smith, & Rich Eliz. smith Rock [original copy] (dau. Rich. & Eliza (Rich) Smith.)?
Dec. 18. John Hertt & Mary Carll.
Dec. 29. William —— & Jean Flower.
Nov. 17. Jeremiah Soper & Mary Nicoll.

1775

Jan. 1. Zebulon Bunce & Mary Smith. W^r^., W.
Jan. 1. Jonas Hawkings & Ruth Mills.
Jan. 3. Israel Hawkings & Phebe Brush W^r^.
Jan. 8. Uriah Hubs & Deborah Totten.
Jan. 18. Samuel Brush & Elizabeth Veal.
Feb. 5. Jacob Baley & Bethsheba Brush.
Feb. 8. Samuel Blydenburg & Sarah Smith.
Feb. 14. John Veal (Vail) & Drusella Scudder.
July 19. Daniel Brush & Hannah Wheler.
March 7. Joseph Davis & Abigail Scidmore.
April 5. Timothy Whelor & Rebecca Bunce.
April 5. Jacob Smith & Rachel Morrice.
April 6. Rosel Hubbart & Sarah Ruland.
April 20. Jonah Wood & Elizabeth Dingy, W^r^.
April 26. Nathaniel Ketcham & Susannah Brush.
May 21? Andrew Smith & Soviah Smith.
June 25. Stephen Davis & Martha Bigs.
June 25. William Topping & Rebecca Ward.
July 2. Jonathan Sammis & Rebecca Ketcham.
Sept. 4. Simon Totten & Sarah Hartt.
Sept. 5. Nathaniel Taylor & Hannah Smith.
Sept. 12. Isaiah Whitmon & Amy Brush.
Sept. 17. Gilbert Wood & Sarah Scidmore.
Sept. 24. Jacob Oakes & Ruth Smith.
Oct. 2. Jeremiah Rogers & Ruth Wicks.
Oct. 11. John Baldwin & Esther Conkling.
Oct. 15. Micah Whealor & Johanna Smith.
Nov. 11. Samuel Mills & Sarah Mills.

1775

Nov. 26. Philip Kitcham & Deborah Conkling.
Dec. 2. Jeremiah Fleet & Kesiah Muncy.
Dec. 7. Joshua Buffet & Mary Seman.
Dec. 13. Timothy Mills & Phebe Smith.
Dec. 13. Jonas Wheler & Ruth Blydenburgh.
Dec. 19. Jesse Smith & Hannah Carll.
Dec. 26. Jesse Arthur & Vileta Smith.

1776

Jan. 14. Nathan Tillotson & Phebe West.
Jan. 14. John Wicks & Unice Wicks.
Jan. 16. Ebenezer Bower & Sarah Saxton.
Jan. 25. John Hawkings & Mary Nuton.
Feb. 1. John Willets & Phebe Buffet.
Feb. 6. Wilka Baly & Leah Smith.
Feb. 12. John West & Dinah Ruland.
Feb. 14. Jeremiah Platt & Sarah Arthur.
Feb. 27. Samuel Veal (Vail) and Mary Rodgers.
April 4. James Van Cott & Ruth Hartt (or Morris).
April 10. Capt. Job Smith & Charity Arthur.
April 15. William Johnson & Margaret Chichester.
April 17. Joshua Rogers & Mary Wicks.
April 22. George Wheler & Ruhamah Smith.
May 21. Selah Hubbs & Mary Tillotson.
May 25. Jesse Oakes & Deborah Baldwin.
June 19. Hezekiah Smith & Abigail Bishop.
June 19. John Whitman & Sarah Wood.
July 1. Wm. Wicks & Rebecah Gould.
July 5. Obediah Verrity & Elizabeth Stratton.
Aug. 4. Lona (or Loua) Totten & Elizabeth Smith.
Aug. 14. Ananias Brush & Hannah Platt, W^{r}., W.
Sept. 21. John Snedichor & Carity Jackson.
Sept. 29. Josiah Satterly & Mehetable Moger.
Oct. 2. Elezar Tillotson & Sarah Philips.
Oct. 7. John Smith & Lydia Fanning.
Oct. 14. Jacob Rogers & Esther Wicks.
Oct. 14. Jonas Mills & Rachel Smith.

1777

Jan. 29 ?. Amos Baldwin & Phebe Wicks.
Feb. 19 ?. Daniel Gildersleeve & Elizabeth Gildersleeve.
Feb. 26. John Green & Mary Saxton.
April 6. Micah Veale & Rhoda Brush.
April 15. Richard Long & Margaret Smith, W^{d}.
April 30. Philips Roe & Martha Smith.

1778

Jan. —. Daniel Swesy & Mary Beal.
Jan. —. John Rider & Elizabeth Smith.
Jan. —. Alexander Wicks & Jemimah Rose.
Feb. —. Platt Kelsey & Hannah Platt.
March 9. Platt Arthur & Elizabeth Tillotson.

1778

March 22. Nehemiah Hartt & Mary Brewster.
April 19. William Garrot & Jemimah Smith.
Aug. 17. Gershom Terry & Mary Biggs.
Sept. 15. Moses Mervin & Hannah Smith.
Oct. 19. Joseph Griffith & Ruth Hartt.
Dec. 9. James Rose & Desiah Baker.

1779

Jan. 1. Andrew Snowden & Frances Smith.
Feb. 7. Benj. Stebens & Phebe Saxton.
Feb. 15. John White & Rebecca Bryan.
March 23. Wm. Nicol & Rachel Scidmore.

1778

David Smith & Martha Mills were married 1778 but not entered on record, as usual, through forgetfulness.

1779

April 15. Nathaniel Jarvis & Elizabeth Wires.
April 21. Edward Johnson & Phebe Vittetow.
May 29. William Smith & Phebe Conkling.
June 14. Samuel Nash & Martha Place.
June 21. Amos Soper & Elizabeth Platt.
July 4. Scudder Lewis & Freelove Fleet.
July 20. Jeremiah Soper & Mary Garriot.
Oct. 3. James Kenun & Rebecca Gold.
Oct. 16. Lyman Gray & Rachel Hoit.
Oct. 24. Daniel Blydenburg & Dorotha Rogers.
Oct. 25. Stephen Hartt & Sarah Kelsy.
Nov. 7. Nathan Kassai & Hannah Saxton (Hassai?).
Nov. 14. Miles Oakerly & Sarah Bunce.

1780

Jan. 10. Richard Ruland & Elizabeth Smith.
Jan. 13. Joseph Braizer & Elizabeth Wicks.
Jan. 13. John Lockwood & Sarah Brush.
Jan. 16. Jesse Samis & Elizabeth Wood.
Jan. 20. Joseph Blydenburgh & Hannah Miller.
Jan. 24. Scudder Platt & Esther Rodgers.
Jan. 30. Jordan Taylor & Milia Oakerley.
Jan. 31. Samuel Jarvis & Mary Rusco.
Feb. 15. Titus Hoollabird & Sarah Edwards.
Feb. 27. Thomas Roberson & Sarah Wisor.
March 12. Andrew Mills & Prudence Leinomidue (L'hommedieu).
March 20. Timothy Lane & Ruth Daton.
March 27. Nathan Valentine & Esther Smith, (widow of Samuel).
March 27. Henry Wanser & Jerusha Kellom.
March 27. William Stilwell & Mary Powell.
April 5. Jerm. Wheler & Jemima Stag (Stadge?).
April 6. Stephen Swesy & Sarah Davies (Davin?).
April 16. Nathaniel Ketcham & Ruth Travis.
April 19. Ephraim Oaks & Mary Jervice.

1780

April 20. Joel Smith & Martha Chichester.
April 23. Eliphalet Oakerley & Mehetable Bruster.
May 15. Stephen Nicoll & Tabith Wicks.
May 25. John Smith & Amy Brush.
May 25. John Walker & Sarah Wood.
June 8. Gooldsmith Davis & Elizabeth Brown.
June 15. Ebenezer Kellum & Phebe Samis.
June 25. Joseph Hanford & Sarah Williams.
July 25. Philetus Smith & Elizabeth Duglas.
Aug. 6. Joseph Carman & Rebecca Oakes.
Aug. 23. Stent Raiment & Sarah Witman.
Sept. 10. Benj'n. Oakerley & Mary Wood.
Sept. 20. Henry Siwert & Betsy Roberts.
Sept. 28. Charls Grin (or Grice) & Mary Bryant.
Oct. 22. Abel Conkling & Ruth Samis.
Nov. —. Wm. Taylor & Hannah Bryant.
Dec. 11. Stephen Kilse & Elizabeth Conkling.
Dec. 13. Daniel Tuttle & Ruth Wickes.
Dec. 14. John Sells & Jemina Bryant.
Dec. 23. James Cormmeline & Julia Smith.
Dec. 24. John Bush & Charita Platt.

1781

Jan. 8. John Gildersleeve & Kezia Ketcham.
Jan. 24. Israel Conkling & Nancy Totten.
Jan. 29. Selah Havens & Sarah Strong.
Jan. 31. Daniel Jarvis & Deborah Rogers.
Feb. 12. Thomas Ireland & Patience Oakerly.
Feb. 12. Peter Ruland & Susanna Kellom.
March 14. Nathan Wilmot & Phebe Totten.
March 18. Jesse Wicks & Susanna Kelsy.
March 20. Joseph Havens & Amy Buchanan.
March 21. Phillips Gould & Abigail Post.
April 1. Thomas Fleet & Phebe Carman.
April 17. Benj. Thirby & Ruth Howell.
May 2. Adam Hull & Martha Wicks.
May 8. Jesse Nicols & Susanna Tillotson.
May 27. Selah Wilmot & Margrite Ruland.
May 29. Samuel Devenport & Esther Oakerly.
June 10. Epenetus Wood & Sarah Whitman.
June 18. Thomas Samis & Sarah Samis.
June 21. Stephen Burtis & Amy Brush.
Aug. 6. Michale Williams & Sarah Smith (or Sin——).
Aug. 7. Eli Lions & Leha Smith.
Aug. 7. John Waterbury & Jane Blydenburgh.
Aug. 12. Hubbart Ketcham & Jemima Blatchly.
Aug. 30. Richard Brown & Sarah Hendrickson.
Sept. 6. Moses & Samina (colored).
Sept. 6. Daniel Pine & Johannah Akerly.
Sept. 17. Henry Foster & Sarah Brush.
Sept. 17. Lot Strange & Linea (or Luica) Clark.

1781

Sept. 17. Ebenezer Briggs & Diodamia Chase.
Sept. 19. Moses Wicks & Jemima Sword (or Secord).
Sept. 19. Peter Boys & Rebecca Wicks.
Oct. 21. Wm. McKinze & Elizabeth Hoyt.
Oct. 25. Thomas Cavenagh & Rachail Green.
Nov. 4. David Samis & Deborah Ketcham.
Nov. 11. Alexander Brush & Ann Griffith.
Nov. 15. Foster Van Nostrand & Charithee Ketcham.
Nov. 22. Moses Bears & Mary Wicks.
Nov. 25. Hezekiah Lion & Hannah Wicks.
Nov. 25. Zechariah Rodgers & Rhoda Blachly.
Nov. 25. Abraham Woodhull & Mary Smith.
Nov. 28. Philip Samis & Martha White.
Dec. 2. Ebenezer Platt & Abigail Lewis.
Dec. 9. Elisha Halsy & Phebe Smith.
Dec. 17. Caleb Smith & Rhoda Wortman.
Dec. 19. Thomas Ruland & Anna Sweesy.
Dec. 23. Samuel Oakerly & Rebecca Roff.
Dec. 25. Hezekiah Scribner & Mary Scribner.
Dec. 30. Jeams Sanford & Elizabeth Lewis.

1782

Jan. 6. Ebenezer Blachly & Sarah Jarvis.
Jan. 6. Zopha Nicol & Drusillah Jarvis.
Jan. 9. Richard Peters & Elizabeth Smith.
Jan. 13. Joseph Wiers & Elizabeth Ruland.
Jan. 16. Jabez Benedict & Mary Wicks.
Jan. 27. Jesse Hartt & Sarah Lewis.
Jan. 29. Caleb Wood & Mary Powell.
Jan. 31. John Biggs & Ruth Rudyard.
Feb. 2. Benj. Wralph & Sarah Brush.
Feb. 3. Rubin Arthur & Soviah Dun.
Feb. 5. Alexander Sammis & Amy Gould.
Feb. 5. Jarvis Whitman & Deborah Wood.
Feb. 11. Stephen Perry & Margret Scudder.
Feb. 28. Jedediah Williamson & Charity Mobery.
March 11. Sam'l Dickerson & Sarah Ketcham.
March 13. Sam'l Turner & Sarah Cole.
March 18. Silas Carman & Abbe Fleet.
March 19. Thomas Bird & Jemima Hill.
March 20. Daniel Udle & Keturah Carll.
March 27. John Conkling & Ruth Berto.
March 31. Timothy Scudder & Rebecca Wiser.
April 2. James Pine Chichester & Rebecca Harrison.
May 5. James Brown & Hannah Higby.
May 12. John White & Temmy Williams.
May 20. Scudder Lewis & Hannah Fleet.
May 25. Jeremiah Corbet & Elizabeth Terry.
May 27. Jacob Harned & Mary Nicol.
June 2. John Dixon & Lydia Runnals.
June 2. Jacob Purdy & Desire Wicks.

1782

June 5. Conkling Ketchum & Phebe Conkling.
June 10. Zophar Rogers & Sarah Gildersleeve.
June 18. Abel Biggs & Deborah Akerly.
June 23. David Waterbury & Unice Dean.
July 14. Joseph Hayward & Mary Jones.
July 28. Caleb Ketcham & Abigail Rogers.
Aug. 6. Nicol Tillotson & Hannah Jackson.
Aug. 25. Edward Lockwood & Elizabeth Wilson.
Aug. 25. Paul (or Sam'l) Hulse & Mary Taylor.
Sept. 7. Wm. Robins & Elizabeth Sammis.
Sept. 15. Rubin Powel & Anna Cornelius.
Sept. 15. Seth Scrivenor & Elizabeth Baker.
Sept. 25. Thom' Perry & Experience Blackwell.
Sept. 30. Phinetas Davis & Sarah Biggs.
Oct. 2. Henry Smith & Ruth Rogers.
Oct. 6. Benjamin Gould & Elizabeth Platt.
Oct. 9. Jacob Baker & Deborah Jean.
Oct. 9. Gilbert Astin Conkling & Rachel Gould.
Oct. 20. John Hendrickson & Hannah Conkling.
Oct. 22. Wm. Ward & Mary Vargason.
Oct. 28. Bernardus Smith & Esther Smith.
Nov. 18. Isaac Bostwick & Temson Cables.
Nov. 20. Phinehas Carll & Anna Carll.
Dec. 4. Benj. Hutchason & Theodocia Smith.
Dec. 4. Silas Perry & Elizabeth Mot.
Dec. 8. Abraham Clarionton & Tamer Selah (Seely?).
Dec. 8. Jacob Brush & Susanna Veal.
Dec. 8. David Ralph & Mary Brush.
Dec. 15. Isaiah Jarvis & Phebe Whitman.
Dec, 15. Jacob Wheeler & Temperance Blydenburgh.
Dec. 29. Jacob Longbotham & Phebe Wicks.

Ye last year married 60 cupple.

1783

Jan. 12. Peter Long & Keturah Hartt.
Jan. 15. Sam'l Nichol & Elizabeth Jarvis.
Jan. 16. John Right & Margret Floyd.
Jan. 21. Wm. Blydenburgh & Johannah Longbotham.
Jan. 29. Jno. Petersen & Mary Smith.
—— Sam'l Smith & Susannah Blydenburgh.
—— —— Hartt & Margaret Howel.
—— —— ——ling & Mary Fleet.
—— —— Coon (Coon?) & Maplet Fluelline.
—— —— Johnson & Lavinah Rogers.
March 5. James Barnabee & Anna Terry.
March 12. Jacob Titus & Ruth Rogers.
March 12. Isaac Rogers & Hannah Conklin.
March 30. John Woolsy (Sweet Hollow Giant) & Phebe Rogers.
April 24. John Smith & Ruth Gildersleeve.
May 8. Alexander Fleet & Hannah Smith.
May 12. Benj'n Nuton & Charitha Saxton.

1783

May 16. John Dougty & Sarah Doughty.
June 14. Tunas Williamson & Sarah Toby.
June 15. Stepan Gildersleeve & Mille Ruland.
June 22. Daniel Conkling & Gloriana Foster.
June 25. Thomas Terry & Esebel Morris.
June 25. Cealor & Ruland (colored probably).
Aug. 11. Lucius Smith & Dorcas Gildersleeve.
Aug. 13. Edmond Bunce & Sarah Gildersleeve.
Aug. 14. Silas Platt & Hannah —— (looks like Rolph).
Aug. 24. Alexander Lewis & Glorianna —— ?
Oct. 26. Jesse Fleet & Mercy —— (last name torn off).
Oct. 26. John Canneph & —— (torn off).
Nov. 4. Tillit Colvill & Elizabeth Carpenter.
Nov. 4. Jacob Carpenter & Hannah Colvill.
Nov. 15. Wm. Brown & Mary Soper.
Nov. 23. Matthew Benedict & Rebecca Brush.
Dec. 1. Nathan Jackson & Anna Wood.
Dec. 21. Wm. Helms & Sarah Phillips.

35 couples ye last year.

1784

Jan. 5. Gilbert Platt & Phebe Platt.
Jan. 7. Theophilus Wood & Tabith Wheeler.
Jan. 21. Alexander Mathes & Jemima Conkling.
Jan. 21. Amos Willets & Mary Platt.
Jan. 26. Jakemiah Rogers & Sarah Hawx.
Feb. 17. Jedediah Mills & Elizabeth Mills.
March 24. Wm. Hopson & Gloriana Floyd.
March 27. Lemual Smith & Hannah Hubbs.
April 8. Levi Scribner & Esthert Hubbert.
April 12. Azarel Lewis & Susa Conkling.
April 5. John Simonson & Litte Durling.
April 18. Sam'l Phillips & Deliverance Smith.
May 5. James Ruland & Elizabeth Berry.
May 6. Thomas Wood & Rebecca Ketcham.
May 9. Thomas Wheeler & Ruth Wheeler.
May 9. Wm. Cobb & Jean Smith.
May 9. Peter Shaw & Susannah Baly.
June 23. Chars Wheeler & Sarah Merchant.
July 13. Nathaniel Sammis & Elizabeth Gould.
Sept. 26. Nehemiah Ketcham & Mary (Rogers?).
Oct. 2. Wm. Allaba & Ziba Kellam.
Oct. 27. Aaron Raiment & Hanna Wicks.
Nov. 3. Jeffery A. Woodhull & Elizabeth Davis.
Nov. 10. Jonathan Titus & Bethsheba Thomas.
Nov. 25. Ezra Barnum & Jerusha Smith.
Dec. 1. Isaac Ketcham & Phebe Smith.
Dec. 13. Gilbert Wicks & Sarah Sammis.
Dec. 16. Charles Peters & Jean (Blatchly?).
Dec. 19. Joel Rogers & Elizabeth Jarvis.
Dec. 20. Jesse Platt & Deborah Titus.

1784

Dec. 20. Thomas Jarvis & Kesiah Conkling.
Dec. 23. Joshua S—— (torn off) & Alma Blydenburgh.

1785

Jan. 5. John Carll & Sarah White.
Jan. 11. Selah Sammis & Elizabeth Totten.
Jan. 11. James Griffis & Sarah Totten.
Jan. 11. David Huff & Sarah Wickes.
Jan. 17. David Sammis & Mary Carpenter.
Jan. 18. Nathaniel Scudder & Elizabeth Scudder.
Jan. 25. Israel White & Sarah Carll.
Jan. 31. Daniel Noorstrant & Susannah Post.
Feb. 4. Alburtus Vandewaters & Patty Seman.
March 8. Gilbert Hartt & Hannah Smith.
April 4. John Pettero & Mary Smith (Peltero).
April 6. Joseph Smith & Catherine Havens.
May —. Henry Smith & Jemima Smith.
June 5. John Seman & Mary Hart.
June 5. Timothy Bennet & Martha Titus.
June 14. Joseph Heviland & Mary Hawkings.
July 11. David Ruland & Phebe Oakerley.
July 17. John Duglas & Hannah Rogers.
Aug. 14. David Smith & Sal Corah.
Sept. 18. Peleg Wood & Esther Brush.
Oct. 26. Eliphalet Jarvis & Susannah Wood.
Nov. 2. Thomas Rogers & Rebecca Smith.
Nov. 21. Jonathan Mills & Rachel Hawkings.
Nov. 22. John Brush & Experience Platt.

1786

Jan. 5. John W. Bishop & Leta Bunce.
Jan. 6. George Norton & Mary Terry.
Jan. 9. Elkanah Conkling & Mary Lewis.
Jan. 10. Samuel Smith & Patience Havens.
Jan. 10. Eliphalet Arthur & Briget Scudder.
Jan. 17. Barnabas Reeve & Hannah Smith.
Feb. 8. Jacob S. Carll & Freelove Carll.
Feb. 12. Ezekel Ketcham & Biah Griffith.
Feb. 19. Chancy Rice & Abigal Garrod.
March 8. Jacob Bell & Nancy Terry.
Aug. 6. Thomas Wicks & Hannah Pettit.
Aug. 27. Joseph Mapes & Amy Nuton.
Sept. 10. Jacob Taylor & Mary Clark.
Oct. —. David Brown & —— Rogers, Zoph[r] Ruland's ½ daughter. (?)
Nov. 6. Samuel Jackson & Treeny Brinkerhoof.
Nov. 14. David Driggs & Keziah Soper.

1787

Jan. 10. Moses Scudder & Jemima Lewis.
Jan. 17. Wm. Hudson & Mary Woodhull.
Jan. 24. Timothy Carll & Ruth Smith.

1787

Jan. 25. T. Whithead Gildersleeve & Rebecca Ketcham.
Feb. 5. Nathan Bunce & Hannah Wood.
Feb. 27. Jesse Sammis & Rhoda Rogers.
Aug. 19. John Doxy & Jane Tatterson.
Aug. 19. Samuel Doughty & Hannah Tatterson.
Aug. 22. Jonas Mills & Elizabeth Smith.
Nov. 14. John Conkling & Martha Smith.
Nov. 26. Sylvanus Pettit & Abigail Fowler.
Nov. 27. Wm. Post & Abigail Floyd.
Dec. 9. John Williams & Elizabeth Shank (or Skank).

1788

Jan. 3. Capt. John Wicks & Sarah Mills.
Jan. 3. Elisha Smith & Susannah Woodhull.
Jan. 9. Plott Willetts & Amy Buffet.
Feb. 20. Thos. Ketcham & Anna Oakerly.
March 2. Joseph Jackson & Suke Durling.
March 23. Gilbert Fleet & Sarah Scudder.
March 23. Phillip Dowe & Amy Weeks.
March 23. Cornelius Stage & Jemima Willets.
Oct. 7. William Hallock & Ruth Hawkings.
Nov. — Thomas Hallock & Hannah Conkling.
Nov. — John Vandewaters & Abigail Valentine.

1789

Jan. 15. Jonas Wicks & Phebe Muncy.
Jan. 20. Ebenezer Clock & Nancy Ackker.
Feb. 24. Col'n Strong & Elizabeth Carll.
March 4. Stephan Griffith & Anna Ruland.
March 11. Thomas Higby & Hannah Scudder.
March 24. Daniel Davis & Johannah Robins.
April 7. Platt Rogers & Phebe Jarvis.
June 28. Joel Gildersleeve & Loranah Dennis.
July 28. Stephen Jayne & Eunice Smith.
July 30. Philetas Snedecor & Sarah Seman.
Oct. 20. Jno. Rainer & Abigail Valentine.

1790

Jan. 16. Ebenezer Wicks & Phebe (Hill?) (Higby?).
Jan. 26. Nath'l. Kelsey & Freelove Bryant.
Jan. 26. Jonah Bishop & Nancy Arthur.
Jan. 26. Daniel Weeks & Mary Wood.
Jan. 26. Joseph Skillman & Mary Scudder.
Feb. 1. Jacob Townsend & Freelove Ketcham.
Feb. 3. Nath'l Debois & Clarrisa Williams.
Feb. 15. Woodhull Smith & Doritha Smith.
Feb. 17. Augustin Jarvis & Martha Denton.
Feb. 25. Isaac Smith & Hannah Smith.
March 2. Joseph Gold & Rachel Buffet.
March 16. Thomas Bell & Charity Langdon.
March 16. John Floyd & Elizabeth Blydenburgh.
April 14. Eliphalet W. Carll & Else Rogers.

1790

April 15. Abel Rogers & Mary Nostran.
May 4. Joseph Jayne & Sarah Van Wyck.
May 1. Joseph Jarvis & Phebe Carll.
May 6. Samuel Blicker & —— Ketcham.
May 9. John Rogers & Anna Platt.
June 13. Wessel Smith & Mary Akerly.
July — One couple at Stillwater, names unknown.
Oct. 3. Jacob Bur & Phebe Carpenter.
Oct. 17. Jonas Wood & Elizabeth Taylor.
Oct. 17. Jacob Bryant & Charlotte Scidmore.
Oct. 31. David Bryant & Rebecca Fleet.
Oct. 31. Nathaniel Jarvis & Jemima Gildersleeve.
Nov. 9. Aguston Akerly & Rebecca Udle.
Nov. 9. Nathaniel Akerly & Esther Higby.
Dec. 6. James *Renady* & Sarah Beedle (Kenady?).
Dec. 7. Elias Baly & Phebe Chichester.
Dec. 14. Eliphalet Smith & Keziah Terry.
Dec. 15. Jeffery Hartt & Lettie Vail.
Dec. 15. Ebenezer Smith & Margaret Jarvis.

1791

Jan. 26. Epenetus Bryant & Phebe Smith.
Jan. 26. Eliphalet Bunce & Abigail Jarvis.
Feb. 6. Wm. Garret & Sarah Smith.
Feb. 13. James Hawx & Elizabeth Oakerly.
March 5. Lemuel Jarvis & —— Wiser.
April 5. Strong Conkling & Ruth Smith.
April 5. Epenetus Sammis & Pene Luis.
May 12. Scudder Valentine & Debera Oakerly.
May 15. Palladore Wisener & Mary Blydenburgh.
July 3. Thomas Crouch & Sarah West.
July 14. Micha Hill & Hepzibah Lint (or Liset).
July 20. Benj. Tiler & Hannah Jayne.
July 25. Thomas Akerly & Phebe Garod.
July 31. Thomas Jervis & Rebecca Platt.
Oct. 18. Isaac Newton & Susannah Smith.
Oct. 22. John Smith & Doritha Smith.
Dec. 10. Thomas Blydenburgh & Anner Wheeler.
Dec. 22. Elkanah Cornish & Ruth Wicks.
Dec. 25. John Akerly & Deborah Smith.
Dec. 28. Youngs P. Scudder & Hannah Bryant.

1792

Jan. 1. Daniel Ketcham & Jemima Griffis.
Jan. 15. Robert Rogers & Elizabeth Bryant.
Jan. 15. Elkanah Bunce & Lavina Jarvis.
Jan. 16. Nathaniel Skidmore & Esther Soper.
Jan. 18. David C. Bryant & Ruth Bryant.
Jan. 19. Oliver Ketcham & Elizabeth Scidmore.
Feb. 2. Samuel Carll & Trifena Carll.
Feb. 15. Nathan Totten & Ruth Sammis.

1792

March 1. Isaac Arthur & Mary Smith.
March 14. Isaac Ketcham & Sebella Smith.
March 20. Zebulon Robbins & Sarah Numan.
March 25. Capt. John Wickes & Deborah Vail.
April 1. Epentus Smith & Temperance Ketcham.
April 2. Henry Smith & Jemima Terry.
April 5. Samuel Dow & Elizabeth Burr.
April 8. Arnold Fleet & Ketura Baldwin.
May 15. Wm. Brown & Ruth Terry.
June — Eliphalet Sammis & Mary Jarvis.
June — Philetus Platt & Contenby Sammis.
June — Nicholas Smith & Mary Scidmore.
June — J. Shadbolt & —— Abbet.
Nov. — Epenetus Smith & Elizabeth Smith.
Dec. 6. Henry Leffert & —— Sammis.
Dec. 22. Richard Blydenburgh & Deborah Smith.
Dec. 26. Christopher Trim & Amy Batto.
Dec. 26. Thomas Gildersleeve & Anna Wood.
Dec. 30. Zachariah Rogers & Charitha Whitman.

1793

Jan. 6. Jacob Mot & Mary Buffet.
Jan. 6. Jesse Conkling & Hannah Ketcham.
Jan. 10. George Levis & Mary Brown.
Jan. 30. Thomas Gould & Abigail Sammis.
Feb. 3. Zophar Ruland & Milison Baly.
Feb. 14. Aaron Higby & Martha Weeks.
Feb. 14. Joseph Whitman & Abigail Berry.
Feb. 16. Jonithan Jarvis & Deborah Whison.
Feb. 16. John McGalpin & Elizabeth Rogers.
Feb. 20. Elijah Wicks & Elizabeth Rogers.
March 11. Theodorus Weeks & Margret Davis.
March 16. Sam'l Smith & Paninah Buccannon.
March 17. Nath'l Whitman & Experience Rogers.
March 23. Gilbert Wicks & Sarah Titus (?) perhaps Brush.
April 4. Jesse Schofel & Elizabeth Squires.
May 5. Joseph Higby & Fanny Liset.
May 19. Jesse Bryant & Ruth Willets.
June 16. Auguston Jarvis & Charity Platt.
June 17. Eneas Smith & Elizabeth Bunce.
Aug. 4. Timothy Scidmore & Peggy Soper.
Sept. 1. Joseph Burr & Elizabeth Jackson.
Sept. 4. James Hill & Sarah Rodgers.
Oct. 7. Hubbart Conkling & Sibbel Meed.
Oct. 19. Joshua Smith & Ruth Smith.
Oct. 21. Nathan Smith & Elizabeth Conkling.
Dec. — Jacob Rogers & Elizabeth Hartt.

1794

Jan. 30. Peter Ruland & Jerusha Scudder.
Feb. 17. Nathaniel Havens & Rebecca Havens.
March 23. Stephen Brown & Elizabeth Combs.

1794

March 23. Elikim Brush & S—— Combs.
June 15. Icabod Bedel & Jayne Higby.
Aug. 8. Phlonder Johnson & Esther Lockwood.
Aug. 12. Philip Kellam & Mary Lockwood.
Aug. 30. Jonas Gildersleeve & Dansy Holft.
Sept. 2. Jacob Smith & Margret Scidmore.
Sept. 13. Dan'l Chichester & Aner Allaby.
Sept. 14. Lemuel Allaby & Jayne Stratton.
Sept. 15. Wm. Taylor & Tabitha Nicols.
Dec. 5. Stephen Gildersleeve & Ony Smith.
Dec. 12. Wm. Rugyard & Frances Hart.
Dec. 17. Ebenezer Rogers & Phebe Seaman.
Dec. 22. Richard Haux & Nelly Hendrickson.
Dec. 24. Moses Rogers & Rachel Rogers.
Dec. 31. Daniel Brown & Mary Bunce.

1795

Jan. 13. Timothy Scudder & Rachel Nicols.
Feb. 8. Elkanah Platt & Prudence Wood.
Feb. 11. Daniel Oakerly & Mary Baldwin.
Feb. 11. Samuel Wicks & Sinda Howell.
Feb. 12. Jesse Scudder & Mary Brian.
Feb. 12. David Scidmore & Sarah Brian.
Feb. 28. Robert Degrove & Mary Smith.
March 21. Isaac Blydenburgh & Susannah Smith.
Aug. 20. Joshua Smith & Rebecca Willets.
Aug. 29. George Burton & Amy Ruland.
Sept. 3. Melancton Townsand & Sarah Ireland.

1796

Jan. 5. Moses Blatchly & Sarah Bryan.
Jan. 5. Arzel Bryan & Mary Scidmore.
Jan. 6. Jonah Bishop & Hannah Pederick.
Jan. 17. Ebenezer Bryan & Ruth Ketcham.
Jan. 21. Oliver Young & Sarah Davis.
Jan. 28. Israel Wood & Mary Muncy.
Feb. 6. Benj. Van Wike & Mary Dingy.
Feb. 11. Philetus Hartt & Mary Conkling.
Feb. 20. Samuel Smith & Phebe Wheeler.
Feb. 22. Jacob Ketcham & Hannah Ruland.
March 9. Epenetus Smith & Rhoda Oakerly.
March 12. Abraham Smith & Nancy Bunce.
March 12. Matthew Gardenner & Phebe Bunce.
March 25. Wm. Blydenburgh & Sarah Arthur.
April 10. Ebenezer Chichester & Mary Ogdan.
Aug. 14. Pratt Derye & Rebecca Platt.
June 4. Richard Blydenburgh & July Smith.
Oct. 19. Jeams Brown & Phebe Pederick.
Oct. 24. David L'Homidue & —— .
Nov. 28. Elkana Smith & Mary Arthur.
Dec. 1. Fordham Burtis & Elizabeth Scidmore.
Dec. 28. Phinehas Sills & Rebecca White.

1797

Jan. 10. Samuel Smith & Susannah Udle.
Jan. 14. Jonas Weeks & Sarah Carman.
Jan. 16. David Wheeler & Mary Totten.
Jan. 18. Peter Weeks & Mary Smith.
Jan. 18. Silas Muncy & Sarah Higby.
Jan. 18. Jonas Brush & Rachel Weeks.
Jan. 18. Samuel Strong & Ruth Carll.
Jan. 24. Abel Ketcham & Hannah Bunce.
Feb. 5. Philetus Ketcham & Phebe Oakerly.
March 7. Abraham Miller & Sarah Akerly.
March 26. Elias Pine & Phebe Smith, Hempstead.
April 19. Selah Ketcham & Sarah Smith.
June 21. Gilbirt Sammis & Elizabeth Gildersleeve.
July 4. Jeremiah Smith & Rebecca Gildersleeve.
Aug 27. Whitehead Rainer & Mary Seaman, Hempstead.
Sept. 24. Benjamin Rainer & Rebecca Carrier, Hempstead.
Sept. 24. Joseph Morral & Hannah Allen, Hempstead.
Oct. 30. Pen Weeks & Elizabeth Carman.
Nov. 19. Latin Simonson & Elizabeth Valentine.
Dec. 17. Daniel Latten & Lette Pettit.

1798

Jan. 14. George Pettit & Elizabeth Lose (or Loie).
Feb. 7. Azariah Wicks & Sarah Ireland.
March 4. Plat Soper & Deborah Lockwood.
May 12. Daniel Kelcy & Elizabeth Bryant.
July 2. Joseph Smith & Hannah Simonson.
Sept. 18. Zephaniah Ketcham & Ruth Rogers.
Nov. 22. Charles Hubbs & Freelove Wickes.
Dec. 3. John Tredwel & Abigail R. Smith.

1799

Feb. 24. Gilbert Akerly & Deborah Okes.
Feb. 24. Thos. Rushmore & Jayne Seaman.
March 10. James Carpenter & Elizabeth Vandewaters.
April 7. Sylvanus Baldwin & Amy Wright.
April 15. Eliphalet Bunce & Hannah Jarvis.
April 21. Stephan Wood & Sarah Durlin.
April 23. Micah Hartt & Anna Lewis.
May 5. William Flower & Margaret Mot.
June 19. Thomas R. Smith & Hannah Oakes.
June 30. John & Anna —— Blacks (i. e. Colored).
July 14. Isaac Rainner & Phebe Smith.
July 28. Wm. Pettit & Elizabeth Pettit.
Aug. 9. Benjamin Ketcham & Elizabeth Mulford.
Nov. 17. Joseph Thurston & Margret Rodes.

1800

Jan. 18. Alexander Bryant & E. Catharne Hartt.
Jan. 23. John Simonson & Elizabeth Totten.
Feb. 9. John R. Smith & Elizabeth Smith.
Feb. 9. Lot Vandewaters & Anna Baker.

1800

Feb. 1. Thomas Ireland & Jemima Briant.
Feb. 15. Isaac Scudder & Sarah Hartt.
March 2. Thos. Roberson & Deborah Vail.
March 19. Daniel Rogers & Mary Ketcham.
April 19. Israel Smith & Abigail Briant.
April 19. Fleet Bunce & Elizabeth White.
May 24. William Eldard & Margaret Pettit.
May 24. Daniel Reeve & Susannah Sills.
June 29. Josiah Pederick & Sarah Ruland.
Aug. 24. Joseph Dow & Sarah Jarod.
Oct. 19. Nicholas Jarvis & Sarah Wheeler.
Oct. 22. Gilbert Bryant & Mary Conkling.
Oct. 26. Joseph Hedges & Lavina Place.
Nov. 22. Jno. Burger & Elizabeth Gail.
Nov. 22. Edward Sprag & Catty Place.
Nov. 23. Stephan Durling & Anna Smith.

1801

Jan. 4. William Fish & Nancy Lewis.
Feb. 10. John Vail & Sarah Smith.
May 7. Elias Mulford & Hannah Smith.
May 24. Carman Rushmore & Ruth Pine.
July 5. Nathaniel Seaman & Mary Demot.
Aug. 2. John Flower & Elizabeth Drawyer.
Aug. 13. J. L. H. —— & T. S. —— .
Aug. 16. Stephan Hewlet & Hannah Langdon.
Aug. 30. Richard Post & Sarah Eldard.
Aug. 30. Stephan Voruss & Rachel Baly.
Nov. 8. Abraham Ramson & Sarah Woolle.
Nov. 22. Benjamin Gildersleeve & Nancy Rainer.
Nov. 30. Stephen Abet & Jemima Bishop.
Dec. 6. Isaac Post & Sarah Seaman.
Dec. 19. Robt. Nostrand & —— Mott.

Only fifteen couples ye last year married.

1802

Jan. 20. Tredwell Ruland & Phebe Arthur.
April 11. James R. Smith & Mary Pratt.
May 27. Jacob Platt & Lavinah Rogers.
Nov. 21. Ezekel Mot & Elizabeth Nostran.

Only four couples married ye last year.

1803

Jan. 16. John Burtis & Phebe R. Smith.
Feb. 15. Nehemiah Sammis & Catrenehi Yon (?) or Hon (?)
March 2. Edmund Briant & Sarah Scudder.
March 2. Alexander Smith & Sarah Brown.
April 23. Samuel Allen & Rachel Buffet.
June 5. Thomas Pettit & Ann Brewer.
Aug. 11. James Cealler & Mary Pederick.
Dec. 9. Joseph Platt & Mary Akerly.
Dec. 18. J. Scidmore Wright & Elizabeth Pettit.
Dec. 18. James Burtis & Melly Wright.

 (*To be continued.*)

THACHER-THATCHER GENEALOGY.

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Note: I deem it desirable here to state that the Hon. Peter[8] Thacher (Hon. Stephen,[7] Rodolphus,[6] Peter,[5] Rev. Ralph,[4] Rev. Thomas,[3] Rev. Peter,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), of Newton, Mass., born October 14th, 1810, died October 21st, 1894, for many years previous to his death devoted much time and money in endeavoring to clear up the record of the English origin of the Yarmouth-Boston Thacher family, as well as to collect a definite record of the Thachers in the United States.

On May 18th, 1882, he published a small pamphlet, in which he foreshadowed the conclusions which I have arrived at in compiling the English record of this family. His son, Stephen Thacher, Esq., of Boston, Mass., fell heir to the manuscript collections of his father relating to the Thacher family, and was so extremely courteous and considerate as to allow me to have temporary possession of the same during the period of my compilation of the English origin and genealogy of the family.

Hon. Peter[8] Thacher was much aided in his work by Miss Julia W. Redfield of Pittsfield Mass., who most generously presented to me her entire manuscript bearing upon her study of Thachers in England and the United States. In collecting the English records of the family, Hon. Peter[8] Thacher was also assisted greatly by Mr. J. Henry Lea, the American genealogist who has made and still does make a specialty of unravelling knotty questions of English ancestry; and the result of his research, made himself in England, as submitted to Hon. Peter[8] Thacher, was so complete and satisfactory as to be invaluable to me, in connection with my own search, in enabling me to draw the definite conclusions which characterize my chapters on the English origin and genealogy of the Thacher family. I desire here to acknowledge the excellence of the work of my predecessors in this field, and to record, in the name of those of Thacher blood, the debt due to Hon. Peter[8] Thacher and to Miss Redfield for clearing this field of many preliminary obstacles; and to likewise record my endorsement of Mr. Lea's exhaustive and clearly submitted reports upon the result of his search in England bearing upon the Thacher family.—J. R. T.

Notes Concerning the Record of Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher.

Note 1: The verses composed by Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher under date of August 30th, 1683, comprise some 322 lines, a full copy of which may be seen in the manuscript Thacher Genealogy compiled by Hon. George

Thacher of Biddeford, Maine (1754–1824), one of the rare copies of which may seen in the Library of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society. The verses are not of any poetic merit but form a fair example of the verbose and unduly extended emotional eulogy which bereaved ones of those times indulged in rehearsing the virtues of their departed dead. We append here below only such extracts from these verses as possess distinct genealogical value, the extracts given bearing full evidence of the literary and metric value of the entire effusion. Marrying as he did just four months after delivering himself of such an extensive and enthusiastic eulogy, many might be excused for suspecting the author of some degree of exaggeration of his real sentiments; but in justice to his memory let it be borne in mind that he was the father of a family of seven young children who much needed a woman's care and thus the force of circumstances undoubtedly aided a distinctly pronounced preference in the selection of his second help-mate.

The verses, extracts from which are here below quoted, were bequeathed by Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher to his children accompanied by the following letter of explanation and advice, viz.:

"Here you may find a few broken leaves which I leave to your consideration, my children; in which you have some brief and short hints of things and passages which your poor father more largely descanted upon in the time of his melancholy mourning hours for his exceeding great loss of his most dear and loving wife, and your dear and tender mother, who went from this sinful weary world to those mansions of joy and rest prepared by her Lord and Christ for her on the 15th day of July about eleven or twelve o'clock in the night in the year 1683; she being as I count within one day of 41 years of age. Proverbs, 18. 'My son, bear the instructions of thy father, and forsake not the law of thy mother.'

These lines which here are left of me
May speak when I no more shall be
And also you in mind may put
Of that which else may be forgot.

Your greatly affectionate father
J. T."

EXTRACTS FROM VERSES.

"When I was young and a mate did need,
To God I went me to succeed;
Who graciously did me guide,
So that a virtuous maid I spied,
Rebecca Winslow was her name,
Brought up in family of fame
For Godliness and piety
To which place I went speedily
[This probably means Marshfield]
Where I obtained help meet for me.
Such jewels now how rare they be;
She young and fair, a comely one
She is now gone. I'm left to mourn.
My case most sad and desolate
Because I have lost my tender mate.
Full twenty years and one I had
This mate which always made me glad
Yea, and to add unto the score
Eight months and nine days she lived more.
These two sums do complete the time
In which Rebecca, she was mine."

* * *

"For, *in the month of September*, last,
On *seventh day* as I it cast,
My little babe away was took
When it most pleasingly did look.
Of which bereaving stroke I speak
The heart of my dear wife did break.'

* * *

"*Five weeks* and then twas taken home
Methinks I hear the mother mourn
Her little *Mary* gone to rest,
So quickly snatched from tender breast.
This cost tender mother many sith,
And helped shorten her precious life,
Me thinks I hear her still to say,
I shan't make much delay,
Before that with my sweet babe, I
Shall be with Christ, eternally."

* * *

"Yet then I begged of God to spare
My children and my wife so dear;
But Oh! I was so dull I see
My wife and child they both must be
By cruel death removed from me.
My cries and tears could not avail
The time was come, death must prevail
To cut down that most pleasant vine
Which did flourish in this house of mine.
Full furnished now with fruit she goes
To blessed grave there to repose."

* * *

"Oh! dismal was the night, I say
That followed *July's fifteenth day*
Such dismal loss I did sustain
That puts me to most grievous pain,
Her dying groans they pierced my heart;
I feel within my breast the smart
Of this sharp cutting chastisement
Which Thou, my Father dear, hast sent."

* * *

"*The children she hath left with me*
They are *daughters four and sons three;*
The *other two are in the grave,*
Where they their quiet resting have
With their dear mother where they lie,
In silent grave most quietly,
Their souls in bliss, Christ's arms within
While we are here committing sin."

* * *

"*My wife, Rebecca,* leaves to me
Peter, her eldest son, was he
My first born, a child of prayer,
God make him of heaven an heir.
Josiah next did quickly come,
Oh! God, make him a blessed son
Rebecca, eldest daughter, she
Her mother's name do bear to me.
Oh! that her mother's virtues she
May inherit continually.
Bethiah comes the next in place
To whom God will give his free grace.
John his father's name do bear
To which his mother rejoiced to hear;
And as his name grace do signify
Grace gave him to live eternally.
Elizabeth is next in count,
God grant her faith aloft may mount.
Hannah she the number do complete
For her I beg thy mercy great,
And now, Oh! Lord, *my sons all three*
Let them be always blest of Thee;
And *these four daughters of mine*
Oh! God, let they for aye be thine."

An Acrostic.

"**R**ighteous ones they haste away
Earth no longer this saint must stay;
Blest she was while she lived here,
Each one laments thee now my dear.
Christ was her all, God was her fear
And to his Gospel she gave ear;
Her delight was in saints communion

'**T**was great while she was her journey on.
Home now she's gone to return no more
And she's safe arrived at the other shore,
Choice pleasures now she doth enjoy
Heaven is the place where she rests for aye,
Ever to be with Christ her friend
Rejoicing world without an end.

August 30th, 1683."

The value of this effusion from the pen of Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher from a genealogical standpoint is as follows: It fixes specifically his 1st wife's baptismal name as Rebecca. It states that he went away from his home to be married; and although we have no existing record of the place of his marriage, it is a fair presumption that he went to Marshfield where his bride's parents lived. In fact Hon. George Thacher, in his genealogy of the Thachers, before referred to, specifically states that the marriage took place in Marshfield; which statement was made from information obtained from reliable sources by him over a hundred years ago. It fixes also the date of his 1st marriage specifically; for Rebecca his 1st wife died July 15th, 1683; and 21 years, 8 months and 9 days the time she was his wife places the date of her marriage at November 6th, 1661, as I have given it. The verses also establish the fact that he had 9 children by his 1st wife, 7 of whom were living at her death; and he gives therein their names in order of their birth as we have them recorded. The ninth (9th) child, sex not given, as we have recorded it, was in all probability the 1st born and was probably born between 1661 and 1665, and probably died at birth or in early infancy as we have no mention of its name in the verses.

Note No. 2. Family tradition furnishes us with an interesting anecdote relating to the first and second wives of Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher, which is as follows: On his return to Yarmouth from Marshfield with his first bride and company, they stopped at the house of Captain John Gorham at Barnstable.

In the merry conversation with the newly married couple, an infant was brought into the room, about three weeks old, and Mr. Thacher was informed the child had been born on such a night; he replied that it was the very night on which he was married; and taking the child in his arms he presented it to his bride saying: "Here, my dear, is a little lady born the same night that we were married; I wish you would kiss it, as I intend to have her for my second wife." "I will, my dear," she replied "to please you, but I hope it will be a long time before you have that pleasure!" so taking the babe, she kissed it. This jesting prediction was eventually verified. Mr. Thacher's first wife Rebecca Winslow died, and the child Lydia Gorham, arriving at mature age actually became his 2nd wife January 1st, 1683-4. Upon the death of his first wife July 15th, 1683, Hon. John[3] Thacher was plunged into what seemed to be hopeless grief and composed to her memory an eulogistic poem of many lines under date of August 30th, 1683. Yet so capable is the human heart of healing, and so remarkable was his recuperative powers that on January 1st, 1683–4, he was married again and his second bride was the baby of the tradition (then become a young lady.) The family tradition goes on to relate the interesting manner of, and incidents connected with, his winning his second wife. After the death of his first wife Mr. Thacher while riding one day through Barnstable, saw a horse belonging to his son Peter tied to a tree in front of Capt. Gorham's residence; and as a thoughtful parent is inclined, he went in to see what his son was doing. He found that his son had made considerable advance in his suit for the hand of Lydia Gorham (the infant of the foregoing narrative) whom he Col. John[3] had predicted he would have for his second wife; and whether it was on account of the aforesaid prophecy or because his attention had been attracted to the young lady before, he took his son Peter aside and offered him ten pounds old tenor, and a yoke of black steers, to induce him to abandon his suit. Tradition does not state whether Peter was an obedient son and accepted the offer, or whether his father succeeded in spite of his rival. The date of birth of Lydia Gorham, 2nd wife of Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher is variously given as follows; *Allen's Thacher Genealogy* pp. 33–34 gives the date as November 6, 1661; *Plymouth Colony Records* Vol. VIII, p. 44 and *Savage's Gen. Dic.* Vol. II, p. 281 gives it as November 11th, 1661; and *N. E. His. Gen. Reg.* Vol. LII, p. 358 gives it as November 16th, 1661. Which of these dates is absolutely correct I will not attempt to state but inasmuch as John[3] Thacher specifically states in his verses that he was married November 6th, 1661, and inasmuch as the very old story as given above states that Lydia Gorham, the baby of the narrative, was born on the day John[3] Thacher married Rebecca Winslow, I have recorded Lydia Gorham's date of birth as November 6, 1661.

Will of Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher.

Note 3. "In the name of God, Amen, I, John Thacher of Yarmouth, in the County of Barnstable, in New England, considering my age and near approach to death, and being at this time threw the mercy of God to me of disposing mind and memory; do make and ordain this my last will and testament.

In manner and form following:

First. I comitt my spirit to God that gave it, and my body to ye Earth from whence it was taken, believing that at ye Last Day they shall be reunited together again; and that this very body which I now lay down in the Dust being kept by the mighty power of Christ Jesus shall be raised up again at ye Last Day; and being reunited to my Soul shall appear before his Tribunal seat, who having of his own free Grace and more mercy in Jesus Christ by the Blood of his soul done away all my sin, yea he, by himselfe being once offered hath purged away all my sins and sanctified me by that once offering of his body, will raise it up a Glorious Body that both Soul and body may reign with him in Glory forever Amen. And as for my temporal and outward estate which it hath pleased God to lend me, as Housings, lands, goods and chattels I do order, give and dispose ye same in manner following, that is to say;—first, I will that all my Debts which I owe in Right or conscience to any person whatsoever shall be well and truly paid and satisfyed by my Executors hereafter named in convenient time after my Decease out of my moveable estate.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my son *Peter Thacher* and to his heirs and assigns forever, a piece of marsh lying att ye west of ye Neck pasture bounded northerly by the way that leads into ye Loane Tree furlong and ye crick yt runs down betwixt that and Joseph Howes his meadow, and on ye other side by the creek that runs betwixt that and John Hallett's marsh up southeastward to a small creek or gutter and so up from ye creek straight to a white oake tree marked on two sides, and thence on a straight line northward across the point of upland to a strip which is hollow on ye west side a flat rock lying close to ye hollow thereof, and westward by ye foresaid way to ye meadow aforesaid, and that he my son and his heirs and assigns shall forever att their own cost and charge make and maintain all ye fence that shall belong thereto and that the way unto ye same shall ever be att ye corner by said stump. I do also give *to my said son Peter*, Perkins first volume or booke and my great book called "ye Christians Warfare;" as also my cradle and bearing blanket which he has in possession.

Item: I do give to *my son John Thacher* and to his heirs and assigns forever, my land att Plainfield, in ye County of New London, or that which Mr. James Fitch hath sett out according to my agreement with him, in exchange for that in Plainfield aforesaid; as also two acres of Creek Stuff and broken marsh next to Joseph Gorham's where Thomas Haddaway hath used to mow, with privilege of flooding it up to the Drying Ground at Greean Hill after the grass is mown; and also liberty of way to cart it away; and also ten shares in the third division of ye Comons and undivided Lands and meadows within the township of Yarmouth. Furthermore, I do give to him, *my son, John* my gold ring with a seal that was my father's and Perkins 3rd volume or book and Ainsworth's Annotations, as also a piece of marsh lying on ye north side of ye way that leads into ye Lone Tree Furlong containing about one acre and a half.

Item: I give unto ye male heirs of my son *Josiah Thacher*, deceased, that lot the Close which I intended for him my said son as it is now inclosed by ye Great Ditch in the Swamp and *my son Peter's* fence on ye westward side and by my fence on ye northwest, and by ye present fence eastward and southward; provided that they shall and do annually winter and summer make and keepe up a sufficient fence (by sufficient fence I mean such as shall keep out swine, cattle and horses) where now it is, beginning at the great ditch westward and extending eastward and northward to the half part of ye whole from the said ditch to ye North end of ye cross fence; and that if occasion shall be hereafter they shall draw back westward to the east corner of his fence by ye Highway, westward to a stump in said fence for an outlett to pass and repass to and from my house to ye highway, and also if it happen that they the said heirs or their heirs or assigns shall see cause to sell the said close during ye time of any of my children or any one of them possessing ye land adjoining thereto on either side thereof, they shall first offer it to him or them so joining aforesaid, and they or any one of them paying twenty pounds to ye said heirs shall have said Close and all the fence belonging to it and they said heirs so selling shall seal and deliver a sufficient deed for the same ; and if neither of my children will buy, they said heirs may sell to whom they please, which condition being observed and performed shall according to the true intent thereof this bequest shall stand good forever; but if otherwise it shall be utterly void and of no effect, and as the said close was part of my homestead so it shall be again and belong to the possession thereof anything contained herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

Item: I give and bequeath to my *four sons, Judah, Joseph, Benjamin* and *Thomas* their heirs and assigns forever all my housing, lands, and meadows with all the privileges and appurtenances excepting as before, and if it pleaseth God to take away any of them by Death before they arrive to ye age of twenty and one years or are married, his or their part of my said housing, land and meadow shall fall in equal part to the survivors.

Item: I give unto *my daughter, Rebecca Sturges*, besides what she hath formerly had of me as her portion, Mr. Robert Bolton's works and six shillings more of my estate.

Item: To *my daughter Bethiah Paine*, I give and bequeath besides what I have formerly given her Mr. Perkins 2nd volume or book and also ten shillings of my estate.

Item: I give to ye children of *my daughter Elizabeth Hatch*, deceased besides what I have formerly given to her as her portion, ten shillings of my estate.

Item: My will is that all ye rest of my moveable Estate both within doors and without and whatsoever is owing to me (except such utensils as are for the management of ye Husbandry as cart, plows, yokes, chains, etc.) be equally divided two equal parts or shares; the one half part I give and bequeath to *my loving wife Lydia* to her dispose forever, and the other half part shall be divided into four equal parts which I give and bequeath to *my four youngest daughters by my present wife Lydia* to each one of them one equal fourth part, they paying unto *their sisters Lydia Freeman* and *Mary Gorham* six shillings apiece; and further my will is that *my wife* shall have the improvement of my housings, lands and meadows and receive the profits thereof *during her being my widow* for her own and childrens support *and att her decease or marriage my said four sons* shall have ye profits thereof and shall possess the same as they come to age to inherit; and while my said wife shall have ye profits of my said lands, she shall keep my dwelling house in good repair, from time to time she shall also have the use of cart, plows, yokes, chains, etc. for ye management of ye Husbandry, she repairing and renewing of ye same as need may be for ye use of my sons when the improvement of ye land comes to them; further *I give to ye two drummers of Yarmouth*, if they be at my funeral five shillings apiece in money, that so my children may have my weapons, though I had much rather be decently buried without Military Ceremony.

Lastly I do now make and constitute and *appoint my beloved wife Lydia and my son Peter Thacher* to be *Executors* to this my will. And I do hereby utterly disallow, revoke and disannul all and every former testaments, wills, legacies and bequests and executors by me in any ways before named, willed and bequeathed, Ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seal this twenty fifth day of April in ye year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and thirteen.

(sgd) John Thacher (seal)

Signed, sealed, published pronounced and declared by the said John Thacher as his last will and testament in presence of us.

(sgd) Daniel Greenleaf.
(sgd) Stephen Greenleaf.
(sgd) Mary Gorham

Barnabas Lothrop, Esq., Commissionated by his Excellency ye Governor Counsal of this her Majesty's Province of ye Massachusetts Bay in New England, to be Judge of ye Probate of Wills and for granting Letters of Administration on ye estates of persons deceased, having goods, chattels, rights or credits in ye County of Barnstable within ye province aforesaid. To all unto whom these presents may come Greeting. Know ye that upon ye nineteenth day of June 1713 before me at Barnstable in ye County aforesaid ye *will of John Thacher Esq.* late of Yarmouth, in said County, deceased to the presents annexed *was proved and is approved and allowed* who having while he lived and att ye time of his death, goods, chattels, Rights or Credits in the County aforesaid, and ye Probate of ye said will and power of committing administration of all and singular the goods, chattels and Credits of the said deceased by virtue thereof appertaining unto me. The *administration* of all and singular the goods, chattels, Rights and Credits of the said deceased and his will in any manner concerning *is hereby committed unto Lydia Thacher widow, relict of ye deceased, Executrix* in ye same will named (*Mr. Peter Thacher* another executor in ye said will named *having renounced his executorship and refuseth to act therein*) and she to administer the estate of ye said deceased according thereunto, and to make a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels, Rights and Credits of ye said deceased and to exhibit ye same faithfully unto ye Registery of ye Court of Probate for ye County aforesaid, and also to render a plain and true account of said administration upon oath. In testimony whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and ye seal of ye said Court of Probate. Dated Barnstable, ye 27th day of July in ye twelfth year of her Majesties Reign Anno Domini 1713.

(SEAL)

(sgd) Barnabas Lothrop."

The property of John[3] Thacher, bequeathed in his above will to his son, John[4] Thacher, situated in Plainfield, is found described in the following deed which was copied direct from the Norwich, Conn., Land Records:

NORWICH, CONN., LAND RECORDS, BOOK 2 A, page 12.

To all people to whome these Presents shall come *ononeco* son and heire unto *unkas* deceased *sachems of moheagine* in ye county of New London in new england in america Send Greeting & know yee that I the sd *ononeco* for and in consideration of the sum of five pounds unto me in hand paid by *capt John Thacher* of the *town of yarmoth* in the *county of barnstable* in *newing Land* in america afforesaid gentleman wharewith I doe acknowlidg my selff to be fully satisfied contented & paid & thereoff & of every part & parcell thereof I the sd *ononeco* doe by these presents acquite exonerate & discharge the sd *capt John Thacher* his heires exekutors and administrators & every of them for ever Have freely & absaltuily [absolutely] bargained & sould allienated Infeoffed & confirmed & by these presents I doe bargain sell allienat Infeoff & confirme from me the sd *ononeco* & my heires unto the sd *capt John Thacher* his heires & assigns for ever all that my hundred acres of Land that I have Lying & being on the *eastwardside of quinabaug river* neere *pigscomsite* Laid out at first in comon with fifty acres of the land of m^r John miller two thirds of the hundred & fifty of the upland & halff the meadow in & aioyning to the sd hundred & fifty acres of Land the sd hundred acres abuting northwesterly on the Land of m^r John miller three hundred & twenty rodds abuting southwesterly on the comons fifty two rodds & a quarter abuting southeastwardly on the Land of Thomas waterman & of Stephen merick three hundred & twenty rodds at the northward end abuting on a brooke it being fifty two rodds in width right across the sd Land the same width the southwest end mentioned in the thirteenth Lyne whare it is inter Lyned & halff the meadow Land on the northan side of the sd brook between the affore mentioned hundred & fifty acres of Land & the upland comons on the north sid of the sd brooke at the northward end of the sd upland all that my hundred acres of upland & meadow more or less as it is buted & bounded I the said *ononeco* for and in consideration Afforesd have bargained & sould so affooresd unto the *sd Capt Thacher* with all the appurtenances & privelidge thereunto belonging & all my rights title and Interest off & into the sd bargained premises belonging & every part and parcell thereoff To have and to hould etc.

In Witness whareof The above named *ononeco* have hereunto seete my hand & sealle this the 23: of aprill anno: 1686

oneco his X mark ( ) seal.

Signed sealled & Delivered
in presents of us
William Backus
Simon Huntington

Norwich march 4th Anno 1689
oneco sachem of *moheagin* acknowlidged & signed this deed (unto which william backus & simon huntington ar witnesses) before me James Fitch assis^t

35. JUDAH[3] THACHER (Antony[2], Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., probably, although we have no record thereof; date of birth ——; he was always given in lists of his father's children as junior to his brother John,[3] and hence was probably born some time early in the 1640's. He resided at Yarmouth and what his business or occupation was we have no record; he is recorded, however, as Surveyor of Highways for Yarmouth. He died at Yarmouth, November 4th, 1676, and was probably buried in Old Cemetery at Yarmouth, although no stone marks his grave at this time, nor have we ever obtained any intimation that there ever was one. He married at Yarmouth, Mass., the

2nd of ——, ——, the year being probably about 1666, Mary Thornton, who was born in ——, England, about the the year 1640, and died in Boston, Mass., at home of her daughter, Mary (Thacher) Grant, November 30th, 1708, aged 68, and was buried in Boston in Copp's Hill burying ground, where a grave stone marks her grave. She was a daughter of Rev. Thomas Thornton, of Yarmouth and Boston, Mass., and Mary (——) Thornton, his wife.

Children 6 (Thacher), 3 sons and 3 daughters, all born in Yarmouth, Mass.

+58 i. Elizabeth,[4] born October ——, 1667; died ——; married, first, Joshua Gee; married, second, Peter[4] Thacher (Rev. Thos.[3], Rev. Peter,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), as his third wife.

+59 ii. Thomas,[4] born May 18th, 1669; died ——, 1701-2; probably unmarried.

+60 iii. Mary,[4] born March 17th, 1671; died ——, ——; married, first, Moses Draper; married, second, Joseph Grant.

61 iv. Judah 1st,[4] born —— 21st, 1673 (?); died October 6th, 1676, in infancy, and was probably buried in Yarmouth. No stone marks his grave.

62 v. Ann,[4] born October 31st (last of October, not 31st specifically), 1674; died at Boston, Mass., September 7th, 1706, according to the manuscript notes of the late Hon. Peter Thacher, of Newton, Mass., whose authority for the statement is unknown to me. She is supposed to have died unmarried, as no record of her marriage has ever been discovered. Where she is buried is not a matter of record.

63 vi. Judah 2nd,[4] born December 7th, 1676; died ——, 1705; he is supposed to have died unmarried, as no record of his marriage has ever been discovered; he removed to Boston, Mass., and it is recorded that he joined the 2nd Church there, January 29th, 1698-9. His place of burial is unknown. His estate was administered upon by his brother-in-law, Joshua Gee, May 20th, 1705. He was a seaman.

Of Judah[3] Thacher little is known; he was born in Yarmouth, Mass., according to *Freeman's Cape Cod*, Vol. II, p. 194. In the distribution of the estate of his father, Antony[2] Thacher, he received his share of the real estate; and he lived and presumably died in Yarmouth, and according to *Freeman's Cape Cod*, was buried there, November 7th, 1676. We have no record of his birth, but he is always recorded as the junior of his brother, John[3] Thacher, and hence was born subsequent to 1638-9 and,

if as stated he was born in Yarmouth, his birth occurred probably early in the 1640's. D. W. Allen's Thacher Genealogy says that he died November 4th, 1676; but upon what authority he makes such statement I do not know, but taken in connection with the excellent authority of Freeman, who says that he was buried November 7th, 1676, it is fair to presume that Allen is correct in the date of his death as I have given it. He was at his death then but 36 years old, a comparatively young man.

1676-7. March 6th. At Court of Assistants at Plymouth. "Letters of administration granted by Court unto Mary, the relict of Mr. Judah Thacher, deceased, and unto Mr. John Thacher (his brother) and unto Nathaniel Hall to administer the estate of the said Judah Thacher.

"Concerning the settlement of the estate of Mr. Judah Thacher, of Yarmouth, late deceased, the Court hath ordered that the widow shall have the whole profit of the estate, both personal and real, until the children come to their respective ages, for and towards the bringing up of the children; and when the children come of age the eldest son to have the house and half the land most convenient to the house according to the worth of it; and the other son to have the other half of the lands; and his three (3) daughters to have £10 apiece out of the personal estate; and the remainder of the estate to the widow forever, and the third of the profits of the land during her natural life, only if need shall require. The Court ordereth that the two sons shall pay £5 apiece out of their estate to be paid and disposed unto and for the bringing up of the younger children, or unto the daughters as the Court shall see cause, and in such convenient time as the Court shall judge meet."

1667. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 2d, 1667. "Mr. Judah Thacher, surveyor of the highways for Yarmouth."

1668. General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 3rd, 1668. "Mr. Judah Thacher, surveyor of the highways for Yarmouth."

1670. May 29th. "Mr. Judah Thacher on list of freemen at Yarmouth, Mass."

General Court of Election at Plymouth, June 7th, 1670. "Mr. Judah Thacher sworn as a member of the Grand Inquest."

1671. April 28th. "Mr. Judah Thacher on Coroner's Jury."

1674. October 27th. "Mr. Judah Thacher on jury for trial of a native named Matthias for murder, prisoner acquitted."

After the death of her husband, it is thought that Mary (Thornton) Thacher, widow of Judah[3] Thacher, continued to live in Yarmouth, Mass., until about 1690 or 1691. Her father, Rev. Thomas Thornton, became minister at Yarmouth in 1662, and remained as such until 1693, when he removed to Boston. The records of the 2nd Church at Boston show that Judah[3] Thacher's widow joined that Church, November 1st, 1691. Ann[4]

Thacher, her daughter, joined same Church May 10th, 1696; and Judah[4] Thacher, her son, joined it January 29th 1698-9; and likewise her daughter, Mary[4] Thacher, joined it on September 26th, 1703. It will be noted that we have no record of her son, Thomas[4] Thacher, joining that Church nor any other in Boston; nor is there any record of Elizabeth[4] Thacher, her eldest daughter, joining the 2nd, or any other Church in Boston under her maiden name; but in the History of the 2nd Church, Boston, we find that she and her husband, Joshua Gee, joined the 2nd Church May 2nd, 1697. Hence all of Judah[3] Thacher's children who were alive joined the 2nd Church, Boston, except his son, Thomas[4] Thacher; and the reason why he did not, or rather was not able to, join said Church was that he was for many years previous to his death, 1701-2, a captive with the Moors and died in prison.

When Mary (Thornton) Thacher removed to Boston, she made her home with her daughter, Mary[4] Thacher, who married first, Moses Draper, and second, Joseph Grant. She continued to live in Boston until her death, which occurred November 30th, 1708, at the age of 68; and she was buried in Copp's Hill Burying Ground, where a stone erected to her memory still exists and which is thus inscribed, viz:—

> "Here lyes buried ye body of Mrs. Mary Thacher, widdow, late wife of Judah Thacher of Yarmouth, departed this life November ye 30th, 1708, in ye 68th year of her age."

Rev. Thomas Thornton, father of Mary Thornton who married Judah[3] Thacher, came over to this country from England in 1662 and settled that same year as minister of Yarmouth. He was rated in the tax list of Yarmouth, April 29th, 1676, at £2, 10s.; and his name appears on the list of Freemen of Yarmouth in 1678. He remained as minister there until 1693. In 1691 Rev. John Cotton was settled at Yarmouth as colleague of Thomas Thornton, and in 1693 Mr. Thornton, on account of old age and infirmity, relinquished his charge at Yarmouth and removed to Boston, where he made his home with his son, Timothy, at whose home he died February 15th, 1699-1700, at 3 P. M.

Freeman's History of Cape Cod, Vol. II, pp. 200-1, note, thus gives his pedigree, viz:—

1. Richard Thornton, a merchant of York, England, in 1514, had by his wife, Jane, who was a daughter of John Norman, of York.
2. John Thornton, who was living in 1584 at Birdforth, parish of Coxwold, in the North Riding of Yorkshire. This John married Anne, daughter of Christopher Tomlinson, of the same parish, and they had
3. Thomas Thornton, who married Ellen, daughter of Percival, son of Lord Lumley, and they had

4. John Thornton, of Birdforth, in 1681, who married Grace, daughters of Thomas Withers, of Copgrave, and who died about 1628. They had
5. Thomas Thornton, born about 1609, in England. This Thomas Thornton was a Non-conformist minister in England and eventually he emigrated to this country in 1662, and became in that year the minister at Yarmouth. He married in England, Mary ——, and had issue as follows:
   i. Mary, born in England, about 1640, who married Judah[3] Thacher.
   ii. Anne, born in England, ——; who married Nathaniel Hall.
   iii. Theophilus, born in England, ——; he served in the Indian Wars in 1675-6 and then removed to Boston, and was thereafter one of the projectors of the settlement of Worcester, Mass.
   iv. Thomas, born in England, ——; he is supposed to have been the schoolmaster at Weymouth.
   v. Priscilla, born in England, ——; who died aged about 11 years.
   vi. Timothy, born in England, about 1650, as appears in a deposition made by him July 28th, 1680, when "about 30 years old"; being about 11 or 12 when my father came over (1662). He joined the 1st Church, Boston, September 17th, 1671, and continued in communion there many years. In 1690 he was dismissed to the 2nd Church, Boston, and remained with it 23 years, when he was dismissed to the New North Church and continued with it until his death. He was a wealthy shipping merchant in Boston.

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36. BETHIAH[3] THACHER (Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., probably, although we have no record thereof; date of birth ——. She is always given in list of her father's children as the youngest child and hence was probably born in Yarmouth some time in the 1640's. She resided at Yarmouth with her parents until her marriage, which took place presumably in Yarmouth some time about 1667 or 1668, as her 1st child was born November 15th, 1669, but we have no record of place or exact date of the marriage.

She died in Bristol, R. I., December 19th, 1725, and was presumably buried there although no stone marks her grave. She married Jabez Howland (son of John Howland and Elizabeth (Tilley) Howland, of Plymouth, Mass.), who was born at Plymouth, Mass., date ——; died at Bristol, Rhode Island, ——, 1711, or 1712, and was presumably buried in Bristol, although no stone marks his grave. He resided at Duxbury and Plymouth, Mass., and finally settled in Bristol, R. I. He was a blacksmith and cooper and carried on a large business. He was also an inn-keepr at Bristol, R. I. He was a representative to the General Court at Plymouth from Bristol, R. I., and was a selectman of Plymouth, Mass., and Bristol, R. I., Lieutenant in Indian Wars, and town clerk of Bristol, R. I., and also Assessor there.

Children 11 (Howland), 8 sons and 3 daughters. First 5 born in Plymouth, rest born in Bristol.

+64 i. Jabez,[4] born November 15th, 1669; died October 17th, 1732; married Patience Stafford.

65 ii. John, 1st,[4] born January 15th, 1672-3; died January 16th, 1672-3, at Plymouth and was buried there; no stone marks his grave

66 iii. Bethiah,[4] born June 3rd, 1674; died ——, 1676, at Plymouth, Mass., by accidental drowning; a Coroner's Jury returned a verdict that "she was accidentally drowned or stifled in a tub of clothes and water." She was buried in Plymouth, Mass. No stone marks her grave.

+67 iv. Josiah,[4] born August 6th, 1676; died February 8th, 1717; married Yetmercy Shove.

+68 v. John, 2nd,[4] born July 26th, 1679; died ——.

69 vi. Judah,[4] born May 7th, 1683; died November —, 1683, at Bristol, R. I., and was buried there November 12th, 1683. No stone marks his grave.

70 vii. Seth,[4] born January 5th, 1684-5; died April —, 1685, at Bristol, R. I., and was buried there. No stone marks his grave.

+71 viii. Samuel,[4] born May 16th, 1686; died May 15th, 1748; married first Abigail Carey; second "Madame" Rachel Allen.

72 ix. Experience,[4] born May 19th, 1687; died —— "soon," "in infancy," at Bristol, R. I., and was probably buried there. No stone marks her grave.

+73 x. Joseph,[4] born October 14th, 1692; died August 16th, 1737; married Bathsheba Carey.

74 xi. Elizabeth,[4] born ——; died ——; married Nathan Townsend, of Newport, R. I.

Bethiah[3] Thacher was in all probability born in Yarmouth, Mass., although we have no record of the place and date of her birth. She undoubtedly lived in Yarmouth with her parents until her marriage, which occurred probably in that town shortly after her father's death, which occurred in 1667; but we have no record of the place and date of her marriage, and can only gather a suggestion as to this date from the birth of her first child, Jabez[4] Howland, which took place November 15th, 1669. She and her husband lived in Plymouth, Mass., until 1681, when they removed to Bristol, R. I., where she died December 19th, 1725, and she was probably buried there, although no stone now marks her resting place.

Jabez Howland, husband of Bethiah[3] Thacher, was the second son of John Howland, who came over on the *Mayflower* on that ship's first trip in 1620 and of his wife, Elizabeth Tilley (a passenger on the first trip of the *Mayflower*), daughter of John Tilley, who likewise was a passenger on the first trip of the *Mayflower*. He, Jabez Howland, was born either in Duxbury or Plymouth, Mass., and lived in Plymouth, Mass., until 1681, where he and his wife were members of Rev. John Cotton's Church, and where he was also constable. He was engaged in military affairs and was a Lieutenant under Captain Benjamin Church in the Indian Wars and was present at the battle in which King Philip was killed. After the Indian Wars, in 1681, he removed with his wife and family to Bristol (then in the Colony of Massachusetts, it not having been joined to Rhode Island until January, 1746-7), and settled there. His first five children were born in Plymouth and the others in Bristol. The Plymouth Colony Records give the following as his official record, viz:—

1681. Jabez Howland, licensed to keep house of entertainment.

1682. Jabez Howland, selectman of Plymouth.

1684. Jabez Howland, ensign in Capt. John Walley's Company of New Bristol.

1685. Jabez Howland, selectman of Bristol.

1689. Jabez Howland, selectman of Bristol and deputy to General Court from Bristol.

1690. Jabez Howland, selectman of Bristol and deputy to Geenral Court from Bristol.

1697. Jabez Howland, deputy to General Court from Bristol (this may have been he or his son Jabez).

He was elected first Town Clerk of Bristol, November 10th, 1681, and held that office one year, and then became a selectman, and was thereafter made an assessor. He was by trade a blacksmith and cooper and carried on an extensive business; he also kept a tavern. He was a member of the First Congregational Church in Bristol. His home in Bristol stood on what is now Hope Street. The house he occupied in Ply-

mouth was still standing in 1900 and a picture of it may be seen in "Family Records, Woolsey, Howland and Newton," on page 88, and this house is also described in *Davis' Landmarks of Plymouth.*

Jabez Howland, Senior, died and was buried in Bristol, but no stone now marks his grave. The date of his death is not recorded but he made his will May 14th, 1708, and it was proved February 21st, 1712, and therefore it is presumed that he died early in 1712 or late in 1711. A full copy of his will can be seen in the *Mayflower Descendant*, Vol. VII, pp. 198-208.

The following is a record of the parents of Jabez Howland, Senior, viz:—

John Howland, passenger on the *Mayflower*, 1620, and 16th signer of the "Mayflower Compact," was born in England about 1592 (he was 80 years old at death). He resided at Duxbury and Plymouth, Mass., and died at Plymouth, Mass., February 23rd, 1672, and was buried on Burial Hill, Plymouth. He married Elizabeth Tilley (daughter of John Tilley and Elizabeth ——, his wife, both daughter and father having been passengers on the first trip of the *Mayflower* in 1620).

Elizabeth Tilley was born in 1607 and died in Swansea at the home of her daughter Lydia, wife of James Brown, on December 21st, 1687, Wednesday, aged 81, and was buried on Burial Hill, Plymouth, where a stone was erected to the memory of herself and husband. They had 10 children, of whom the second son was Jabez Howland, who married Bethiah[3] Thacher.

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FOURTH GENERATION.

37. HON. PETER[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born in Yarmouth, Mass., May 20th, 1665, resided at Yarmouth, Mass. He was a statesman and judge, selectman of Yarmouth from 1702 for five years, town treasurer of Yarmouth from 1709 for four years. He died at Yarmouth, Mass., February 13th, 1736, according to his grave stone (according to other authority on February 12th, 1736). He was buried in Old Cemetery in Yarmouth, where a stone marks his grave. He married at Yarmouth, Mass., (probably

as we have no record of the place of marriage), about 1692-3; we have no record of the date of his marriage, but his first child was born January 13th, 1693-4, from which we assume he was married about 1692-3. He married Thankful Sturgis; she was a daughter of Edward Sturgis (who was born April 10th, 1624; died December 8th, 1678) and his wife, Temperance (Gorham) Sturgis (born May 5th, 1646, at Marshfield, Mass., died March 12th, 1714-15), and who married as her second husband on January 27th, 1679, Thomas Baxter. Thankful Sturgis was born probably at Yarmouth, Mass., (where her parents lived), ——, 1675, (see date of death and age at death); before marriage she lived in Yarmouth, Mass. We have been unable to discover the exact date or place of her birth from the records. She died in Yarmouth, Mass., May 1st, 1745, "Aged 70," "in her 71st year" and was buried in the Old Cemetery there where a grave stone marks her grave. Her parents lived in Yarmouth, Mass., near the first meeting house.

Children 7 (Thacher); 3 sons and 4 daughters, all born in Yarmouth.

+75 i. Thankful,[5] born January 13th, 1693-4; died February 9th, 1768; married John Hallett.

76 ii. Peter 1st,[5] born December 11th, 1695; died ——; "in infancy" in Yarmouth, Mass., and was probably buried there; no grave stone.

77 iii. Son ——,[5] born July 20th, 1703 (about); died July 22nd, 1703, "two days old" in Yarmouth, Mass., and was probably buried there; no grave stone.

+78 iv. Sarah,[5] born February 2nd, 1708-9; died April 30th, 1762; married George Lewis.

+79 v. Temperance,[5] born September 16th, 1711; died July 11th, 1736; married Seth Crocker.

+80 vi. Peter, 2nd,[5] born August 24th, 1712; died August 22nd, 1775; married Anner Lewis.

81 vii. Hannah,[5], born August 10th, 1715; died June 14th, 1748, "in her 33rd year" at Yarmouth, Mass., and was buried in Old Cemetery there, grave stone. She was not married.

The following is a copy of a letter writen to Nathaniel Otis, of Colchester, Conn., at the time of and concerning the death of Hon. Peter[4] Thacher. The letter is somewhat torn and the signature is missing and the year date is not given, viz:—

"Yarmouth, in the County of Barnstable, 12 February [1735-6]. This day died here, much lamented, the Hon. Peter Thacher, Esq., in the 71st year of his life; he was the eldest son of the late Hon. John Thacher, Esq., of this town. Deceased sustained several public services and Honors; having been one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County in 1713,

and one of the Judges of the Superior Court of Common Pleas from 1702, and first Justice of that Court from 1732, and one of His Majesty's Honorable Council several years; and so discharged these trusts, and held in esteem in both public and private life that he has left behind him a good name for his benevolence to mankind, the integrity of his (words missing) at Justice and doing them good, and above all for his piety to God. As a Judge he was full of compassion, and when bold transgressors were before him, seemed to wish their reformation more than to delight in their punishment. As a head of a family, was tender of his domesticks, and concerned for their welfare and specially for their soul's interests. As a Christian, ever humble, esteeming others better than himself; fearful of none's miscarrying more than his own. A devout man, and one that feared God always. In his last sickness, by which he languished under strong pains, (which he indured with profound submission to the divine hand), he was beset awhile with grievous fears which his latter hours (——torn——) removed to the great joy of his soul that (——torn——) ——red and unshaken hope of eternal glory (——torn——) passion and merit of Jesus Christ, and had (——torn——) him no doubt an happy and joyful (——balance torn off").

NOTE:—Since he was born in 1665 and died in the "71st year of his life" on February 12th, we calculate 1665 + 70 = 1735-6, which must be the year date of the letter, and which from records was as we know the year of his death.

In 1716-1717, Hon. Peter[4] Thatcher was appointed the Commissioner for Barnstable County to arrange for the issuing of notes for £100,000 for the Colony of Massachusetts.

In 1717-1718, he was appointed a Justice of the Peace for Indians in Barnstable County and Nantucket. In September, 1729, he was appointed to have care and government of the Indians within the County of Barnstable in all matter civil and criminal; he was authorized to appoint constables and other proper officers amongst them. He was a representative to the General Court of Massachusets in 1711-12, 1712-13, and in 1716-1717. He was Town Clerk of Yarmouth from 1705 till his death. The town records say that he died February 12th, 1735-6; his grave stone at Yarmouth records his death as February 13th same year.

In the abstract of his will taken from the Barnstable Probate Records, dated January 6th, 1735-6, he mentions his son Peter,[5] his daughter Hannah,[5] his grandson Peter Hallet. "To my son Peter, my bed which was *Mother Baxter's*;" "my son George Lewis, my walking stick which he gave me." "To my four (4) daughters, Thankful Hallet, Sarah Lewis, Temperance Crocker and Hannah Thacher." Witnesses: John Thacher, Judah Thacher, John Thacher, Jr. Letters testamentary were

granted February 6th, 1735-6. Total Inventory £876, 17sh + 33 old (tenor).

The *Mother Baxter* mentioned in the will was his wife's mother who first married Edward Sturgis and after his death married a second time to Thomas Baxter on January 27th, 1679-80. Thomas Baxter died June 22, 1713, and she died March 12th, 1714-15. Hon. Peter[4] Thatcher lived in the east half of the Thacher homestead in Yarmouth.

Thankful (Sturgis) Thacher, wife of Peter[4] Thacher was a sister of Desire (Sturgis) Dimmock, who married first Capt. Thomas Dimmock, and who after his death became the wife of John[4] Thacher (brother of Peter[4] Thacher). She was also a sister of James Sturgis, who was the first husband of Rebecca[4] Thacher, a sister of Peter[4] Thacher.

The will of Thankful (Sturgis) Thacher taken from the Barnstable Records, dated April 30th, 1745, mentions daughters, Thankful Hallet, Sarah Lewis and Hannah Thacher. To my son, Peter Thacher, my gold ring. To my grandson, John Hallet, Jr., my silver spoon. To Thomas Crocker, the only surviving son of my daughter Temperance Crocker. Hannah[5] Thacher was executrix. Letters were granted to her May 8th, 1745. Thankful (Sturgis) Thacher's will is the only Thacher will recorded in Barnstable County signed by a mark in place of a signature; but, as the will was dated a few days before her death it may have been weakness and not inability to write that caused her to use a mark instead of a regular signature.

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38. DEACON JOSIAH[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., April 26th, 1667; baptized there on same day; he lived at Yarmouth, his home being on his father's land; he was a deacon in the church, and from 1693 till his death he was a selectman in Yarmouth; he died at Yarmouth, May 12th, 1701, (or 1702), "in his 36th year" and was buried in Old Cemetery at Yarmouth. He married at Yarmouth, February 25th, 1690-1, to Mary Hedge, (daughter of Elisha Hedge and Mary —— of Yarmouth), who was born at Yarmouth, March ——, 1671; she was 7 years old the last of March, 1678; she was admitted to Second Church, Yarmouth, from the First Church, August 6th, 1727; she died at ——; date ——; and was buried in Old Cemetery at Yarmouth where a foot stone marked "M. P." notes her resting place.

Children 5 (Thacher); 2 sons and 3 daughters, all born in Yarmouth.

82 i. Anthony,[5] born ——, 1691, about; see date of death and age at death; died at Yarmouth, March 26th, 1711, "in his 22nd year" and was buried there in Old Cemetery. He was a soldier or sailor in His Majesty's service. He was not married. His grave stone now reads that he died "March 26th, 1711, in his 2nd year," which is incorrect and due undoubtedly to the obliteration by time of the second 2, and originally read in his 22nd year. His father died in 1702 and even if he had been posthumous he would in 1711 have been more than 2 years old. He is always recorded as the oldest child of his parents, and as they were married February 25th, 1690-1, he was born probably in 1691 or 1692, which would make him in his 22nd year in 1711. In Vol. IX. of Acts and Resolves of Prov. of Mass., p. 213, we have as follows: "November 7th (1711-12). Resolve allowing £6 to Peter Thacher: Resolved that the sum of six pounds be allowed and paid out of the Public Treasury to Peter Thacher of Yarmouth, the petitioner, in full of his account for sickness and funeral charges of Anthony Thacher to whom he was guardian, and who died of sickness contracted in His Majesty's service." (Leg. Rec. of Council IX., p. 166, Mass. Archives LXXI., pp. 836-7-8.

+83 ii. Rebecca,[5] born ——; died ——; married John Paddock.

+84 iii. Mary,[5] born ——; died ——; married Joshua Sears.

+85 iv. Elisha,[5] born ——, 1698; died December 6th, 1774; married Phebe Lothrop.

+86 v. Josiah,[5] born July 7th, 1701; died August 22nd, 1780; married first Ann Burne; married second Mary (Greenleaf) Blinn.

Deacon Josiah,[4] Thacher died intestate and letters of administration were granted unto his widow, Mary, December 1st, 1702. As appears by his inventory, his house was located on the land of his father in Yarmouth. In the settlement of his estate his son, Anthony[5] Thacher, is mentioned as the oldest child. Barnabas Lothrop, Commissioner of Intestate Estates, settled the division of his property; giving to his wife one-third of personal and real estate for life; two (2) parts to eldest son, Anthony, and one (1) part each to Elisha, Josiah, Rebecca and Mary; widow's one-third of real estate to go at her death to chil-

dren of Deacon Josiah[4] Thacher. There proved to be no real estate. Inventory taken September 7th, 1702, £113, 14s., 9d.

Close by the grave of Deacon Josiah[4] Thacher in the Old Yarmouth Cemetery is foot-stone or marker inscribed "M. P.," which is undoubtedly the marker of the grave of Mary (Hedge)-Thacher-Paddock, who was buried by the side of her first husband; her second husband being buried in Dennis, by the side of his first wife.

Elisha Hedge (father of Mary (Hedge) Thacher) was a son of William Hedge, of Sandwich and Yarmouth, Mass., whose will was dated June 30th, 1670, and proved August 11th, 1670; in which will his son Elisha is mentioned. This William Hedge was a freeman of Lynn, Mass., May 14th, 1634; he removed to Sandwich and thence to Yarmouth and died in 1670; he married twice; his first wife's name is not known; his second wife was Blanche, widow of Tristram Hall.

There exists quite a remarkable genealogical coincidence between the record of Deacon Josiah[4] Thacher and his nephew, Deacon Josiah[5] Thacher (Judah[4]). Deacon Josiah[4] Thacher died in 1702, and married Mary Hedge and was a deacon in the Yarmouth Church. Deacon Josiah[5] Thacher died in 1802 and married another Mary Hedge, and was also a deacon in the same church as was his uncle, Deacon Josiah[4] Thacher, one hundred years previous. This coincidence caused a perplexity among early genealogists, which has since been cleared up by the discovery of the fact of two Josiahs living at the two different periods above mentioned.

Mary (Hedge) Thacher, widow of Deacon Josiah[4] Thacher, married a second time at Yarmouth, Mass., on July 29th, 1708, to Zachariah Paddock, as his second wife; he was a son of Zachary Paddock and Deborah (Sears) Paddock, of Yarmouth; he was born at Yarmouth, Mass., April 14th, 1664, and resided in Yarmouth in that part which is now called North Dennis; he was a deputy to the General Court at Plymouth from Yarmouth in 1709; he died at North Dennis, April 8th, 1717 (or 18) aged 54, and was buried in Dennis, Mass., near the meeting house by the side of his first wife, where a stone marks his grave. Zachary Paddock's first wife was Bethiah Hall, who died March 8th, 1708, aged 41 years.

Children 2 (Paddock) 1 son and 1 daughter, both born in Yarmouth. *Not in Thacher line.*

i. Hannah, born August ("the middle of"), 1709; died February 3rd, 1781; married February 23rd, 1728-9, to David Howes (son of Jonathan and Sarah (——) Howes). They lived at Dennis (then Yarmouth), Mass., and had 10 children, records of whose names and birth can be seen in *Mayflower Descendant*, Vol. VI., p. 4.

ii. Anthony, born February 5th, 1710-11; died February 15th, 1731, in his 22nd year, drowned in Vineyard Sound,

"on that very cold day;" buried in Old Cemetery, Yarmouth; grave stone. He was not married.

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39. REBECCA[4] THACHER, (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, June 1st, 1669; baptized June 6th, 1669; died at Barnstable, Mass. (presumably), April 10th, 1734, aged 65, and was buried probably in Barnstable, Mass., in Lothrop's Hill Cemetery, although no stone marks her grave. She married, first, at Yarmouth (probably), date of marriage ——; to James Sturgis, born at Yarmouth, Mass., ——, 1668-9, about (see age at death and date of death); who resided at Yarmouth; he died at Yarmouth, January 3rd, 1717-18, in his 49th year, and was buried in Old Cemetery at Yarmouth, where a stone marks his grave. He was a son of Edward Sturgis (born April 10th, 1624; died December 8th, 1678), and of his wife, Temperance (Gorham) Sturgis, of Yarmouth, Mass. Rebecca[4] Thacher-Sturgis (widow of James Sturgis) married a second time at Yarmouth, Mass., on February 28th, 1720, probably, although authorities state the year was 1728 (see what follows here in regard to settlement of estate of James Sturgis) to Ebenezer Lewis, as his second wife (his first wife was Anna Lothrop, whom he married in 1691; and who died December 26th, 1715). He was born at Barnstable, Mass., December 20th, 1666; he lived at Barnstable and died there January 9th, 1759, aged 92 years, 7 months, 22 days. He was Judge of Court of Common Pleas and Town Treasurer of Barnstable from 1713 to 1741, and was one of the most active and intelligent business men of his time and a man of wealth. He was a son of Lieut. James and Sarah (Lane) Lewis of Barnstable, Mass.

Children 7 (8?) (Sturgis) 1 son and 6 (7?) daughters; all born at Yarmouth. No children by her second marriage to Ebenezer Lewis.

87 i. Rebecca,[5] born October 30th, 1690; died ——; as she is not mentioned in settlement of her father's estate, February 22nd, 1721-2; it is assumed that she died young, not married.

+88 ii. Hannah,[5] born March 3rd, 1693; died ——; married John Matthews.

+89 iii. Bethiah,[5] born February 19th, 1695-6; died July 11th, 1769; married, first, Captain Isaac Freeman; married, second, Captain Job Gorham.

90 iv. Temperance,[5] born July 31st, 1697; died ——; as she is not mentioned in the settlement of her father's estate, February 22nd, 1721-2, it is assumed that she died young, not married.

+91 v. Thankful,[5] born September 2nd, 1701; died January 10th, 1721-2, "in her 22nd year"; married Timothy Hallett, as his first wife; she died at birth of her first child, a daughter, who likewise died and was buried with her in Old Yarmouth Cemetery, where grave stone marks their grave. Timothy Hallett married twice again after her death.

+92 vi. Elizabeth,[5] born December ——, 1703; died June 6th, 1727; married Gershom Davis.

93 vii. James,[5] born October 13th, 1707; died January 8th, 1724, at Yarmouth, Mass., in his 17th year; he was drowned, and was buried in Old Cemetery at Yarmouth, grave stone. Not married.

94 viii. (?) Fear,[5] born ——; died ——; married —— Long. Hon. George Thacher in his MSS. *Thacher Genealogy,* is my only authority for recording this child and her marriage; he states that she had no children; beyond this statement I have never seen further record of her, nor is she mentioned in settlement of her father's estate. I doubt her ever having existed.

Edward Sturgis, Senior (son of Philip Sturgis, of Hannington, England), came to America about 1634 and settled in Scituate, Mass. He was in Charlestown, Mass., in 1634, and settled finally in Yarmouth, Mass., in 1639. His wife's name was Elizabeth ——, sometimes called Alice, probably through error. His son, Edward, Jr., married Temperance Gorham, daughter of Captain John Gorham, and his wife, Desire (Howland) Gorham. Desire Howland was a daughter of Captain John Howland and Elizabeth (Tilley) Howland. Elizabeth Tilley was a daughter of John Tilley and his wife, Elizabeth —— ——. John Howland and his wife and John Tilley and his 2nd wife (not the mother of Elizabeth Tilley) were passengers on the first trip of the *Mayflower* in 1620. Temperance Gorham was born in Marshfield, Mass., May 5th, 1646. Edward Sturgis, Jr., died December 8th, 1678. Temperance (Gorham) Sturgis, widow of Edward Sturgis, Jr., married a second time at Yarmouth, Mass., January 27th, 1679, to Thomas Baxter, by whom she had 3 sons—John, Thomas and Shubael Baxter.

Children of Edward Sturgis, Jr., and Temperance (Gorham) Sturgis—6 (Sturgis), 4 sons and 2 daughters.

i. Joseph, born ——; died ——.
ii. Samuel, born —— 1665; died ——; married Mercy Howes.
iii. Desire, born ——, 1666; died March 29th, 1744; married first, Captain Thomas Dimmock; married, second, Col. John[4] Thacher, brother of Rebecca[4] Thacher.
iv. James, born ——, 1668-9; died January 3rd, 1717-18; married Rebecca[4] Thacher.
v. Edward, born ——, 1673; died ——; married Mehitable Hallet.
vi. Thankful, born ——, 1675; died May 1st, 1745; married Peter[4] Thacher (brother of Rebecca[4] Thacher).

The authorities consulted, such as *Freeman's Cape Cod* and *Otis' Barnstable Families*, do not mention the 6th child of Edward Sturgis, Jr., and Temperance Gorham, viz: Thankful Sturgis; but it is a Thacher family tradition of many years' standing and positively stated by Hon. George Thacher (died 1824, aged 70), in his well-known *Thacher Genealogy*, that she was a sister of James Sturgis, who married Rebecca[4] Thacher, and of Desire Sturgis, who married Col. John[4] Thacher; moreover, Peter[4] Thacher, in his will, mentions "Mother Baxter," which corroborates the family tradition; for if Thankful Sturgis was the daughter of Edward Sturgis, Jr., then the "mother Baxter" referred to in the will of Peter[4] Thacher would be his mother-in-law, Temperance (Gorham) Sturgis, who after the death of Edward Sturgis, Jr., (her first husband) married a second time to Thomas Baxter, and died March 12th, 1714-15. Such is my argument for including Thankful Sturgis among the children of Edward Sturgis, Jr.

The Sturgis house in Yarmouth was standing in 1905. The owner then told Mr. George Winslow Thacher, that she intended to pull it down. It was on the north side of the state road, about a quarter of a mile east of the road to South Dennis. From previous to 1860 to 1890 it was owned and occupied by Hannah Crowell.

The will of Edward Sturgis, Jr., was nuncupative or verbally dictated by him, and was communicated to the Court held at Plymouth, June 3rd, 1679. He gave to his wife one-third of his estate, and the other two-thirds to his children, giving to his son, Joseph, £20 more than to the others. To Mr. Thornton (the minister) 21s. and to Joseph Gorham £5 in silver; and to his daughter, Desire, his silver tankard "as a token of love." His will was witnessed by John Sunderland, Joseph Gorham and Elizabeth Sturgis (mother of the testator) before John Freeman, Assistant, the date being November 15th, 1678. It appears by well authenticated records that there were two committees appointed by the Probate Court at Barnstable under different dates to appraise and divide the estate. The first com-

mittee being comprised of Mr. Hinckley, Mr. Barnabas Laythrop and Mr. Miller. The second committee was comprised of Jeremiah Howes, John Miller, John Rider, John Rider, Senior, and Jonathan Hallett. The decree of the Court added to the widow's part "the negro towards bringing up of the children." Temperance Sturgis and her second husband, Thomas Baxter, giving security therefore and having "the improvements of the estate unto the children coming of age." The estate was valued at £900, a large one for those days. It was divided April 13th, 1694, among Joseph, Edward, James and Samuel Sturgis.

From Hinckley's MSS. copy of Barnstable Probate Book No. 4, pp. 233, 236, on file in N. E. Hist. Gen. Soc., Boston, Mass., we obtain "Administration of Estate of James Sturgis, late of Yarmouth," of which the following is a sufficient abstract for our purposes, viz:—"Whereas, James Sturgis, late of Yarmouth, died intestate, the personal estate being consumed by fire. In the hands of Rebecca Lewes, late wife of said deceased and administratrix to said Sturges estate, etc. I, therefore, settled said estate as follows:

"To pay James Sturges, the only son of the said deceased, the house lot containing about 4 acres, etc. Hannah Matthews and Bethiah Freeman, two of the eldest daughters of said deceased, having heretofore received £40 apiece; so that said James Sturges receives a double portion. He is to pay unto his youngest sister, Elizabeth Sturges, etc. He is to pay after his mother's death to Thankful Hallett, etc. And the above James Sturges, being a minor of about fifteen years of age, his guardian, Edward Sturges, of Yarmouth, hath given bonds for payment, etc. I do further order and reserve unto the said Rebecca Lewes, Administratrix aforesaid, her right of dower, or use of her thirds, etc.

"(sgd) John Otis."

"dated February 22nd, 1721-2."

The date of marriage of Rebecca[4] (Thacher) Sturgis to Ebenezer Lewis is given by some authorities as February 28, 1728. This year date is wrong as we see by above document that on February 22, 1721-2, she was then the wife of Ebenezer Lewes. The date, February 28, 1728, was probably February 28, 1720, a date entirely consistent with date of settlement of estate of James Sturges as well as with dates of death of James Sturges and Anna (Lothrop) Lewes. In transcribing the "0" was taken for an 8 probably.

"Yarmouth, Mass., March 14th, 1718. Town voted to give old meeting house to the widow, Rebecca Sturgis, in consideration of the loss of her home by fire, to be used towards the erection of another dwelling; only reserving the materials of which the pews were built for the owners thereof." See *Freeman's Cape Cod*, Vol. II, p. 211.

"On February 22nd, 1721, Captain John[4] Thacher, of Barnstable, Mass., was chosen and appointed guardian of Elizabeth[5] Sturgis, a minor, aged about 18 years.

"(sgd) John Otis."

(See Book 4, pp. 236-7, Hinckley MSS.)

Ebenezer Lewis, the second husband of Rebecca[4] (Thacher) Sturgis, was married, first, April ——, 1691, to Anna Lothrop (daughter of Barnabas Lothrop), by whom he had 11 children, 7 sons and 4 daughters, all born at Barnstable, Mass. The names of these children are here given with dates of birth, etc., on account of the numerous inter-marriages of this family with the Thacher family of the Cape. Anna Lothrop was born at Barnstable, Mass., August 10th, 1673; she died December 26th, 1715. Her mother's maiden name was Sarah Clarke. Both Ebenezer Lewis and his first wife, Annah (Lothrop) Lewis, are buried in Lothrop's Hill Cemetery, Barnstable, Mass., where stones mark their graves, thus inscribed:—

"In memory of Mr. Ebenezer Lewis, who deceased January ye 9th, 1759, aged 92 yrs., 7 mos., 22 da."

"Here lyes buried ye body of Mrs. Annah Lewis, wife to Lieut. Ebenezer Lewis, who died December 26th, 1715, in ye 42nd year of her age."

Children of Ebenezer Lewis and Annah (Lothrop) Lewis, all born in Barnstable, Mass.

i. Sarah, born January 13th, 1691-2; died March 21st, 1737-8; married June 17th, 1711, to Ebenezer Hinckley, as his first wife.

ii. Susannah, born April 17th, 1694; died October 4th, 1753; married July 24th, 1712, to James Allyn, of Barnstable.

iii. James, born August 4th, 1696; died ——; married, first, Rebecca Hatch, daughter of Moses Hatch and Elizabeth[4] Thacher (Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher), she died July 5th, 1740. He married, second, September 2nd, 1745, Dorcas Baker; she died July 5th, 1748; he married, third, on April 12th, 1750, to Joanna Howland. He finally became insane and was placed in hands of a guardian, May 13th, 1756.

iv. Ebenezer, born May 9th, 1699; died ——; married, November ——, 1736, Mary Coree, of Long Island.

v. Hannah, born February 14th, 1701; died ——.

vi. Lothrop, born June 13th, 1702; died ——, 1773; H. C. class 1723.

vii. George, born April 5th, 1704; died ——; married September 12th, 1727, to Sarah[5] Thacher, daughter of Peter[4] Thacher.

viii. Nathaniel, born January 12th, 1706-7; died July 7th, 1751; married February 19th, 1736, to Fear[5] Thacher, daughter of Col. John[4] Thacher.

ix. John, born July 15th, 1709; died ——; married July 21st, ——, to Thankful Crowell.
x. David, born November 8th, 1711; died ——.
xi. Abigail, born November 8th, 1711; died ——; married August 2nd, 1732, to Solomon Sturgis.

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CORRECTIONS:

Vol. XLI, p. 315, 8th line from top, "unvariably" should read "invariably."

Vol. XLII, p. 64, 18th line from top, period between the names Richard Knight and Nicholas Hall should be a comma.

Vol. XLII, p. 72, under the head of" Authorities," Farmers First Settlers should read Farmer's First Settlers."

Vol. XLII, p. 82, 25th line from top, and p. 85, 21st line from top, "*Col.* John Gorham" should read "*Captain* John Gorham."

Vol. XLII, p. 85, 11th line from bottom, "Shutleff" should read "Shurtleff."

(*To be continued.*)

CLUES FROM ENGLISH ARCHIVES

CONTRIBUTORY TO AMERICAN GENEALOGY.

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(Continued from Vol. XLII, p. 100, of THE RECORD.)

PRIMO die Januarij, 24 Charles I., I TOBIAS PAYNE of Kingscaple, co. Hereford, gent., make and declare my testament and and last will in manner and forme following:—I will my body to be buried in the church of Kingscaple. I give to the poor of Kingscaple 40s., to the poor of Sellecke and Foye 20s., to the poor of Howcaple 10s., to the poor of Fownehope 20s., to the poor of Hentland 20s., to the poor of Ballingham 20s., and to the poor of Little Burche, Acornburye and Little Dewchurche 30s. To William Payne my eldest son my capital messuage with the lands thereto pertaining lying in Brodston and Slymbridge, co. Gloucester, for the term of his life, with remainder after his decease to Tobias Payne his son and the heirs of the said Tobias for ever. To Thomas Payne my second son all my messuages, lands and tenements lying in Kingscaple called Lankes Lease, which I late had on the grant of Thomas Smith of Huntleys, co. Hereford. To

Joan my wife £50. William Morgan my tenant 40s. Tobias Payne, son of the aforesaid William Payne, £20. To Thomas Payne my son and John Payne my son and their heirs all that my messuage called Ruckston, with all lands thereto pertaining, lying in Kingscaple and Fownehope, formerly in the tenure of David Ketherowe deceased; also one other messuage in Kingscaple, within the town there, called Pennalle, in the tenure of John Hyett; and one capital messuage called Daston in the Parish of Hentland. To John Payne my son and his heirs one parcel of meadow (½ acre) lying in Fownehope, called Blackfield, adjoining a parcel of meadow there which I hold in right of Joan my wife and which is part of a tenement in Fownehope called Haverds Farme, purchased to me and my heirs of Thomas Scudamore, gent., deceased, and others. All other my lands and tenements in Fownehope I leave to William my eldest son for life, with remainder to the aforesaid Tobias Paine his son and his heirs for ever. To Joan my wife for life all my messuages, lands and tenements in Rosse Burg and Rosse For, with remainder to my son John and the heirs of his body, or in default to my own right heirs for ever. To Thomas Paine my son and his heirs one messuage in Kingscaple in the tenure of Thomas Lawrence, late conveyed to me and my heirs by Edmund Orchard, deceased, they paying to the Guardians of the parish of Kingscaple 26s. 8d. yearly. Sons Thomas, William and John £50 each. Thomas Puckmore my servant 40s. Anne Paine, John Paine, Richard Paine and Jaine Paine, sons and daughters of William my son, £5 each. To Alice Paine, Margaret Paine, Mary Paine and John Paine, sons and daughters of Thomas my son, £5 each. To William Paine, son of my son William £60. John Baglie my cousin 40s. George Lawrence my servant 20s. Executors: William Paine, Thomas Paine and John Paine my sons, whom Residuary Legatees. Supervisor: Richard Prichard, clerk, vicar of Selecke, to whom £3. Wit: Richard Prichard, Joseph Underwood Thomas Meredith, William Paine, Thomas Paine, John Paine, John Paine, Tobias Paine, junior. Proved 8 Feb., 1649–50, by the executors named.* (P. C. C. Pembroke, 27.)

Tobias Paine came from Jamaica to Boston, probably shortly before 1665, when he married Sarah, daughter of John Winslow (brother of Governor Edward Winslow) and widow of Miles Standish, Jr. His nuncupative will, dated 11 Sept., 1669, was admitted and administration granted 21 Sept. of same year, to his relict Sarah for herself and infant son William, born the same year. (Suff. Mass. Wills.)†

This Tobias Paine of Boston, with son William, is beyond doubt the Tobias, son of William, named in the will of his grandfather Tobias Payne of Kingscaple, co. Hereford, the testator of 1649.

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* Translated from the original Latin.

† *Paine Fam. Record*, i, 46; *Savages Gen. Dict.*, iii, 337; *N. E. Register*, xix, 310.

WILL of SARAH BRINLEY, wife of Lawrence Brinley of London, merchant, dated 21 July, 1642: Whereas by agreement made before marriage with my said husband it was covenanted between us that it should be lawful for me to dispose and give by my last will or other writing all such goods as then belonged to me except the sum of £1000 agreed to be paid to my said husband in marriage with me. Now by this my last will I do give and bequeath unto Samuel, Lawrence, Richard and Nathaniel Brinley, sons of my said husband, £6-13-4 apiece at 21; to Mary and Anne, the two daughters of my said hasband, the like sum each at said age; to Francis Bickley and John Bickley, sons of John Bickley my late husband deceased, the like sum each at said age; to Samuel son of John Symonds late of Stamford deceased, £5 at said age; to my brother in law Mr Thomas Brinley and his wife 40s. apiece to buy them rings; to my brother in law Nicholas Brinley and wife 40s. apiece to buy them rings; to Susan Gregory, widow, 40s.; to Nicholas Barnett and Susan his wife 30s. each; to my brother in law Thomas Cooke and my sister Jane his wife £5 apiece; to William Powell and Frances his wife £5 apiece; to my sister Anne Love, wife of Thomas Love, 30s.; to Mr Charles Yeoman, Esq., £5; to my cousin Francis Bickley, Esq. 30s.; to my cousin Elizabeth Hopkins, wife of Edward Hopkins, 30s.; to my sister Bridget Barker, wife of Henry Barker £5; to Mr Marmaduke Tenant and wife 30s. apiece; to William Whitworth and Sarah his wife 30s. apiece; to my brother in law Henry Haselwood and Katherine his wife 20s. each; to Dorothy Conn, wife of Thomas Conn, 30s.; to Widow Greene 20s.; to Joan Burte, wife of William Burte, 30s.; to Joseph Brinley, son of my said husband and of me the said Sarah, £50 at 21 with the £50 subscribed by my husband amongst the Irish Adventurers; to Sarah Bickley my daughter £300 at 21 or marriage; to my mother Margaret Beale £10 a year for life; to my sister in law Alice Bolter £3 a year for life: and to Thomas Ball my servant 20s. Residuary Legatee and Executor: my husband Lawrence Brinley, who shall have the guardianship of my daughter Sarah during her minority. Witnesses: Thomas Conn, scr., Thomas Bull. Proved 10 Nov., 1642, by the executor named.

(P. C. C. Cambell, 121.)

Lawrence Brinley of London, merchant, son of Richard Brinley of Wittenhall, co. Stafford, was living in London with wife Mary, daughter of John Minifie of Honiton, co. Devon, and children Samuel, Lawrence, Richard, Mary and Anne in 1634, when his pedigree was registered in the Visitation of that year.* The will shows that another son, Nathaniel, was subsequently born of this marriage, that the first wife died, and, before 1642, Lawrence Brinley had married the above testatrix, Sarah, widow of John Bickley.

The wills of Lawrence himself in 1662 (P. C. C. Laud, 151) and his brother Thos. Brinley of Datchett, co. Bucks, in 1661 (P. C. C. May, 193,) Auditor to Kings Chas. I & II, have already

* *Harl. Soc.*, xv, 101.

been printed* with valuable note by the late John Ward Dean in H. F. G. Waters' Collections. Although registered in the Visitation as from Staffordshire, the monument of Thomas Brinley at Datchett, states that he was born at Exeter in Devon.†

2 February, 1659–60, I THOMAS HARPER of London, gent . . . give and devise all that my messuage wherein I dwell, situate in Fetter Layne, and all those lands I lately yurchased of Mr Thomas Willsheim, lying in Great Bowden, co. Leic., and the three pieces of meadow I purchased of John Johnson, together with the four acres of land since purchased of him, and the four acres of meadow purchased of my brother William Harper, situate in Great Bowden, with the house which was part of my grandfather's (*sic*,) that I bought of Mr Holford after the death of Mary Bent, to my nephew Richard Mowse and heirs, upon trust to discharge all such legacies as are charged upon my house in Fetter Layne by the will of John Ball deceased, and likewise £50 more which Sarah, wife of the said John Ball, hath charged it with by her will, and to pay the yearly rent of £30 in manner following namely, to my sister Hellen Russell and her husband, during the life of said Hellen, £15 a year, and after my said sister's death then to my brother Russell, my brother Peabodie, my brother Mowse and his wife, and my brother Presgrave and wife, £5 a year for life; and if my sister Presgrave outlive her husband, she shall have 50s. a year for life, by reason she was a loving kind mother in law to the two children my sister left behind her. Sister Mowse's two daughters £50 each. Brother Peabody's children by my sister Isabel £50 each. Brother Presgrave's two daughters by my sister Anne £50 each. To the children of my sister Mowse's daughters, of my sister Isabel's daughters and of my sister Anne's daughters, £10 each, the latter at 20. I forgive my brother William Harper the £16 he oweth me, on condition that he pay to his sister Joan 20s. I forgive my brother Richard Harper £5 he oweth me, he paying to his brother John 10s. "if it be demanded." Elizabeth Howlett, my first mother in law's daughter's daughter, £20 in satisfaction of what was given to me for her at her age of 21. Her brother Nevett Howlett £15 at 21. I forgive John Wenniffe and wife the money they owe me, for their care of me in my sickness. Cousins Mary and Elizabeth Mowse all my linen, and to one of them my Perkinson's Herball and to the other my Gerard's Herball. Cousin Hannah Shipley's son £10 at 21, and my executor shall pay for his schooling until he can write and read. Brother Mowse my watch and seal ring; sister Mowse my silver bowle and guilt spoone. Cousin John Harper's sons now in the Blewcoate Hospitall £5 at 21. Sister Hellen the £20 I am engaged to pay her with £20 more. Cousin Richard Harper formerly living in Hounditch at the Signe of the Harpe £5. And whereas I have in my hands twentie shillings belonging to a youth in Barbadoes or Virginny whose mother's name is Rebecca Lever, living in Brandford, I dew give to the

* *Waters' Gleanings*, i, 13–14.
† *Lipscomb's Bucks*, vol. iv, p. 441.

said youth in lew and satisfacon thereof fortie shillings to be paid him within halfe a year after my death. I give to Nicholas Dancas and Joan his wife living in Chisique the 40s. they owe me. Mr James Fletcher's wife all my chaney, being one and twentie pieces. Parish of Bowden in Leicestershire where I was borne £5, my brother Russell to have the distributing thereof. To my brother Harris the shepherd and various friends rings with this posie written in them all, viz., "You will follow T. H." Residuary Legatee and Executor: nephew Richard Mowse. Overseers: my brother Mowse and my brother Russell. Witnesses: Thomas Pawley, George Hilton, Samuel Mather. Proved 26 March, 1660, by the executor named. (P. C. C. Nabbs, 8.)

I Katherine Wannel of the parish of Christchurch, London, widow, being at this present in health . . . committ my body to be buried in the grave of my father and mother, or soe nere to them as may bee, in the north Ile of the new or upper church of the parish of Christchurch, close by my pewe doore where I nowe vse to sitt, by the steppes that goe to the Chauncell; and my worldly goods I dispose of as followeth:—£5 to bee laid out about my funerall, and my will is that noe banquetting shal-be vsed thereat, but only Naples Biskett and wyne. To my worthy Mistress Mrs Dorathy Lackford, widowe, six silver spoones worth three pounds. To my grandchild Elizabeth Jackson all my child bedd lynnen and all other my fine lynnen. To my grandchild Arthur Jackson my fetherbedd in the Garrett. Money legacies to my said grandchildren, including £5 apeece out of the lease of my dwelling house in the parish of Christchurch. If both my said grandchildren depart this life before their said legacies of money be paid, then the same shall remain vnto my daughter Elizabeth Hallam, to whom I give my great Bible. To my grandchild Elizabeth Jackson I give Dr. Prestons workes, and Master Dodd vppon the Commanndments, and Mr. Dike's works vppon the Sacraments, and the Annothamy of a Christian with Master Cooper's workes in itt, and all other my bookes I give unto my daughter Elizabeth Hallam and to my said two grandchildren, except only my pocket bible and six of my other bookes, which I give to and amongst my grandchildren in Virginia, and my desire is that my said daughter shall send and convey the same over vnto my said grandchildren in Virginia soe soone as conveniently may bee after my decease. Item I give and Bequeath vnto my grandchildren in Virginia theise parcells of goods and legacies following, that is to saie, vnto my grandchild Elizabeth Sheeres my redd and blew mowheire peticote and my three peticotes that I weare every day, one of my two gownes, two smocks, two aprons, two coyves, two handkerchers and two paire of cuffs; vnto my grandchild Martha Sheers two shifts of my lynnen cloathes; and vnto my grandchild Susanna two shifts of lynnen for a child of eight yeares of age; and I give to every of my said three grandchildren in Virginia, Elizabeth, Martha and Susanna Sheeres, twentie shillings apeece to be paid them at their severall ages of twenty and one yeares. To my daughter Elizabeth Hal-

lam and her nowe husband James Hallam my tenement called the Three Pigeons, situate in Newgate Markett, during their lives and the life of the longer lyver of them, with remainder to my two grandchildren Elizabeth and Arthur Jackson equally. Cousin John Hobson 10s. John Heard my late husband's sonne in lawe 10s. Anne and Judith Whitfield 20s. apeece at one and twenty. Residuary Legatee and Executrix:—my daughter Elizabeth Hallam. Dated 28 May, 1653. Witnesses: Joseph Yelverton, John Gooder, Richard Gill, scr., Thomas Gill. Proved 29 Aug., 1653, by the executrix. (P. C. C. Brent, 161.)

I John Atkins of Verginia beinge weake and sicke in bodie doe make my last will and testament as followeth Imprimis I doe bequeath my body to be buried in the vsuall buryinge place by James Citty. Item whereas I stand indebted to di'vers p'sons aswell heere in Verginia as in England and there is owinge me in this country about six thousand waight of tobacco due this Cropp Nowe I doe earnestly desire Mr Luke Boyse of the neck of land that he would take uppon him the administration of all my goods and chattells here and first to satisfie all such debts as I doe owe in this Country and to send into England so much to paie my debts there as by my booke of Accompts will appeare And for the rest of my estate I doe bequeath it as followeth vizt I doe remitt vnto Mr Luke Boyse whatsoeu' he is indebted to me, to Peter Stafferton all the moveables and househould stuffe in the howse where I dwell (except one wainscott Chaire wch I give Mr Davison); to Mr. Christopher Davison one hundred waight of tobacco and remitt vnto him whatsoueu' he is indebted to me. Item I am covenant to pay Peter Stafferton a thousand waight of Tobacco this Cropp as also he is to enjoy one third of my Cropp of Corne whom I earnestly desire to have justly satisfied and whatsoeu' shall remaine I doe bequeath to my brother William Atkins dwellinge neare the Beare in Bassinghall in London. September 3, 1623, subscript per John Atkins in the presence of Chr: Davison Peeter Stafferton.

2 Oct., 1624, commission to William Atkins, brother of deceased, he having named no executor.

28 Aug., 1626, commission to Richard Atkins, brother of said deceased, to administer (during the minority of Elizabeth, William, George, Anne and Lee Atkins, children of William Atkins) goods non-administered by the said William Atkins now deceased.

1 June, 1627, commission to Humfrey Atkins, brother of John Atkins, late in parts beyond the seas deceased, to administer goods non-administered by William and Richard Atkins also deceased. (P. C. C. Byrde, 84.)

Luke Boyse of Charles City, Va., came in the *Edwine* in May, 1619, aged 44, and Alice his wife arrived in the *Bona Nova* in April, 1622, both were living, with two servants, 24 Jan., 1624.*

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* *Muster of Virginia Inhabitants*, Hotton, p. 202.

Peter Stafferton, probably identical with the *Mr.* Stafferton and his wife living "*in the maine*" in James City, 16 Feb., 1623.*

Christopher Davison, perhaps son of Alice Davison, widow, of James City, 16 Feb., 1623.*

Reference may be made to the will of William Boys of Cranbrook, co. Kent, 1656–7, (P. C. C. Ruthen, 72) already printed in these collections.† A Francis Boyce of London, button hole maker, aged 25 years, who was bound for St. Cristophers from Dartmouth and took the oath of allegiance before the mayor of that place 20 Feb., 1634,‡ may have been of the same family.

Will of Robert Reeve of Caldercote in the parish of Towcester, yeoman, dated 21 April, 1638. To my son George Reeve threescore pounds. I give unto my son Thomas Reeve five pounds if ever he come over into England to demand it, and if he never come to demand it, it shall never be paid him. I give unto my son William Reeve £5 if ever he come into England to demand it, and if he never come to demand it, it shall never be paid him. To my son John Reeve £5. To my daughter Jane Reeve £30. To my daughter Anne Reeve £35 at 18. Son Robert Reeve £40 at 20. To all my wife's children each a ewe and a lamb, all but John Garner, and he shall have the bauld colt. William Harris a ewe and a lamb. Poor of Towcester. Rest to my wife, whom Executrix, and William Shepard the elder and Richard Winkles of Field Barcoote Overseers. Witnesses: William Sheppard the elder, Thomas Shepard. Proved 12 July, 1638, by Agnes the relict.

(Northants Wills, S. 2., 1638–40, f. 47.)

A William Reeve, aged 22, came in the *Elizabeth & Ann* 29 April, 1635,§ from London to New England and was of Salem, Mass., in 1668, but if, as conjectured by Savage, he was brother of John of Salem,‖ he could not have been the William of the will, as his brother John had already sailed in the *Christian* for Boston in 1635, (aged 19) three years before the date of the will which evidently refers to him as then still in England. Thos. Reeve, aged 24, who came in the *Mathew*, 21 May, 1635, to St. Christopher's¶ may have been the other brother.

I Richard Johnson the elder of Bugbrook, being weak in body, do make my last will: To my four grandchildren 10s. apiece at 16. To my son Tho: Johnson, who is now beyond sea, twentie pounds. To all my children that are married five shillings apiece. To my daughter Mary fortie pounds at marriage. To my daughter Alice fortie pounds at marriage. Poor of Bugbrood 6s. 8d. To my three servants one shilling each. Richard Curtisse one shilling. Nicholas Middleton my sister's (*son*) one shilling. Rest to my wife, whom Executrix, and my friends

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* *Hotten*, p. 176.
† *Record*, vol. xlii, p. 96—Jan., 1911.
‡ *Hotton's Lists*, p. 151.
§ *Ibid.*, p. 72.
‖ *Savage*, iii, 523.
¶ *Hotten*, p. 81.

Edward Pickering and Robert Savage Overseers. Undated will. Witness: George Jay. Proved 21 May, 1642, (*by whom not decipherable.*) (Northants Wills, S. 2., 1630–42, f. 183.)

There are several of the not uncommon name of Thomas Johnson in New England in the first half of the 17th Century.

Thomas Johnson of Hartford, Conn., cobbler, was admitted 1640.

Thomas Johnson of Hingham, Mass., 1635, came in the *Hopewell*, Capt. Babb, from London (aged 25) and was drowned in Boston Harbor 29 May, 1656, leaving widow Margaret but no children.

Thomas Johnson of Dover, N. H., 1648–1657, died about 1661 leaving an only daughter who soon followed him.

Thomas Johnson of Sandwich, Mass., 1643, Deputy to the Plymouth Court 1637–38, served in the Narraganset War 1645. His daughter Priscilla born 20 Nov., 1657. He was perhaps identical with Thomas of Dover *ut Supra.**

Will of Annis Smith (of Halcote), dated 1 Dec., 1643. I give and bequeath all my goods, chattels and lease unto my cousin William Blackmoore and his sister Annis Blackmoore equally, if my son William be dead; provided always that if my son William be alive, my will is that he shall enjoy all my said goods, etc., paying to the said William and Annis £14. Poor of this parish 2s. 6d. William Hurst 20s. and his sister Margaret Hurst 20s. John Whitacres 20s. Michael Bagley 10s. Anne Edin 20s. Brother George Blackmore £4. Sister Paine 20s. I desire that my executors receive but £6 of Richard Burges, who oweth me £7 upon bond. My will is that these legacies be not paid these six years, unless my son william return. Witnesses: Richard Prideaux, Richard Marriatt, Martin Glense. Proved 28 Nov., 1644. (Northants Wills, S. 3., 1645–60, f. 106.)

24 June, 1650, I James Doxie of Moulton, co. Northampton, husbandman, being weak in body, do ordain this my last will: I give and bequeath to my wife Sarah Doxie the use of my house for life, if she continue widow. I give and bequeath to every child the sum of five pounds, that is to say to Thomas Doxie my son five pounds, and to James, John and Humfrey my sons, and to Alice Tebbot my daughter and Anne and Isabell Doxie my daughters five pounds apiece, but to my daughter Margaret Doxie seven pounds; and I ordain that every one shall have the yearly annuitie of five shillings out of the rent of the said house until the above sums be fully paid, unless my sons James and John, whom I constitute feoffees in trust and executors, shall sell and alienate the same, as I hereby give them power to do, and shall thereby pay the sums above mentioned so much the sooner. To my wife Sarah and my children above named I bequeath my goods and chattels not yet bequeathed, to be divided equally amongst them. I bequeath to my grandchild Margaret Tebbott

* *Savage's Gen. Dict.*, ii, 557–558. *Pope's Pioneers of Mass.*, 261. *N. E. Gen. Register*, x, 84.

20s. I will the part and portion above mentioned, given to my son Thomas (now in New England), to rest in the hands of my son James Doxie till my said son Thomas come to demand it, and if he never come, it shall belong to my son James. Witnesses: Richard Hooke, clerk, William Jones. Proved 19 August, 1650, by James Doxie, power reserved to the other executors.

(Northants Wills, S. 3., 1645–60, f. 232.)

Thomas Doxy applied for a house lot in New London, Conn., 25 Feb., 1650. By his wife Catherine he had Thomas and possibly other children. He died about the middle of March, 1651–2, his wife being called "widow" 9 April, 1652, she remarried Daniel Lane the same year and they removed to Long Island about 1662, Daniel Lane becoming one of the patentees of Brookhaven in 1666. Thomas Doxy, the son, sold the homestead in New London, with his mother's consent, in 1673 or earlier, to Christoper Christopher. Thomas Doxy the father was a sailor and owned a coasting vessel sailing from New London.*

20 August, 1638, I Robert Booth of Rothwell, clerk, do make and ordain, etc.: To Thomas Wilson my son in law 12d. To Susanna his wife 12d. To their children John, Dorothy and Susanna Wilson each 12d. I give to John Booth my son, if he be living and ever come to demand it, 40s. To Robert Garrett my son in law 40s. Rest to Judith my wife for life, to bring up my children Elizabeth and Marie Booth, and after her decease I leave my country house to the elder of my daughters and the cottage to the younger. Executrix: my wife. If my wife die before my daughters be brought up, then I appoint Joseph Shortland and Marie his wife to be possessed of my said houses until my children come to years. If my daughters die, I give my said houses to Thomas Shortland and Elizabeth Shortland his sister after the decease of my wife. Dated 24 (*Sic*) August, 1638. Witnesses: John Elkin, Richard Chapman. Proved 15 Sept., 1638.

(Northants Wills, S. 2., 1638–40, f. 40.)

Will of Richard Wright, clerk, late rector of Everden, co. Northampton, dated 1 April, 1633. My house and land in Wargrove, co. Berks, I give to Frances my wife during her life and after her decease to my son Richard if he be then in England, to have during his life; and after his decease I give the same unto Richard, son of my son Theodore Wright and to his heirs for ever. Son John 1s. Poor of Everdon 40s. My chest of vyolls and all my books to my son Francis. To my three daughters Jone, Rebecca and Joyce each £10. Son Samuel £5. Grandchildren Elizabeth Wright and Rebecca Beane each 20s. Rest to Frances my wife. Executors, my wife Frances and my son Francis. Witnesses: John Stannard, Will: Hedge, Will: Osborne. No probate. Inventory taken 21 June, 1638.

(Northants Wills, S. 2, 1638–42, f. 127.)

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* *Savage Gen. Dict.* ii, 69; *Caulkin's Hist. New London*, pp. 68, 82, 157, 232, 269.

(*To be continued.*)

DESCENDANTS OF EDWARD TRE(A)DWELL THROUGH HIS SON JOHN.

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The genealogy of all the Tre(a)dwells in America was begun more than twenty years ago by Mrs. Elizabeth Ellen (Schnebly) Treadwell, widow of the late Major George Hooker Treadwell of Albany, New York, who devoted several years to tireless search for Tre(a)dwell data, wherever the name could be found, until failing health compelled her to relinquish the work. Thereupon, the mass of material, including a great number of letters, which she had collected, was turned over to the present compiler for the purpose of continuing the work, in hopes that, when completed, sufficient interest would be found to have the family history printed in book form. The result is now published in this magazine to arouse, if possible, such an interest.

With the exception of one or two instances, the material thus received relating to the Long Island branch was carefully verified by the compiler from the original sources, wherever the same had been obtained from public records. Much other data has since been added. The author's work, however, has been confined almost entirely to the examination of public and church records, cemetery inscriptions, and entries in old Bibles, and practically no attention has been paid to the field of correspondence, which had been well covered by Mrs. Treadwell.

Acknowledgments are also due to Professor George A. Treadwell of the City of New York, and to Mr. Smith R. Treadwell, now of Boston, Mass., for much material assistance.

This genealogy will be found incomplete, particularly as to late generations. But the lines of descent given are believed to be absolutely correct. Doubtless there are some inaccuracies in the dates, but that is unavoidable in any extended work of this character. However, these are few, and all doubts of every nature are indicated. In order to make this genealogy as perfect and complete as possible, it is hoped that every error that may be discovered and everything of interest that can be added, will be made known to the author.

Edward[1] Tre(a)dwell died probably in the town of Huntington, Suffolk County, New York, between 12th May, 1660, and 28th January, 1660–1; married Sarah ——. She married, secondly, probably before 1st May, 1661, Henry Whelpley, who, at one time, resided in Stratford, Connecticut, and died before 6th June, 1662. She married, thirdly, after 6th June, 1662, Ralph Keeler of Norwalk, Connecticut, who was born about 1613, and died between 20th August, and 10th September, 1672. She then married, fourthly, Thomas Skidmore of Fairfield, Connecticut, who died between 20th April, and 13th November, 1684. His widow, Sarah, died 14 days after his death.* Edward[1] Tre(a)dwell resided in Ipswich, Massachusetts; Branford, Connecticut; Hashamommuck and Huntington, Suffolk County, New York. His occupation is unknown. Nor has it been discovered where he or his wife was buried.

The antecedents of Edward[1] Tre(a)dwell and wife, as well as their history previous to the year 1637, remain unknown. But,

* *Fairfield, Conn., Probate Records.*

by reason of the Bacheller connection of Thomas Treadwell (see "Thomas Treadwell of Ipswich, Mass., and Some of His Descendants," published by the author in volume 60 of the *New England Historical and Genealogical Register*) it is believed that the early Tre(a)dwell settlers came from some place near, if not in, the county of Kent, England.

Edward[1] Tre(a)dwell's name first appears in this country upon the town records of Ipswich, Massachusetts, under date the 5th of February, 1637, when he was granted "six acres for planting."* A subsequent entry therein of the 20th of August, 1638, shows that he was then the owner of a "house lott" in that town, on "the lower syde of the High Street," the easterly side adjoining Richard Jacob's lot.† Although he had other real estate in Ipswich, no record of any conveyance by him of his property there has been discovered. (See note 1.)

The last time his name is mentioned on these records is under date the 11th of March, 1639. (See note 2.)

He is supposed to have left Massachusetts about that time and moved to Connecticut, where an Edward Tredwell appears as a witness in a law suit brought in the Colony of New Haven, the record of which bears date the 2nd of February, 1646. (See note 3.) Undoubtedly this refers to the Ipswich settler, but nothing positive has yet been found to make the identity complete.

According to a record of a town meeting at Branford, Connecticut, held on the 16th of September, 1646, Edward[1] Tredwell is one of thirty-four persons mentioned in regard to a general fence to be built around the town.‡

In the meeting of the 8th of November, 1646, in the same town he united with thirty-two others in voting for the imposition of a fine for people who did not attend town meetings, and for a reward for the killing of wolves.§

The last time his name appears on these records relates to a meeting held on the 4th day of April, 1648, when he and twenty-eight others voted for an allotment of land.‖

The author has not examined these records himself, nor do the extracts therefrom in his possession disclose where the land to be taken up lay, or even that Edward[1] Tredwell actually took up any pursuant to these orders.

He is next found dwelling upon a neck of land called Hashamommuck in the town of Southold, Long Island, which was then in the jurisdiction of the Colony of New Haven. The records of the latter town contain a copy of a deed of conveyance of land at the place mentioned, dated the 8th of October, 1649, and in which he is named as one of the grantees. (See note 4.)

Hashamommuck lies just east of Southold, Mill Creek separating the two places.¶

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* *Ancient Records, Town of Ipswich*, 1634–1654, printed 1899.

† *Ib.*

‡ *Branford, Conn., Town Records*, vol. i, p. 7.

§ *Ib.*, p. 11.

‖ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 7.

¶ For a fuller description, see page 5 of the *Benedict Genealogy*, by Henry Marvin Benedict, 1870.

In the transfer of his interest in this property, it is seen that he signs by making his mark, thus showing that he was unable to write his name.

The Southold records make it clear that Edward[1] Tredwell lived at Hashamommuck at one time, but how long, it cannot be determined. (See note 5.)

Next, in 1660, we find him a resident of the town of Huntington, Long Island (then under the jurisdiction of the Hartford Colony), which is made apparent by the record of his appointment as one of the appraisers of the estate of Edward Higbee, deceased. (See note 6.)

Probably it was here that the Tredwell, Higbee and Skidmore families first met as neighbors, and thus arose the interest which soon developed into relationship through marriages.

Edward[1] Tredwell was residing in Huntington at the time of his death. This occurred sometime between the date of his appointment as appraiser just mentioned and the date of the deed to his widow of land in the town of Hempstead, Long Island, set forth later.

No record has been found showing whether he died intestate or leaving a will; but, fortunately, upon the Huntington records has been preserved the following memoranda in relation to his estate:

"(1661, Jan. 30.)

The 30th of January, 1661.

An Inventory of the goods & estate of Edward Tredwell late of Huntington Deceased; given in by his Wife beeing upon Oath; And valewed by ffoure Men Chosen, and appointed by Authority, (viz) William Smith, Thomas Weekes, John Conklin, & John Titus, The vallew where of amounteth to two hundred eighty five pounds, (sterling)

The Widow having a third part thereof, commeth to Ninety five pounds, And the six Children having the rest divided among them, each Childs portion cometh to thirty one pound, thirteen shillings foure pence his oldest Sonne having had som thing given him by his ffather in his life tiem,

Doth in this estate but share equally with ye rest of the Children." (*Court Rec.* p. 50.)*

The foregoing is valuable because, besides mentioning a widow, it is the only record known of the number of his children. Unfortunately, their names do not appear. From other sources, however, it is possible to determine three of these. Evidently at least two of the children were sons, and it is quite certain that some of them were then minors. The three unknown children probably died young without marrying, or, what is less likely, were daughters who married, and trace of them was thus lost.

The maiden name of Edward[1] Tredwell's widow remains unknown, but the following deed of conveyance found on the

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* *Huntington Town Records, including Babylon, Long Island, N. Y., 1653–1688*, printed 1887, vol. i, p. 33. Attention is called to the errors in the foot-note to the above on this page.

town records of Hempstead,* New York, shows that her given name was Sarah.

"January the 28th. 1660. This writing witneseth that I thomas Hicks of Hempstead Juner have bargined with and sold unto Sarah Treadwell of Huntington late wife of Edward Treadwell decesed my hous barne & orchard home Lot with all the priviledges belonging there unto (viz) all meadowing hollows plain Lands and wood Land with fowre ox gats in the east oxe pasture with sd hous barne orchard home Lote and meadowing hollows & upland weare late William Smiths of Hempstead afore sd with all the rights Priviledges accomodations and appurtinances there unto belonging whether given to the said William Smith by the sd Town of Hempstead or other wise Purchesed with his money, and also what privileges ye sd William Smith had in the north neck for gats for Young Cattle also twelve gats for pastrege at Rockaway all which sd hous barn orchard home Lot meadowing and hollows Plaine & Wood lands with all privileges and appurtinanses thereunto belonging exsepting a small parsell of meadow or Lotment being upon the necke commonly colled Hixes neck I ye sd Thomas Hicks do here by engage my self to give full & free possession to ye sd Sarah Treadwell or her assigns at or before ye tenth day of march nex enseuing the date here of

In witnes whereof I do here unto setto my hand the day and yeare above said

In presents of

John Seaman

Jonas Holdsworth Thomas Hicks

This a treu coppy taken out of the origenal and compared and entred by mee Tho Gildersleeve Clarke

Know all men by these Presencs that I Henry Whelply do here by assign & make over this writing and all the purchase thereby granted unto Adam Mott of Hempstead for him his hairs and sucsesers forever to enjoy

Witnes my hand this first day of November 1661. Stilo nova

In presents of his

Jonas Holdsworts Henry X Whelply

John Smith mark

This is a treu Coppy taken out of the original and compared and entred by mee Tho Gildersleeve Clarke

And further more having a parsell or Lotment of meadow survayed up to mee by Thomas Hicks which lieth on ye Neck commonly Colled Mr. Hickes neck the which ye sd meadow was exsepted in ye sd bill of saile I do here by make over ye sd Meadow to ye said Adam Mott and . . . further I do binde myself my hairs executors and administrators to deliver the said Adam Mott full free and quiat possession of the said Lands granted by this bill, of Saill within a month or two after the day of the date hearof and of the house barn at or before the sixtenth day of may next enseuing ye date here of all free from Rats this yeare whether

* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iii, pp. 125–126.

demanded or not demanded except the sd meadow Lying upon Mr Hickes neck and further I ye sd Henry Whelpley do acknowledg to have Recived of ye sd Adam Mott full payment and full satisfatction for all ye sd house and land spesified in the bill of saile

In Witnes whereof I do hereunto setto my hand this first day of November. 1661. Stilo Nova

In presents of his
John Smith Henry X Whelply
Jonas Holdsworth mark"

The deed from Thomas Hicks to Sarah Tre(a)dwell was recorded twice in the Hempstead town books. Only the second record is given here, the difference between the two records seeming to be merely a matter of the orthography of a few words, and of the surname of one of the witnesses. This deed was probably re-recorded to have a true copy upon the town books, or, more likely, because the assignment of Henry Whelpley's interest had been endorsed upon the deed of conveyance to Sarah Tre(a)dwell and, in order to record this assignment, it was deemed advisable to copy the whole paper. This endorsement indicates that Sarah Tre(a)dwell had married Henry Whelpley before the date of the assignment. Such a marriage is made certain by the following, taken from the Hartford, Connecticut, probate records:

"Whelpsley, Henry. Invt. £280-10-03. Taken by Ephraim Wheeler, Michael Fry, Henry Rowland.

Court Record, page 173—6 June 1662: This Court orders unto the Relict of Henry Whelpsley the sum of £300 of ye estate of her former husband Treadwell, and what is wanting in that is to be made up out of Whelpsley's estate. Also £20 more as widow to Whelpsley, and this to be effected by Mr. Hill, Cornelius Hull, Michael Fry and Alexander Knowles. And the rest of Whelpsley's estate to be divided amongst his children according to the discretion of those men who are impowered to administer to ye Estate and to dispose of the children that are not under guardians."*

Henry Whelpley was a resident of Stratford, Connecticut, in 1645, soon after which date he moved to the adjoining town of Fairfield, where he was living at the time his death occurred.

Sarah (Tredwell) Whelpley's next marriage was to Ralph Keeler of Norwalk, Connecticut. This is given upon the authority of *Savage*,† *Schenck's History of Fairfield, Connecticut*,‡ and the *Rockwell and Keeler Genealogy*.§

Ralph Keeler appears to have left a will dated the 20th of August, 1672, which was probated the same year in the probate court for the district of Fairfield, Connecticut, and starts out by

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* *A Digest of the Early Connecticut Probate Records*, by Charles William Manwaring, 1904, vol. i, p. 163.

† *Savage's Gen. Dict.*, vols. iii, p. 2, and iv, p. 504, under Keeler and Whelpley.

‡ *The History of Fairfield, Conn.*, by E. H. Schenck, 1889, vol. i, p. 422.

§ *Rockwell and Keeler Genealogy*, by James Boughton, 1903, pp. 3-4.

saying he is fifty-nine years of age. One-third of his property was thereby left to his wife, *Sarah.* The probate records for the Fairfield district have not been examined in person by the compiler of this genealogy.

Her next and final matrimonial venture was with Thomas Skidmore of Fairfield, Connecticut, as is made evident by the latter's will dated the 20th of April, 1684, in which he mentions his wife, *Sarah*, and grandchild, *John Higbee*, who married his wife's daughter, and designates Samuel Tredwell one of the executors.* The inventory of the estate of Thomas Skidmore is dated the 13th day of November, 1684, and the papers in connection therewith show that his widow survived him only fourteen days.

Whether Edward[1] Tredwell's widow had any children through her subsequent marriages is uncertain.

TREDWELL CHILDREN:

Although there can be little doubt that Sarah was the mother of all the six children left by Edward[1] Tredwell, yet no record has been found to substantiate its assertion, except in the case of Rebecca. The actual order of birth of the children is unknown.

i. Samuel,[2] d. 21st Oct., 1718; m. before 1669, Ruth Wheeler. He resided in Stratford, Conn. The descendants through this line are very numerous and widely scattered. For convenience sake they have been designated "The Connecticut Branch," in contra-distinction to the descendants of his brother John[2] Tredwell, who have been called "The Long Island Branch." It is not the purpose of this genealogy to carry out the Samuel[2] Tredwell line, the intention being to give "The Connecticut Branch" at some future time.

2 ii. John[2]

3 iii. Rebecca[2]

iv. ——.[2] Probably died young, s. p.

v. ——.[2] Probably died young, s. p.

vi. ——.[2] Probably died young, s. p.

NOTES REFERRING TO FIRST GENERATION.

NOTE 1. "Granted to John Hanchett, six acres of planting ground lying towards the Reedy marsh, having a planting lott of Marke Symonds on the Southeast, and a planting lott of Edward Tredwell on the Northwest, to enjoy the sayd Land, to him, his heirs, and assigns forever. Entered this 19th day of November 1638."—*The Ancient Records of the Town of Ipswich*, published by George A. Schofield, 1899.

NOTE 2. "Granted to Hugh Sherratt . . . Also one acre of ground in the swamp beneath the High street, having half an acre granted to John Hassell on the Southeast, and an acre granted to Edward Tredwell on the Northwest, to enjoy all the sayd Lands, to him, his heires, and assigns forever; Entered the 11h day of the first month called March 1639. T. B. folio 29." *Ib.*

NOTE 3. "At a Court Held at Newhaven the 2d Febr. 1646. . . . Richd Beech informed the court that his cozn Wm Iles had done some work for Mr.

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* *Fairfield, Conn., Probate Records.*

Mullyner, & severall times he had desired to have had it issued but he hindred it, & now latly he refusseing to make payment for what was don, he had him warned to the court to answere it. . . . . .

Edward Tredwell informed the court, that he has heard it said it was well don, so far as it was donne, but in the issue the sand lyeing one the side of it, it being made in a banke side, filled."—*Records of the Colony and Plantation of New Haven from 1638 to 1649*, pp. 293–294, by Charles J. Hoadly, M. A. 1857.

NOTE 4. "These p'sents witness that William Salmon of Hashamamuck, alias, Neshugguncer, have sold unto Henry Whitney, Edward Tredwell and Thomas Benedick three parts of all his upland lying betwixt Toms Creeke so called by the English, and Mr Goodyeares land, reaching to a fresh ponnd lying by the North sea with an Island of trees Standinge in it, with all the marsh ground and moweinge land lying by the aforesaid Toms Creeke from the one end of it to the other—in the wch meadowe the aforesaid Wm Salmon is to have noe share —— exepting to himselfe all other meadowe ground, lying within the Same cumpeste of land, with the Neck of Land lyinge against the harbour on the South, wch neck of land hee is to fence in at his owne cost & charge & to maintaine for ever —— wh^ch^ fence is to beguin at the now dwelling house of John Corey & to runn straight, poyntinge at the wadeing place, leaveinge out all the meadowes sold to the aforesaid parties —— in wh^ch^ Neck of Land so fenced the other, parties are to have noe share, but is to remaine his owne proper land, to him & his heirs forever. Likewise the said Willm Salmon doth give liberty unto the aforesaid parties to fence in for themselves a corne field begininge at the backside of the now dwellinge house of Thomas Benedick and to runn to the neerest cutt to the North Sea where they shall find most convenient —— wch Peece of Land being so fenced in is to remaine theire owne proper land, to them theire heires & assignes for ever, with three parts of all his other Lands by what name or names Soever called (except before excepted) with warrantie against the said Willm Salmon his heires & assignes & only them, peaceably & quietly to enjoy the same without any molestacon or disturbance —— the aforesaid Henry Whitney, Edward Tredwell & Thomas Benedick paying to William Salmon thirty pounds for the same.

Likewise the aforesaid Willm Salmon doth except so much liberty to himselfe that when hee shall see fit to fence in the meadowe, he my take in so much upland as that he may in some measure runn straight from meadowe to meadowe. Provided neverthelesse that when the other parties shall have occasion to carry or recarry any thing by sea they shall have the liberty of the waterside att any tyme: to all wch premises the aforesaid Wm Salmon hath sett his hand & seale the 8th day of October 1649. W^m^ (his mark) Salmon

Sealed and delivered
in the p'sence of
John Corey
Ann Corey

I Thomas Benidick doe assigne my wholl right in this deede to Thomas Rider.

I the aforenamed Edward Tredwell doe hereby assigne my wholl right to Lieutenant John Budd. Witness my mark Edwd Tredwell"

Southhold Town Records, copied and explanatory notes added by J. Wickham Case, printed 1882, vol. i, p. 176.

NOTE 5. "We whose names are underwritten inhabiting uppon the Neck of Land comonly called Hashamommack condsidering that our comfort and quiett setlement would consist and stand in the injoyment of good neighbourhood did make this agreement at our first sittinge downe that what man soever should desire to remove, and to endeavo^r^ to make sale of his accomodacons should put in such a neighbour as the other inhabitants liveing with them should approve of.

William Salmon X
Henry Whitney X
Edward Tredwell X
Thomas Benedick

Entered the 17th of May 1660.

p^r^ me Willm Wells."

Southold Town Records (printed), vol. i, p. 184.

NOTE 6. [1660, May 12.] "the 12 of may it wase agreed by the Corte to demand the will out of Jonas wood his hand which will belonged to Edward higbee it wase allso agreed by the sam cort that Thomas weeke Edward Tredwell John Tilot shall take an inventary of the estate which is eqlent belonging to Edward Higbee which inventory is to be taken the next second day being the 14 of may in the yere 1660.

it was allso agreed by the sam cort that thos that are to prise the estat of Edward higbee that thay shall leve sufisient unprised as to leve his wife on seut of clothes for evry day and on seut for Lordes dayes and allso that which is convenient to cloth the children that is to say to paralel with thar mothar.

it wase allso ordered by the same corte that Thomas skidmor Junear wase to have the disposing of Edward higbees 4 children tell thay are of age to provide for them sellves in case theyr father by his coming se not case to allter what the cort hase don. (*Court Rec.*, p. 16.)

Huntington Town Records, including Babylon, Long Island, N. Y. 1653–1688, printed 1887, p. 26.

SECOND GENERATION.

2. John[2] Tredwell (Edward[1]), born before 7th December, 1644; died between 12th January, 1712, and 25th January, 1719-20; married, first, in Queens county, New York, upon a license issued 6th March, 1666, to Elizabeth Starr, of Hempstead, New York, died before 5th July, 1682, probably daughter of Thomas Starr of Charlestown, Massachusetts; married, secondly, before 5th July, 1682, Hannah Smith, living 3rd October, 1706, died probably before her husband, daughter of John (Rock) and Hannah (Murry) Smith of Hempstead, New York. John[2] Tredwell possibly resided in the town of Huntington, Suffolk county, removing early to the town of Hempstead, Queens county, New York, where he was living up to the time of his death.

He was prominent in the affairs of his county and town, having been returned once to the Colonial Assembly as a representative from Queens county, although not permitted to serve; for a period of years was a county justice, and sat, at least once, as one of the justices of the Court of Sessions at Jamaica, Long Island; was, probably, a justice of the peace for many years; was frequently commissioned to choose the county treasurer; and acted as a county assessor. He was elected to many local town offices, such as assessor, collector, constable, overseer, and surveyor of high-ways. Many times he was chosen as a trustee of his town to represent it in business transactions in New York City; also to audit the town's accounts; and to agree upon and defend the town's boundary lines. His business occupation is not disclosed, but he seems to have been extensively engaged in planting or farming. Upon the records he was called "Mr.," "Gentleman," and "Esquire." It is not known where he or his wives were buried.

The time John[2] Tredwell settled in Hempstead is uncertain, but it was as early as the 7th of December, 1665, when, as grantor, he described himself of that place in a deed of conveyance bearing that date. (See note 1.) Probably he had moved there even earlier, in 1662, as he was a witness with Jonas Houldsworth to an indenture of apprenticeship dated the 21st of August, 1662,

and made between Anna Wood, wife of John Wood, formerly of Rhode Island, and John Smith of Hempstead, Long Island.*

The preceding record is the earliest found relating to John[2] Tredwell. From this date on, his name appears frequently in various capacities in the early Hempstead town books. Only once is it to be found on the records of Huntington, and then as a witness with Simon Lanne to an agreement dated the 15th of June, 1665, and made between John Scott (of Setauket) and George Wood (of Newtown, Long Island,) settling differences arising out of an inability to carry out the terms of a lease.†

He also acted as a witness to many other instruments at various times.

Since he must have been at least twenty-one years of age to have made a valid conveyance of real property, the time of his birth can be fixed as sometime prior to the 7th of December, 1644, which is twenty-one years before the date of his conveyance to Nathaniel Coles already mentioned. It was doubtless near that time, as he was probably around twenty years of age when he first married. The license for this marriage is dated the 6th of March, 1666, and the record of it is found at page 134 of a book now in the State Library at Albany, New York, marked "Orders, Warrants, and Letters, vol. ii."‡

No further mention has been found of this first wife, Elizabeth Starre, and nothing positive is known as to her parentage. The Starr genealogy, published in 1879, states that she may have been the daughter, Elizabeth, born to Dr. Thomas Starr of Charlestown, Massachusetts. (See note 2.) Although, at that period, it was most unusual for a person to be given a second or middle name, yet a grandson of John[2] Tredwell bore the name, Thomas *Star* Tredwell. This circumstance is significant and, together with the fact that John[2] Tredwell named one of his sons *Thomas*, naturally leads to the conclusion that the name of the father of Elizabeth (Starre) Tredwell was Thomas Starr(e). But which one was he? Dr. Thomas Starr of Charlestown, Massachusetts, died on the 26th day of October, 1658, and is said to have left a widow, Rachel, and a son, Josiah, of whom the latter is known to have settled in Hempstead, New York. On the records of this town the name of Starr occurs for the first time under date the 22nd of January, 1662, in an agreement "betwixt John Hickes of Hempstead . . . And Rachell Starre of Oysterbay . . . before they enter or joyne in Marriage estate, about the settling of their Estates, and for the preventing of Differences betwixt the Children of the said John Hickes and Rachell Starres children, etc."§

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* *Records of the Towns of North and South Hempstead, Long Island, N. Y.*, printed 1896, vol. i, pp. 128–129.

† *Huntington Town Records, including Babylon, Long Island, N. Y., 1653–1688*, printed 1887, vol. i, p. 69.

‡ *Names of Persons for whom Marriage Licenses were issued by the Secretary of the Province of New York, Previous to 1784*, printed 1860, p. 397.

§ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. i, pp. 119-120.

Elizabeth (Starre) Tredwell must have died before the 5th of July, 1682, for, on this date, a Hannah Tredwell is found testifying with John[2] Tredwell in a lawsuit between Richard Valintin and Abraham Smith. (See note 3.)

This Hannah Tredwell was the daughter of John (Rock) Smith of Hempstead, New York. John Smith left a will dated the 10th of May, 1695, which was probated the 3rd of April, 1706, and recorded at page 306 of Liber 7 of Wills in the Surrogate's Office of New York county.* An inventory of his estate was exhibited in court by Hannah Tredwell the 3rd of October, 1706.† In this will he mentions his daughter *Hannah*, wife of *John Tredwell*, appointing her one of the executrices thereof. A John Tredwell was one of the witnesses. This testament shows that about the 24th of April, 1694, the testator had delivered some cows and other cattle into the hands of John[2] Tredwell.

The Hempstead town books contain a record of a conveyance of certain meadow lands from John Smith to his *son in law*, John[2] Tredwell, on the 20th of February, 1688. (See note 4.)

Two other records of Hannah (Smith) Tredwell have been found. One is in the 1698 census of the town of Hempstead filed among the state papers at Albany, New York, In this list the names of the heads of families are given first. All the Tredwell names found therein are in the order which follows:

Mr John Tredwell
Mrs Hannah Tredwell
Thomas Tredwell
Hannah Tredwell
John Tredwell
Elizabeth Tredwell

Three other names of a different family follow here, and then are given

John Tredwell
Phebe Tredwell.

In those times the titles, "Mr." and "Mrs.," were not used so freely as now-a-days, but were applied to certain persons of prominence in the social or business scale. This census indicates that, at the time it was taken, John[2] Tredwell and wife, Hannah, were living under the same roof with his son Thomas. The third John Tredwell mentioned in this list will be seen later on to have been another son of John[2] Tredwell.

The other record of Hannah (Smith) Tredwell mentioned is found in the office of the county clerk of Queens county, New York, in connection with a deed of conveyance dated the 10th day of December, 1701, from John Tredwell, Sr., of Hempstead, Gentleman, and wife, Hannah, to Theodorus Van Wake, of 172 acres of land in Hempstead, situated on both sides of the highway leading to the neck, and bounded on lands of John Robinson,

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* *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1892, pp. 419-421.

† *Ib.*, p. 326.

Thomas Rushmore and Judge Hicks; also of an interest in a patent to fifty acres.*

A list has been preserved on the Hempstead records giving a description of the several horses owned by John[2] Tredwell between the 14th of June, 1665, and the 29th of January, 1666–.7† And there is also an entry thereon of a sale by John Smith (Rock) to him of a heifer on the 21st of June, 1665.‡

By a deed dated the 22nd of February, 1666, John Weascote conveyed to John[2] Tredwell the house, lot, buildings and meadows sold to the grantor by John Ashman.§

A memorandum on the Hempstead town records shows that John[2] Tredwell bought two oxen of Mr. Hickes on the 24th of February, 1667.‖

On the 26th of April, 1667, Thomas Southward bought land on Fordam's Neck, west of John[2] Tredwell's land.¶

In the division into bands to draw lots for lands for planting, ordered at a full town meeting held at Hempstead the 11th of January, 1668, John[2] Tredwell fell to "Company No. 2," together with Mr. Hicks, Mr. Gildersleve, John Eleson, Thomas Eleson and Richard Gildersleve.**

On the 17th of November, 1668, George Hewlette and William Osbon, both of Hempstead, conveyed to John Hubs of Mad Nan's Neck, 18 acres on said Neck that had been laid out to John[2] Tredwell.††

On the 2nd of December, 1668, an action on the case was entered in a Court of Constable and Overseers by Martha Rushmor, wife of Thomas Rushmor, against John[2] Tredwell for abusing her swine.‡‡ The disposition of this action does not appear.

On account of his shoulder having been dislocated, John[2] Tredwell was temporarily excused by the Governor, on the 16th of May, 1669, from general and town trainings.§§

The records of the Court of Burgomasters and Schepens held in New Amsterdam (New York City) show that, between the 25th of January, and the 1st of March, 1669–70, he had sued in that court, and recovered judgment against Jurian de Kouper for the price of a cow. (See note 5.)

By a deed dated the 5th of May, 1670, William Yeats "of ffleshin" conveyed to John[2] Tredwell all right, title and interest to any lands within the limits of Hempstead "as hollow upon ye plains meddow at ye necke at South Comonly Caled ye greate neck, with all Cominage, &c."‖‖

A year afterwards, on the 9th of May, John Chew of Hempstead conveyed to John[2] Tredwell 12 acres of meadow land at

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* Liber A of Conveyances, p. 188.
† *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. i, pp. 184–185.
‡ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 189.
§ *Ib.*, vol. viii, p. 172.
‖ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 224.
¶ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 133.
** *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 258.
†† *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 257.
‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 363.
§§ *Queens County in Olden Times*, by H. Onderdonk, Jr., 1865, p. 6.
‖‖ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 68.

Hungry Harbor, sold to the grantor by John Williams of Hempstead.*

On the 22nd of July, 1671, Timothy Halstead of Hempstead conveyed to John[2] Tredwell 6 acres of meadow land in Hempstead upon "Coe's little Neck" (to the south of Hempstead), bounded, westwardly, by Thomas Rushmure's meadow and, eastwardly, by the creek.†

On the Hempstead records, volume i, pages 333–334, as printed, is the following:

"At a Cort Held in Hempsted by the Magestrates this — day of March in the yere of our Lord 1673–4. . . . .

Joseph Junnins Plaintive Enters an action of debt against John tredwell defendant the defendant Pleds he is not Provided to answer an so it is Refered till the next Cort

at a Cort held in Hempsted by the scout(?) and MaJestrats the 5 of Aprell in the yeare of our Lord 1674 in the Ceas depending betwen Joseph Junins Plaintive and John tredwell defendant the Cort finds for the Plaintive and also orders that the defendant shall Pay that mony of the Remainer of the bill that is in differanc to the Plaintive in ten dayes with this Proviser that if when Rafe keler esteate is decided an this mony that is in diferance doth then fall to John tredwell Portion that then the said Joseph Junnins shall Repay the mony to John tredwell again without further troubell an that the defendant shall Pay all the Charges."

The foregoing is given in full, because it is the most direct piece of evidence yet found connecting John[2] Tredwell with Edward[1] Tredwell.

The record shows that John[2] Tredwell had some unusual interest in the estate of Ralph Keeler, which can be explained only on the supposition of a near relationship existing between them. Such a relationship could have arisen only through marriage. It is known that Ralph Keeler did marry, secondly, widow Sarah Whelpley, the widow of Edward[1] Tredwell, and hence the connection between Ralph Keeler and John[2] Tredwell, and the inevitable conclusion that the latter was one of the sons of Edward[1] Tredwell.

On the 5th of January, 1675, John[2] Tredwell testified in an action brought by Cornelus Mott against Timothy Hallsted to recover his interest in a transaction relating to tobacco and rails. (See note 6.)

At a general town meeting held in Hempstead the 4th of March, 1675–6, "John tredwell" was given about ½ an acre of land in said town, adjoining his own lot;‡ and, at a like meeting held on the 1st of November following, he was given 4 acres of land adjoining the north end of "fearfeld;"§ and, also, at the meeting held the 9th of April, 1677, he was number 42 in the list of proprietors empowered to take up 100 acres of wood land apiece.‖

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 66.
† *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 280.
‡ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 302.
§ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 306.
‖ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 311.

At a town meeting held the 5th of June, 1678, lot number 36 was drawn by him for fencing the Plains;* and at the meeting held the same year, on the 25th of December, he was number 14 in the lots drawn for laying out the "Medow at Rocoaway."† Sometime during this year he sued Adam Mott in an action on the case.‡

A record of the lands laid out by Nath[1]. Pearsall in 1679, shows that John[2] Tredwell received 172 acres, made up of a 100, a 22, and a 50 acre lot, "bounded on the East with house bay swamp," on west side of Madnan's Neck path; and so running south and east.§ Following this is the entry of his cattle mark, which was "a latch marke on the fore side of boath ears."‖

At a town meeting held the 1st of April, 1679, he was chosen constable,¶ which office he held also in 1702,** and, perhaps, other years.

At a town meeting held the 2nd of April, 1681, he was chosen an overseer for two years,†† at the expiration of which term he was again elected to the office.‡‡

At a court held in Hempstead by the Constable and Overseers, on the 3rd of January, 1682, he was called upon to testify in an action brought by Mathew Bedle against William Lee.§§

By deed dated the 1st of May, 1682, Abraham Smith of Hempstead conveyed to John[2] Tredwell 6 acres of meadow land at "Nere Rockaway," bounded on the east side by Samuel Denton's land and on the west side by John Pine's lot.‖‖

In an agreement bearing date the 24th of May, 1682, by the inhabitants of the town of Hempstead to maintain Jeremy Hubard as a minister, John[2] Tredwell promised to pay £1.10.0 in corn or cattle yearly towards the expense.¶¶

Both John[2] and Hannah Tredwell were called as witnesses on the 5th of July, 1682, in the suit brought by Richard Valentine against Abraham Smith. (See note 3.)

By deed dated the 15th of February, 1682–3, John[2] Tredwell "of Hemsted on Long Iland in the north riding of new yorksher" conveyed to Jonathan Smith, Jr., of the same place, 12 acres and 79 rods of meadow land at Hungry Harbor, originally laid out to Jeremiah Wood, Sr., bounded, westerly, by Thomas Ireland's land; easterly, along a creek; thence, southeasterly, to another creek and along said creek to Thomas Ireland's lot.***

On the 12th of February, 1683, John[2] Tredwell was chosen with Jonathan Smith, Sr., a representative of Hempstead for the purpose of assessing and making a rate for the county's charge.††† This same office he held in 1686,‡‡‡ 1687,§§§ 1688,‖‖‖ and, probably,

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. i, p. 318.
† *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 321.
‡ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 330.
§ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 197.
‖ *Ib.*
¶ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 323.
** *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 230.
†† *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 329.
‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 450.
§§ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 416.
‖‖ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 70.
¶¶ *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 380.
*** *Ib.*, vol. i, pp. 447–448.
††† *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 420.
‡‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 3.
§§§ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 15.
‖‖‖ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 19.

other years. In conjunction with this office for the year, 1686, he was to go to Jamaica, Long Island, and choose a county treasurer; likewise in 1867, besides taking an account of money already spent; and again in 1688.

At the town meeting held the 16th of February, 1683, he and two others were delegated to go to New York City to obtain "A pattaine for the whoale bounds of ye Towne" according to the first purchase and draft drawn;* and the next year he was again sen there on the same business.†

A valuation list among the state archives at Albany, New York, shows that in 1683, John[2] Tredwell's property was valued at £250. (See note 7.)

In the last will of Richard Ellison, Sr., of Hempstead, bearing no date, but probated the 13th of June, 1683, reference is made to 22 acres of land transferred by him to John[2] Tredwell.‡

William Osburne of Gravesend, L. I., appointed him one of the overseers in his last will, dated the 10th of February, 1682.§

By a deed dated the 16th of November, 1683, Thomas Ellison of Hempstead conveyed to John[2] Tredwell certain meadow land on the west side of Coe's Neck, bounded on the south by Begle's land and on the west by the creek between Hick's Neck and said meadow land.‖

By an entry of the 8th of April, 1684, in the Hempstead town books, it appears that John[2] Tredwell had exchanged some meadow land with Edmond Titus for upland at "Johnson Brooke," going to Madnan's Neck.¶

By a town meeting held at Hempstead the 24th of May, 1684, he was chosen with three others to agree upon the boundary lines between the said town and the towns of Flushing, Jamaica and Oyster Bay.**

According to Thompson's *History of Long Island*, printed in 1843,†† John[2] Tredwell was the owner or 350 acres of land in 1685. The authority for this statement cannot be discovered by the compiler.

By deed dated the 15th of January, 1686, Thomas Hickes, Sr., of Cornebery, Queens county, N. Y., conveyed to John[2] Tredwell a certain "hollow," known as "faire feld hollow," being on the southeast side of Hempstead.‡‡

By deed dated the 18th of January, 1686, Samuel Rainer of Hempstead, son of Edward Rainer, deceased, conveyed to John[2] Tredwell certain meadow land at Rockaway, situated on the western side of Long Neck, at the entrance thereof, bounded on the south by land of John[2] Tredwell and on the west by William Thickston's land.§§

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. i, p. 420.
† *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 429.
‡ New York Historical Society Collections, 1892, p. 126.
§ *Ib.*, pp. 470–471.
‖ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 112.
¶ *Ib.*, vol. i, pp. 477–478. ** *Ib.*, vol. i, p. 430.
†† Vol. ii, p. 19.
‡‡ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 117.
§§ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 109.

An entry in the Hempstead town books states that at a town meeting held the 14th of February, 1686, John[2] Tredwell was granted the liberty to exchange with the town the 3 acre home lot bought from Obadiah Vollintine, situated on the southeast side of Hempstead and on the north side of Samuel Rainer's lot, for a lot on the east side of his own field.* The sale of the above mentioned lot from Obadiah Vollintine to John[2] Tredwell was recorded in these books through a memorandum thereof dated the 28th of September, 1687, but the property is therein described as on the south side of Ephraim Vollintin's lot on the south side of the town.†

In confirmation of a bargain made between John Carman and John[2] Tredwell, said Carman's sons, John and Caleb, of Hempstead, conveyed to John[2] Tredwell, by deed dated the 18th day of March, 1686, certain meadow land lying "in ye Est fli" of Hick's Neck, bounded by a creek on the east side;‡ and, at the same time, in furtherance of said bargain, John[2] Tredwell conveyed to the said two Carman grantors, 17 acres of meadow land on Hick's Neck, bounded, easterly, by Robert Jackson's land, and, on the north, by land of the said John and Caleb Carman; also 1 acre off the south end of John[2] Tredwell's fresh meadow.§

At a town meeting held at Hempstead the 1st of April, 1686, John[2] Tredwell was chosen a commissioner for the year.‖ He was again chosen for the same office in 1688.¶

At the meeting held the 2nd of June, 1686, he was delegated with others to protect the town's boundary lines, and lands against all claimants;** and, at the meeting held the 2nd of November, the same year, he with others was directed to appear at a court of "asises" in Jamaica, on the first Wednesday of that month, to defend the town's title to land in Rockaway against Judge Pelmas or any other person.††

By deed dated the 13th of January, 1687, John[2] Tredwell conveyed to John Ellison, Sr., of Hempstead 12½ acres of meadow land at Hungry Harbor laid out to Jeremiah Wood, Sr.; also 6 acres of meadow land late belonging to Jonathan Smith (Rock) of Hempstead, in exchange for meadow land laid out to Ambrose Sutten and sold by John Smith to John Ellison, lying on the westerly side of Coe's Neck and bounded, on the west, by a creek dividing Coe's Neck and Hick's Neck.‡‡

By deed dated the 6th of June, 1687, Thomas Hickes, Sr., of Cornbery, Long Island, conveyed to John[2] Tredwell one-half the meadow land on Hick's Neck formerly possessed by the grantor's father, John Hickes, bounded, easterly, by the East Creek and cove; westerly, by Nathaniell Persell's land; northerly, by woods; and, southerly, by said cove or bay.§§

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 16.
† *Ib.*, vol. ii, pp. 108–109.
‡ *Ib.*, vol. ii, pp. 113–114.
§ *Ib.*, vol. v, pp. 181–2.
‖ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 91.
¶ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 22.
** *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 7.
†† *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 9.
‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. viii, pp. 149 & 243.
§§ *Ib.*, vol. ii, pp. 111–112.

At a town meeting held in Hempstead the 18th of February, 1687–8, John[2] Tredwell was one of the men chosen to audit a bill of costs.*

By the said town records, John[2] Tredwell appears as one of the owners of land on Cow Neck on the 6th of March, 1687–8.†

By deed dated the 9th of March, 1687–8, John[2] Tredwell conveyed to Edmon Tites of Hempstead 4 acres of meadow land on the great neck eastward, bounded, easterly, by Rock Smith's land; westerly, by the land of John Ellison, Sr.; also, "one adition Lying in ye west flie" of said neck, bounded, northerly, by lot laid out to James Pine, and, southerly, by lot laid out to John Ellison, Sr.,‡ and, on the same date, Edmon Tites conveyed to John[2] Tredwell 22 acres of woodland with right of commonage.§

On the 26th of March, 1688, John[2] Tredwell had entered upon the Hempstead town books a memorandum of 44 acres laid out to him by Nathaniell Persall on the east side of "ye flie of meddoe" bought of John Ellison at Coe's Neck, being 70 poles in length and 50 poles in width.‖

On the 13th of December, 1689, John[2] Tredwell was appointed a justice for Queens county,¶ and he appears as one of the justices holding a Court of Sessions in Jamaica, on the 4th of February, 1689–90.**

On the 18th of January, 1690, a commission was issued to John[2] Tredwell and six others to hold a Court of Oyer and Terminer and general jail delivery in Queens county.††

In the office of the county clerk of Queens county at Jamaica, Long Island, is a memorandum dated the 13th day of April, 1691, stating that John[2] Tredwell had been chosen Burgess (representative) for Queens county to attend his Majesty's service upon the 14th of April, at Fort William Henry.‡‡ While on his way there, he was arrested by the "under-sheriff of the city and county of New York" on some charge, the nature of which does not appear. The Assembly, after an examination, sustained it and refused to seat him. (See note 8.) It was not such a "scandalous" matter, however, as to destroy the faith and confidence of his constituents, or even to prevent subsequent appointments at the hands of the Colonial Executive, since, thereafter, he was frequently chosen by both to fill offices of trust and of great importance.

By deed dated the 9th of May, 1691, John[2] Tredwell conveyed to John Mott all his rights to the lands described in some other deed, of which no record can be found.§§

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 20.

† *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 59.

‡ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 38.

§ *Ib.*, vol. ii, pp. 238–239.

‖ *Ib.*, vol. ii, pp. 66–67.

¶ *N. Y. Calendar of Historical Manuscripts*, part ii, English, 1664–1776, by E. B. O'Callaghan, 1866, p. 186.

** *New York Historical Society Collections, 1892*, p. 156.

†† *N. Y. Calendar of Historical Manuscripts*, part ii, English, 1664–1776, by E. B. O'Callaghan, 1866, p. 192.

‡‡ Liber A of Conveyances, p. 51.

§§ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. viii, pp. 143–144.

At a town meeting held in Hempstead on the 1st day of July, 1691, John[2] Tredwell was chosen to decide what would be sufficient for a fence; what liberty swine should have on the streets and elsewhere on the town's commons; also to build a pound.*

The name of John[2] Tredwell appears in the list of proprietors and freeholders of Hempstead to whom John Stuard addressed his petition, dated the 11th of July, 1691.†

On the 17th of March, 1691–2, John[2] Tredwell delivered to Robert Williams some oats he held belonging to George Fowler.‡

At a town meeting held the 23rd day of February, 1696, "Mr. tredwell" was chosen to vindicate the town's interest and to apply for a warrant to run the town's line.§

(*To be continued.*)

A DIGEST OF ESSEX WILLS.

With Particular Reference to Names of Importance in the American Colonies.

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(Continued from Vol. XLII, p. 57, of the Record.)

178. Wright, Mabel, of Great Stambridge, Essex, widow, 5 Feb., 1596. To the poor widows of Great Stambridge 5/– Ten shillings to each of the six children of Peter Lawrence of Barking and I forgive the said Peter the debt he oweth me To the two children of John Rule of Barking ten shillings each. To Elizabeth Nevell the daughter of Elizabeth Bennett of Paglesham 10/– at her age of sixteen. To my maid Alice Durman 3/–. Res. & Ex. my son William Burton. Overseers: John Langer and John Rule. Wit: Ezekiell Culverwell,‖ John Langer. Proved 23 March, 1596, by the Ex. named. (Arch. Essex. Stephen, 183.)

179. Adams, John, of Little Laver, Essex, Husbandman, 6 February, 1573. To be buried in the Churchyard. To my wife Johane all my household stuff My son Raynolde to keep her and provide for her. To my three sons George John and Edward 40/– each and corn cattle etc. To my two daughters (not named)

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 24.
† *Ib.*, vol. ii. p. 110.
‡ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 94.
§ *Ib.*, vol. ii, pp. 122–123.
‖ Ezekiel Culverwell, Rector of Great Stambridge, 1591 to 1609, was licensed Oct. 20, 1598, to marry Winifred, widow of Edward Barefoot of Hatfield Broad Oak. She was buried at All Hollows, Barking, 19 Nov., 1613. He was buried at St. Antholins, 14 April, 1631.

a bushel of wheat and a bushel of malt. To Elizabeth Skotte a pewter platter candlestick etc. Res. & Ex. son Raynolde. Supervisor: John Collen of Little Laver. Wit: John Collen, Thomas Asser. Proved 30 October, 1574 by Ex. named. (Value £13. 16. 4). (Arch. Essex. Gyll 77.)

180. Aylett, William, of Rivenhall, Essex, Yeoman, 27 July, 1581. To be buried in the churchyard of Rivenhall or Kelvedon. Bequests to the poor of a number of parishes. To wife Margaret for her life copyhold land called More Land in Kelvedon. Also to her £100 and cattle &c. half of household stuff and the occupation of a tenement called Graces. To my eldest son Richard my lease in Cressing. To son Leonard my copyhold closes in Rivenhall called Elmesfield and Sewerland and other copyhold lands held under same Manor, and a lease called Little Rivenhall and my lease in Black Notley which I late had of George Raymond of Braintree. To son Robert my lease in Coggeshall. To son William my lease in the moiety of a tenement in Mayland called Bovells and all my tenements in Mayland Southminster and Steeple which I late had of Henry Luckyn of Roxwell.* To son Thomas lease of a meadow in Rivenhall I bought of Thomas Burgess, a copyhold tenement in Rivenhall called Black Mere and a meadow called Bayes. To son John the other half of my household stuff by the dividing of my brothers Robert & Thomas Aylett and George Raymond and also the lands bequeathed to wife, after her death, and £100 at age 21. My executors to have my lands held of the Manor of Kelvedon Hall for the better performance of this my will. To my daughter Susan the wife of Edward Sammes £20. and each of her children (not named) to have £6. 13. 4. To John, Thomas, Edward and Susan Lambe, the children of my daughter Elizabeth, deceased, late the wife of John Lambe £6. 13. 4. each. To Judith the daughter of my brother Thomas Aylett £6. 13. 4. at age 21. To each of my servants 3/4. Res. & Ex. my six sons. Supervisor: my brothers, George Raymond and Thomas Aylett. My free messuages and tenements in the hamlet of Stansted in the parish of Halsted which I bought of Robert Noke, gent, and Dorothy his wife to remain to the uses declared in a pair of indentures dated the 25 July 23 Eliz. between myself and wife on the one part and George Raymond of Braintree, Grocer, (my brother-in-law) and Thomas Aylett of Leaden Roding (my natural brother), on the other part as in the same more plainly doth appear. And whereas I have taken up by copy of Court roll of George White, Esquire, one parcel of the waste ground of his Manor of Rivenhall and thereupon have builded one house, being now two tenements for the poor of the parish of Rivenhall, my sons to have the appointing of such persons to dwell therein. Wit: Thomas Hunt, gentleman, John Upcher, John Binded, William Piggett. Proved 7 May, 1583, by the ex. named. (P. C. C. Rowe 26.)

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* The Visitation of Essex, 1612, states that Henry Lukyn of Roxwell married Alice, dau. of Richard Pullestone of Bardfield Hall, Essex.

181. Baldwin, William, of Upminster, Essex, Yeoman, 26 November. 1574. To be buried in the Churchyard. To ten poor householders on the day of my burial 6 pence each. To wife Johane all my copyhold lands and tenements in the Southend of Upminster held of the Manor of Gaynes for her life. To son Thomas £6. 13. 4. at age 21. To son John £10 at age 21. To the child my wife goeth with £10 at age 21. To my daughter Thamer Baldwin £10 at age 21. To William Baldwin, my brother's son my best coat. To Richard Baldwin my next coat. To John Baldwin that dwelleth with me my best hosen and best hat. To sister Alice half a seam of rye. To my brother John Baldwin my spanish leather jerkin, and my satten nightcappe. A kercher clothe of 20 pence a piece each to John Baldwin's wife, my sister Samford, Thomas Heynes wife and the widow Wright. Res. & Ex. wife. Overseers: Thomas Herde, George Herde, John Baldwin my brother and John Skeele. Wit: William Soane, Robert Herde, Humfry Benton. Proved 18 December, 1574 by the Ex. named. (Value £111. 10. 0.) (Arch. Essex. Gyll, 83.)

182. Glascocke, John, of Rayleigh, Essex, Carpenter, April, 1638 (nuncupative) To his eldest daughter Sara Glascocke £5, her mother's gown and a blue silk girdle. To his daughter Mary Glascocke £3 and a silver spoon. To Jonas his manservant his wearing apparel and tools. Residue to his two sons John and Henry Glascocke. His brother John Hamond of Harlow to have the bringing up of John, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Waylett, to have the bringing up of Henry. Wit: Edward Pond, William Julian. Administration of the above will was granted on 17 July, 1638, at Great Baddow, to Henry Liveing and Henry Barnes, overseers of the poor of the parish of Rayleigh during the minority of John, Sara, Mary and Henry, children of the deceased. (Arch. Essex. Whitehead, 16.)

183. Green, Thomas, of Brentwood, Essex, 15 November, 1610. Gentleman. To be buried in the parish church of South Weald. To the poor of Brentwood 20/- To Mr. Weston 10/- to preach at my funeral. To wife Thomazine two thirds of goods. To children (not named) the other third. Cousin John Green. Servants Joane Wooddall and Henry Smith. To Mr. Marwood 20/-. Res. & Ex. wife. Overseers: Edward Marwood and cousin Charles Green of London, Goldsmith. Wit: Edward Marwood, Thomas Tabor, George Bowdishe "and his wife." Proved 19 March, 1610, by the relict. (Arch. Essex. Blunt, 58.)

184. Hanchett, Thomas, of Berden, Essex, Yeoman, 20 June, 1666 To the poor of Arkesden 40/- To wife freehold land called Bledlews comprising 24 acres. Sons George and Samuel. Lands to son Edward. Lands in Arkesden and Elmdon. To son William copyhold lands held of Dodenloe *als* Dudnall Grange. Youngest son Thomas. Son Richard. My grandchildren Thomas and Edward, the sons of Edward Hanchet, and James, Richard and William, the sons of Richard Hanchet. My daughter Susan, the wife of William Morrice. Res. & Ex. wife Elizabeth. Wit:

John Beard and Thomas Hagger. Proved at Henham 1 March, 1678, by the relict. (Arch. Colchester. Polley, 276.)

185. HANCHETT, WILLIAM, of Arkesden, Essex, Yeoman, 10 September, 1681. To wife Grace my copyhold ground known as Millfield containing 30 acres in Elmdon until my son John arrives at age 21 and then he to have it. Also to wife for her life my messuage wherein I dwell with the two closes adjoining containing about 11 acres, and also 7 acres in Elmdon called Dawsfield, and 6 acres called Pishedge Croft, and 3 acres in Larkesfield. After her death (or marriage in case she remarry) to my son William. To my eldest daughter Elizabeth £30 at age 21. Ditto to daughters Sarah and Anne. My son William to have my 9 acres of land in Elmdon and Wenden Lofts on condition he pay the above legacies. Residue to wife for life and after equally between children. Ex: wife and son William. Wit: John Wright, Mary Wright, Tho. Patson. Proved at Walden 24 April, 1682, by Ex. named. (Arch. Colchester. Collin, 90.)

186. HILLS, WALTER, of Ramsey, Essex, 6 April, 1560. To Ramsey Bridge 6/8. To Agnes my wife and her heirs all my houses and lands in Much Oakley on condition she pay to five of my kinsfolk £6. 13. 4. each. viz: John Hills, Peter Hills, a poor wife sister of said John and Peter, dwelling in Writtle, John Hills the younger and William Hills. I have surrendered into the hands of John Gillot in stead of the bailiff and in the presence of three of the lords tenants viz: Richard Herriche, James Hewet, and Nicholas Smythe. the said lands. 6/8 to each of my three servants. Res. & Ex. wife. Agnes. Wit: Thomas Richmond, John Callyn, Thomas Porter. Probate not mentioned. (Arch. Colchester. Puckell, 187.)

187. HOWLAND, JOHN, of Wicken Bonhunt, Essex, Yeoman, 16 July, 1607. To Collett, my wife, for her life a piece of arable land in Wicken called Little Field between the land belonging to the Parsonage of Wicken on the South and the land late of John Bell on the North and containing by estimation 2 acres. After her death the land to come to Thomas Thurgood one of the sons of my son-in-law John Thurgood and his heirs for ever. To Collett my daughter, the wife of John Collyn, £10. To my daughter Margaret, the wife of Daniel Peverley, £12. To my daughter Agnes Westrawe, widow, £10. To Elizabeth Cosin, my daughter, a basin; and to John Cosin, her son, 6/8 at age 21. To Martha Westrawe, daughter of my said daughter Agnes, £3. 6. 8. at age 21 or marriage. To each child of my three daughters Margarett, Barbara and Agnes 6/8 at their ages of 21. Res. & Ex. the above named John Thurgood. Wit: John Langham, Richard Spiltimber. Probate not mentioned. (Not Registered. Original will examined. Archdeaconry of Colchester.)

188. HUNT, ROBERT, of Beaumont, Essex, 27 Jan'y., 1561. To William Wade, my father-in-law, and his heirs, my house called Crowche House, and my land called Durches, on condition that Jane Wade, my mother, have her dwelling there and have the

profit of the said lands during her life; and the said William Wade to pay to William Hunt, my brother, £6. 13. 4., and to my brother Richard Hunt, £20 and to my sister Jone Bayninge £6. 13. 4., and ditto to sister Elizabeth Hayle. To my brother John Wade the elder my sword. To my brother John Wade the younger my coffer. Residue of goods to be sold and distributed at the discretion of my Executors. Ex. William Wade my father-in-law and Robert Payne my uncle by-the-law. Wit: John Grene, John Coke. Probate not mentioned. (Arch. Colchester. Puckell, 192.)

189. Kinge, Edmund, of Tillingham, Essex, 18 August, 1646. I give my house and lands in Maldon called Winterslade now in the occupation of Goodman Fledger (which I have in reversion after my mother's decease, given me in will by my father Bartholomew Kinge) to my son Thomas Kinge and his heirs for ever. If he die without issue then to my wife Elizabeth and her heirs for ever. All my goods etc to wife and she to be ex. Wit: Francis Parfe, Mary Parfe, Mary Gellenwater Thomas Nicholson. On the 27 June, 1650, a commission was issued to Joseph Ellistone the Executor of the will of Elizabeth Kinge deceased who while she lived was the executrix named in the above will to administer the same. (P. C. C. Pembroke, 95.)

190. Kinge, Elizabeth, of Tilllingham, Essex, Widow, 26 February, 1646. To be buried in the Church of Tillingham. To the poor twenty shillings. To Susanna the daughter of my brother Thomas Nicholson deceased £20 at age 17. If she die before then the legacy to be equal divided between her two brothers Thomas and Rowland. To the said Thomas and Rowland £40 each at ages 21. To Augustine Hill, clerk, 11/- to preach my funeral sermon. Res. & Ex. Joseph Ellistone of Dengy Gentleman. To my sister Susanna Nicholson 40/- a year for each of her three children to bring them up and educate them. Wit: Augustine Hill, James Noble, William Harrison. Proved 4 March, 1646, by Joseph Ellistone. (P. C. C. Fines, 62.)

191. Kinge, Thomas, of Harlow, Essex, Husbandman, 30 November, 1646. To be buried in the Churchyard. To Katherine my wife my tenement in Church-gate Harlow for her life and after to John Kinge my brother for his life and after to his son John Kinge and his heirs on condition 10/- each be paid to my brother John's children and 10/- each to my brother Powton's children. and my brother to discharge my executrix of a bond of ten pounds wherein I stand bound with him to Mr. Edmund Skoles of Calton. To wife my tenement in Harlow Market in the occupation of Samuel Jennings, for her life and after to Andrew Kinge my brother for his life he to pay ten shillings to each of his two children Joane and Thomas, ten shillings to each of my brother William's three children, and ten shillings each to three other of his own children After the death of the said Andrew I give the tenement to his son Andrew and his heirs for ever. To Jeffery my brother my copyhold tenement in Morton Essex. he to pay ten shillings to each of my sister Elizabeth's

children. and ten shillings to my sister Dennis. To Judith Haver my daughter-in-law, all my household stuff. Res. & Ex. wife Katherine. Wit: Edward Spranger. Proved Jany. 5, 1647, by relict. (P. C. C. Essex, 11.)

192. MOTTE, JOHN, of Layer Marney, Essex, Yeoman, 16 March, 1560. To wife Agnes my house and lands in Much Wigborough, Essex, called Hidde for her life she to pay to my executor 40/- a year and to discharge a bond between Robert Brodocke that married the wife of Audley and me. After her decease the house and lands to go to John the son of William Motte in satisfaction of a legacy of £30 given to him by his father's last will, and he to pay to Mary Motte such residue of the £30 bequeathed her as has not been paid. To Anne Hithe a bedstead etc. To wife £40, residue of household stuff and cattle. She to have two thirds of the corn growing at Wigborough and my brother Richard the other third. To John Hithe a colt and a silver spoon. Silver spoons to Stephen Hithe, Elizabeth Hithe and John Pignet. To Prissitt Motte an old ryall and a silver spoon. To my brother Richard Motte 3 kine and 10 hoggs. To my brother John a tyke that I had of him being fifteen sticks in ye tike. I deliver the surrender of my said house and land into the hands of John Alleyne, Thomas Harvye, and John Graunte. Res. & Ex. brother John Motte. Wit: Robert Camocke, John Graunte, Cristopher Ayleward, Edward Mutton, Thomas Gage. Probate not mentioned. (Arch. Colchester. Puckell, 8.)

193. MOTT, JOHN, of Hawkewell, Essex, 15 March, 1558. To be buried in the parish churchyard at Forrest. To wife Alice all goods and moveables within house and without to bring up my three children (not named). She to be sole Executrix. Overseer: William Dedin. Wit: William Hewes, Thomas Glaskok, Robert Hankin. Proved 4 April, 1559, by the relict. (Arch. Essex. Randoll, 7.)

194. OSBORNE, ROBERT, of Layer Bretton, Essex, Husbandman, 24 July, 1592. To the poor of Layer Bretton viz: father Daulton 5/- Richard Gilder 5/- mother Clarke 5/- Thomas Garland 3/4. Robert Cooper 3/4. Mother Living 3/4. To Alice my wife seven beasts three of them at this farm and the other four at the Moore at Salcott Verley. To Edward Skinner my son-in-law 40/- cattle hay etc. To Richard Osborne my brother's son a bason. To Sarah Southey my daughter-in-law £3 and a black bullock. To Mary Kibbate my sister 30/- To William, Jane and Joane, the children of my brother John Osborne 10/- each. To Anne Francis my sister 30/- To John and Joan the children of my sister Vintner, 10/- each. To John, Jone, Mary and Emme, the children of my brother Richard Osborne, 10/- each. Ten shillings to be divided between Mother Howe, Father Goddard, Mother Bitson and Jeremy Goddard. To William Teele of Salcott Wigborough £10. to be paid out of a bond of twenty pounds which Matthew London of Wigborough standeth bound to me. Res. & Ex. wife Alice. Supervisor William Teele. To my

daughter Katherine Taseler £3. To Clemence Skinner my son-in-law 20/- To Leonard Skinner my son-in-law 20/- To John Skinner 20/- To Elizabeth Ricarde, my sister's daughter, 10/-. Wit: John Lucas, clerk,* William Bearde. Proved at Colchester 8 Sept., 1592, by the relict. (Consistory London. Sperin, 43.)

195. Partridge, John, of Navestock, Essex, 1 October, 1652, To be buried in the chancel of the Parish Church. To the poor of Navestock £5. To my daughter Margaret Hudson £100. To my grandchildren Thomas & Jane Lake at their ages of 18 the £100 that my son-in-law John Lake oweth me. To my servants Mary Corter, Elizabeth Elkin and Elizabeth Scarlett 20/- each To my cousin John Combers 40/- Res. & Ex. wife Jane and son John. Wit: Thomas Hayward John Combers. Proved 27 June 1663, by relict. (Dean & Chapter of St. Paul. F. 67.)

196. Quinbe, John, of Much Wakering, Essex, Husbandman, 21 May, 1630 To Elizabeth my wife all my corn and implements To John Richardson the younger, my wife's son, £5 at his age of 21. To John Richardson, the other of my wife's sons, 40/ at his age of 21. To Henry Harmon, my wife's brother, 10/- To William Quinbe my brother £6. To Thomas Quinbe my brother £3 at his age of 21. To Richard Abraham my kinsman 40/- To Mary Arkersen my sister the wife of John Lannce shoemaker 50/- To the poor of Much Wakering 10/- To Elizabeth Brette my wifes god-daughter 5/- to buy her a coat. To Ellinn Ellmur my god-daughter 5/-. To Alles Cooke my maide 3/4. Res. & Ex. wife. Overseer: Henry Brette. Wit: Thomas Dranne, Henry Brette, Henry Harmon. Proved 20 July, 1630, by Ex. named. in the Court of the Archdeacon of Essex. (Not registered, Original Will examined.)

197. Quinbe, William, 3 January, 1632. To Richard Abraham of Lee, county Essex, smith 30/- To the Widow Bedman of Little Wakering 10/- and my cloak. To John Dynam 5/- My trusty friend Thomas Mayers to be Executor, to him 20/-. To my brother Thomas Quinbe the residue or my money and goods to be paid him at the time his apprenticeship shall come out. Wit: John Dynam, Robert Chapman. Proved in the Court of the Archdeacon of Essex on Feb. 18, 1632, by the Executor named. (Not Registered. Original Will examined.)

198. Tabor, John, of Burnham, Essex, 27 September, 1609. To be buried in the Churchyard. To my father Henry Tabor of Wickford £20. If both my father and mother die before me then sister Elizabeth to have the money. To sister Annys, wife of Richard Glover, £15. To brother Richard Glover £5. to repair a little cottage now in the occupation of my father. To Anthony and John Edwards my ten chaldrons of coal in the malthouse. To the wife of Gregory Wicken 20/- To the wife of Owen Towlton 20/- To Annes Arnold 10/- To my godson

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* Rector of Layer Bretton. Instituted 12 Dec., 1588.

John Taylor 5/- To my cousin Annis Gilder widow 20/- To my cousin John Tabor a pair of blue Jersey stockings. Res. & Ex. cousin Edward Tabor of Fryerning. Overseer: Ambrose Pettiwell, of Fryerninge 5/- to him. Wit: John Thompson, John Hawke, Andrew Simson. Proved at Great Baddow, 24 Oct., 1609. by Ex. named. (Arch. Essex. Blunt, 42.)

199. TABOR, ROBERT, of Margaretting, Essex, 21 February, 1608. Tailor. To Jesse Tabor (son) my best bedstead feather bed etc. after my wifes decease. To daughter Grace my next feather bed, etc. To daughters Sarah and Joan various household articles. To James Ketch the younger a round table. To Cytus Preistland a little posnett etc. Res. & Ex. wife Dennys. Supervisors Thomas Freeman and my brother John Tabor. Wit: Thomas Freeman and Jeremy Bird. Proved 11 April, 1609, at Great Baddow by relict. (Arch. Essex. Blunt, 15.)

200. WENLOCKE, STEPHEN, of Much Bentley, Essex, 5 July, 1687 Very aged but in good health To son Nathaniel* lands in Much Bentley called Riches and Savores. In default of issue to Elizabeth, my daughter, wife of James Minter and her heirs, she to pay to my daughter Mary, the wife of Edmund Blowers, and her heirs for ever £6 a year; and whoever shall enjoy the said lands shall pay my wife Elizabeth £8 a year during her widowhood. To Martha Wenlocke my daughter and her heirs all my copyhold land called Edwards and a piece of freehold land now occupied by the widow Woodward. In default to the heirs of my son Stephen according to the custom of the Manor of Much Bentley. To Thomas Porter my grandchild £5. My wife to be guardian to Nathaniel and Martha until their ages of 21. Res: & Ex: wife. Wit: David Siday, William Martin, Sarah Siday. Proved 3 May, 1693, by the Ex. named. (Arch. Colchester. Hayward, 39.)

201. WRIGHT, JOHN, of Wright's Bridge within the Liberty of Havering, in the County of Essex, Esquire, 2 April, 1644. To be buried in the North Chancel of the Parish Church of South Weald. To the poor of Noke Hill 40/- To the poor of South Weald 40/- To sister, Mrs. Martha Delbridge, an annuity of £12 for her life out of my lands belonging to my mansion house of Wright's bridge. Also to her my diamond ring. To daughter Elizabeth £400 at age 21. To daughters Martha, Frances and Annett £300 each at ages 21. To my son Laurence Wright three tenements in Noke Hill in the occupation of Giles Siser, Henry Sands and Richard Andrewes. And if my eldest son John Wright desire to redeem them he to pay to his said brother £300 at his age of 21. To sons William and Henry £200 each at ages 21. To brother Nathaniel Wright, Doctor† in Physic, 40/- for a

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* The Will of this Nathaniel Wenlock was proved 2 Oct., 1716, and mentiones wife Mary, sons Nathaniel and Stephen, daughters Mary and Martha.

† In the Will of Edward Sammes of London, Grocer, (proved 1685 P. C. C. Pile, 21,) mention is made of my brother-in-law Doctor Wright and his wife and

ring. To my brother Robert Wright ditto. To my brother William Atwood my black mare. The rest of my household stuff together with my lease of the Manor of Maunsis which I have assigned over in trust to my honoured and respected uncles Sir Thomas Cheeke Knight* and Laurence Wright Doctor in Physic† to the uses of this my will I leave to my wife Mary for the education of my children and raising of their portions for them. If the portions of my younger children cannot be raised from my personal estatate etc. by the time they are due, then my eldest son John to join with his mother in the sale of the house and land in Romford in the occupation of William Grafton; or else I charge them upon my freehold lands that are to descend to my son John. Ex, wife. Overseers: Sir Thomas Cheeke and Doctor Wright. Wit: John Johnson, Thomas Atwood and Robert Wright. Proved at London, 8 October, 1644, by the relict. (Arch. Essex. Whitehead, 146.)

202. Wright, Laurence, of Kelvedon, near Ongar, Essex, Gentleman, 17 Novr., 1638. To the parishes of Kelvedon and White Notley 50/- each. To my brother John Wright the elder in the County of Essex gent. my lands in Shenfield Essex. To my nephews and nieces as follows: To Richard, Stephen and Anthony Wright, Katherine and Mary Wright, and unto John and Edward White, and my Godson Richard White £5 each; and to my nieces Anne and Margaret 50/- each. and to Margaret Burton and Mary White my goddaughters 50/- each. To my sister Mary £20. To my cousin John Wright of Stanfield in White Notley £5. To my cousin Richard Wright of Wealdside £10. To my honourable friend John Petre, Esquire, a younger brother unto Richard Lord Petre, £350 Res. & Ex. my brother John Wright, the elder. Wit: Richard Wright, Thomas Heywood. Proved at London, 6 December, 1638, by John Wright, senior, the Ex. named in the will. (P. C. C. Lee, 175.)

203. Wright, Ralph, of South Weald, Essex, Yeoman, 12 February, 1641 To the poor 10/- To my eldest son Ralph copyhold land in South Weald named Quicks. To son William freehold land in Morton and copyhold lands in Cranham after death of my wife. To daughter Elizabeth Clemens £20 To daughter Sara Wright £60 and a feather bed. etc. Res. & Ex. wife Overseers: my brother Symon Jenings. Wit: John Sond. Thomas Gill. Symon Jenings. Proved at Brentwood, 17 June, 1642, by Elizabeth Wright the relict. (Arch. Essex. Whitehead, 115.)

(*To be continued.*)

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my brother-in-law Nathaniel Wright and his wife. This Edward Sammes married Bennet, daughter of John Wright of Wrightsbridge, the grandfather of the present testator.

* This relationship requires a little explanation. The testator's wife was Mary, daughter of John Mole of York, and her mother was Elizabeth, sister to Sir Thomas Cheeke, Knt.

† He was his half uncle, being the son of John Wright by his second marriage, while the testator was grandson of the same by his first marriage.

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No. 1. **BOWEN**.....**CLARENCE WINTHROP BOWEN**

1. **Griffith ap Owen (alias Bowen),** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., living in 1557, at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Anne Bury** (dau. of Humphrey Bury of Bury in Arbor, County Devon, Eng.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Slade, in Parish of Oxwich, County Glamorgan, Wales, G. B.
Children: Philip, Mary.

2. **Philip Bowen,** b....., at .....; d. ....., before Aug. 7, 1604, at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Hopkin** (dau. and heir of Hopkin, John, of Lansamlett, County Glamorgan), b. ....., at .....; d. ..... (living Aug. 7, 1604), at .....

Res. Slade, in Parish of Oxwich, County Glamorgan, Wales, G. B.
Children: John, Griffith, Francis, Alice, Sibil, Elenor.

3. **Francis Bowen,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Ellen Frankleyn** (dau. of Thomas Frankleyn), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Children: George, Griffith, Elizabeth.

4. **Griffith Bowen,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., between 1671 and 1676, at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Margaret Fleming** (dau. of Henry Fleming of Wales), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. in Wales; emigrated to New England about 1638 and settled in Boston, Mass.
Children: Margaret, Francis, William, Mary, Henry, Elizabeth, Esther, Abigail, Peniel, Deriah.

5. **Lieut. Henry Bowen,** b. ....., 1633–4, in Wales; d. March 13, 1723–4, at Woodstock, Conn.; m. (1) Dec. 20, 1658, at Roxbury, Mass., to **Elizabeth Johnson,** b. Dec. 24, 1637, at .....; d. Aug. 13, 1683, at .....; m. (2) April 14, 1684, at ....., to **Susanna** (.....) **Heath** (wid. of Peleg Heath, and dau. of Dorothy, wife of John King, a seaman of Weymouth, Mass.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Roxbury, Mass., and Woodstock, Conn. Constable of Roxbury and member of Militia Company there and Selectman; one of the original settlers of Woodstock, Conn.
Children: 1st m., Henry, Elizabeth, John, infant, Margaret, Marie, Margaret, Abigail, Penuel, Hester, Isaac; 2nd m., none.

6. **Isaac Bowen,** b. April 20, 1676, at Roxbury, Mass.; d. ....., soon after Jan. 1, 1726–7, at Stoughton, Mass.; m. (1) ....., about 1698, at ....., to **Hannah Winchester,** b. Jan. 11, 1679–80, at .....; d. Nov. 22, 1717, at Roxbury, Mass.; m. (2) April 15, 1720, at ....., to **Elizabeth Tucker,** b. Dec. 20, 1688, at Roxbury, Mass.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Roxbury, Framingham and "Dorchester New Grant" (now Stoughton), Mass. He was a farmer.
Children: 1st m., Henry, Hannah, Mary, Isaac, Sarah, Josiah, Penuel, Sarah; 2nd m., Benjamin, Elizabeth.

7. **Henry Bowen,** b. March 30, 1700, at Framingham, Mass.; d. Jan. 1, 1758, at Woodstock, Conn.; m. May 10, 1721, at Woodstock, Conn., to **Margaret Davis,** b. Feb. 7, 1699, at Woodstock, Conn.; d. April 14, 1762, at Woodstock, Conn.

Res. Woodstock, Conn., where he was Hog Reeve, Constable, Tything-man, Surveyor, Town Clerk, Selectman, Town Treasurer, Moderator, and in his private capacity he was a farmer and weaver. He was Representative to G. C. Col. Conn., J. P., for Windham Co., Clerk of the Proprietor's, Assessor and on Church and School Committees.
Children: Silas, Matthew, Hannah, Isaac, Hannah, Margaret, John.

8. **Capt. Matthew Bowen,*** b. Oct. 22, 1724, at Woodstock, Conn.; d. Feb. 16, 1806, at Woodstock, Conn.; m. Oct. 4, 1750, at Pomfret, Conn., to **Mary Dana,** b. March 3, 1727, at Pomfret, Conn.; d. June 22, 1813, at .....

Res. Woodstock, Conn., where he was Town Surveyor, Collector, Tything-man, Lister, Grand Juror, Leather Sealer, Constable, and on Committee to audit accounts of Town Treasurer. He was a Captain of the Revolutionary War, on School Committee, and active in church affairs, being Moderator. He was a farmer, saddler and store keeper, and a large dealer in real estate.
Children: Margaret, Mary, Danforth, Griffith, Griffith, William, Matthew, Hannah.

9. **William Bowen,** b. Dec. 28, 1763, at Woodstock, Conn.; d. May 14, 1837, at .....; m. Dec. 25, 1788, at .....; to **Mary Chandler,** b. Aug. 15, 1760, at .....; d. Feb. 10, 1834, at .....

Res. Woodstock, Conn. He was a farmer, merchant, Postmaster, Town Collector, Surveyor, Constable, Leather Sealer, Selectman, Proprietor's Clerk, Sealer of Weights and Measures, J. P., Representative to State Legislature. He was a tavern keeper, and one of the founders of Woodstock Academy, Clerk and Treasurer of the First Ecclesiastical Society of Woodstock. He was also one of the incorporators of the Arnold M'fg. Co., South Woodstock, Conn.
Children: George, Mary, Matthew, Lewis, William.

10. **Lieut. George Bowen,** b. June 8, 1789, at Woodstock, Conn.; d. Jan. 6, 1846, at .....; m. Oct. 13, 1812, at ....., to **Lydia Wolcott Eaton,** b. July 14, 1793, at .....; d. Oct. 30, 1864, at Sudbury, Mass.

Res. Woodstock, Conn. He was a merchant, tavern keeper, Lieut. in the Militia in the War of 1812, and served as Hayward, Sealer of Weights and Measures, Surveyor, Selectman, J. P., on School Committee, Clerk and Treasurer of the School Society, Clerk and Treasurer of the Proprietors of Woodstock Academy, officer of the Windham Agricultural Society, Clerk of Probate Court of Woodstock, Conn,
Children: Henry Chandler, Edward Eaton, Maria, Amelia Allen.

11. **Henry Chandler Bowen,** b. Sept. 11, 1813, at Woodstock, Conn.; d. Feb. 24, 1896, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. (1) June 6, 1844, at ....., to **Lucy Maria Tappan,** b. Feb. 17, 1825, at Boston, Mass.; d. March 25, 1863, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. (2) Dec. 25, 1865, at ....., to **Ellen Holt,** b. May 12, 1834, at Pomfret, Conn.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Woodstock, Conn., and Brooklyn, N. Y. He was a merchant, proprietor and publisher of the Brooklyn *Independent*. Collector of U. S. Internal Revenue, 3rd District, N. Y. State; he was strongly identified with his native town of Woodstock, Conn., as a public benefactor thereof.
Children: 1st m., Henry Elliott, Edward Augustus, Mary Louisa, Grace Aspinwall, Clarence Winthrop, Alice Linden, Herbert Wolcott, John Eliot, Franklin Davis, Winthrop Earl; 2nd m., Paul Holt.

NOTE: * Descendants eligible to Soc. Sons of Revolution.

BOWEN—*Continued.*

12. **Clarence Winthrop Bowen,** b. May 22, 1852, at Brooklyn N. Y.; d. ....., at .....; m. Jan. 28, 1892, at Chicago, Ill., to **Roxana Atwater Wentworth,** b. Oct. 28, 1854, at Troy, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....

Res. 5 East 63rd Street, New York City. Yale College, 1873, publisher of *The Independent.* President of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society.

Children: Roxana Wentworth.

No. 2. **WOOLLEY.....WILLIAM WHITE HANCE**

1. **Emanuel Woolley,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Newport, R. I.

Children: Adam, Edward, Elizabeth, Mary, John, William, Ruth, Grace, Joseph.

2. **John Woolley,** b. Oct. .., 1659, at .....; d. ....., 1743, at .....; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Mercy** (or **Mary**) **Potter** (dau. of Thomas and Ann (or Sarah) (.....) Potter), b. ....., 1664(?): at ....., Rhode Island; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) Aug. 12, 1730, at Shrewsbury, N. J., to **Rachel Clark,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., 1754, at .....

Res. Shrewsbury, N. J.

Children: 1st m., Thomas, Ruth, William, John, Joseph, Benjamin, James, Elizabeth, Leah, Elizabeth, Ann Mary; 2nd m., none recorded.

3. **William Woolley,** b. 6-17-16.. (prob. 1688), at Shrewsbury, N. J.; d. ....., 1769, at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Ruth Lippincott** (dau. of Remembrance and Margaret (Barber) Lippincott), b. Oct. 6, 1691, at Shrewsbury, N. J.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Shrewsbury, N. J.

Children: James, Amy, Mary, Margaret.

4. **Mary Woolley,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **James Corlies** (son of John and Naomi (Edwards) Corlies), b. ....., prior to Jan. 17, 1714, at .....; d. ....., after Aug. 1, 1769, at .....

Res. Shrewsbury, N. J.

Children: Elizabeth, Margaret, William, Mary, James, George.

5. **Elizabeth Corlies,** b. Dec. 18, 1736, at .....; d. March 12, 1816, at .....; m. Feb. 8, 1759, at Friends' Meeting, Shrewsbury, N. J. (as his 2nd wife), to **Jacob Hance** (son of Isaac and Rachel (White) Hance), b. May 3, 1729, at Shrewsbury, N. J.; d. June 21, 1799, at ..... He m. (1) Dec. 6, 1750, at Shrewsbury, N. J., to Ann White (dau. of Thomas and Christian (.....) White); she b. April 18, 1727, at Shrewsbury, N. J.; d. Aug. 22, 1757, at .....

Res. Shrewsbury, N. J.

Children: 1st m., Rachel, Thomas, Sarah; 2nd m., William, Deborah, Margaret, Jacob, Mary.

6. **William Hance,** b. May 20, 1760, at Shrewsbury, N. J.; d. Jan. 30, 1827, at Shrewsbury, N. J.; m. (1) ....., about 1784, at ....., to **Achsah White** (dau. of Thomas and Dinah (Lippincott) White), b. Nov. 9, 1765, at .....; d. Aug. 20, 1796, at .....; m. (2) Dec. 19, 1799, at Shrewsbury, N. J., to **Margaret Tilton** (dau. of Obadiah and Hannah (Corlies) Tilton), b. Oct. 25, 1768, at .....; d. Aug. 22, 1849, at .....

Res. Shrewsbury, N. J.

Children: 1st m., Revo Carney; 2nd m., Elizabeth.

7. **Revo Carney Hance,** b. Nov. 9, 1790, at Shrewsbury, N. J.; d. Feb. 25, 1862, at New York City, N. Y.; m. Nov. 9, 1815, at New York City, to **Mary Augusta Ming** (dau. of Edward and Anne G. (Provoost) Ming), b. May 29, 1795, at .....; d. May 6, 1880, at Bronxville, Westchester Co., N. Y.

Res. New York City. Registrar of Croton Aqueduct Department.

Children: Margaret Elizabeth, William Edward, George Corlies, Mary Augusta, Frances Amelia, Obadiah Tilton, Louisa Jeanette, Revo Carney, Revo Clarence, Matilda Jane, Charles Henry.

8. **George Corlies Hance,** b. Nov. 8, 1820, at New York City, N. Y.; d. Feb. 26, 1884, at New York City, N. Y.; m. Oct. 1, 1851, at New York City, N. Y., to **Sarah White** (dau. of George and Jane (Irwin) White), b. April 19, 1825, at New Brunswick, N. J.; d. July 22, 1881, at Summit, N. J.

Res. Woodbridge, and Summit, N. J., and New York City. Treasurer Convocation New Brunswick, N. J., 1873-1884; Delegate to General Convention P. E. Church; Trustee General Theological Seminary.

Children: William White, George Clarence, Frances Amelia, Revaud Kearny, Irwin Howell.

9. **William White Hance,** b. Aug. 28, 1852, at New York City, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. P. O. Address Palenville, N. Y. M. A. St. Stephen's College, 1875; Graduate General Theological Seminary, 1892; Ordained priest Feb. 7, 1893. Mem. Soc. Col. Wars, 1908; Hol. Soc., 1908.

No. 3. **FIELD...WILLIAM BRADHURST OSGOOD FIELD**

FIELD ARMS (Fields of Sowerby): *Sable*, a chevron between three garbs *argent*.

1. **Roger del Feld,** b....., probably about 1240?

2. **Richard del Feld,** of Sowerby, Eng., living in 1306, 1308 and 1314.

3. **Adam del Feld,** of Sowerby, Eng. A Juror in 1337; Greave of Sowerby in 1349; he was dead in 1350.

4. **Thomas del Feld,** of Sowerby, who m. **Matilda** ..... He was living in Sowerby, Eng., in 1391.

5. **Richard del Feld,** of Sowerby. He was Greave of Sowerby in 1423 and 1428; he probably d. about 1454.

6. **John Feld,** of Sowerby. He was Constable of Sowerby in 1449 and 1450, and was dead in 1468.

7. **Christopher Feld,** of Sowerby. He d. in 1509. He was Greave of Sowerby in 1487.
Children: John, Thomas.

8. **John Feld,** of Sowerby. He d. in Sowerby in 1520. He was Constable of Sowerby in 1513 and 1514.
Children: Christopher, John, James.

9. **Christopher Feld,** of Sowerby. He d. in 1554; he m. in 1540, at Halifax, Eng., **Grace Gradeheighe,** who was dead in 1554.
Children: Edward, William, Johanna, Alice, Grace, Elizabeth, John.

10. **William Feild,** b. ....., 1548, in Sowerby, near Halifax, Eng.; d. July 24, 1619, at Blackmyres, Eng.; m. ....., 1591, at Halifax, Eng., to **Susan Midgley** (dau. of John Midgley of Northowaram); she b. ....., 1574, at Halifax, Eng.; d. March .., 1622–3, at Halifax, Eng.
Res. Sowerby until 1593, at Southowaram in 1594 and 1595, afterwards at Northowaram until 1610, when he acquired land in Blackmyres.
Children: William, George, Joseph, Robert, Alice, Susan, Jane, Isabel.

11. **Robert Feild,** b. March .., 1605, at Halifax, Eng.; d. ....., 1673, at Flushing, L. I., N. Y.; m. ....., at ....., to **Charity** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., after 1673, at .....
Res. Newport, R. I., and Flushing, Long Island, N. Y. Patentee of Flushing, N. Y., in 1645.
Children: Robert, Benjamin, Anthony, John.

12. **Anthony Field,** b. ....., at Flushing, L. I.; d. ....., he was dead in 1691, at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Susannah** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....
Res. Flushing, L. I.
Child: Benjamin.

13. **Benjamin Field,** b. ....., at Flushing, L. I.; d. ....., at .....; m. (1) Nov. 30, 1691, at Flushing, L. I., to **Hannah Bowne** (dau. of John Bowne of Flushing), b. April 2, 1665, at Flushing, N. Y.; d. Dec. 30, 1707, at Flushing, N. Y.; m. (2) 3rd, 12th mo., 1709–10, at Jericho, L. I., to **Elizabeth Feaks** (dau. of John Feaks of Mattinecock, L. I., N. Y.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., 1724, at .....
Res. Flushing, L. I.
Children: 1st m., Benjamin, John, Samuel, Anthony, Robert, Hannah, Joseph, Sarah; 2nd m., none.

14. **Anthony Field,** b. May 28, 1698, at .....; d. Sept. 2, 1777, at Harrison, Westchester Co., N. Y.; m. June 13, 1730, at Flushing, L. I., to **Hannah Burling** (dau. of William Burling of Flushing, N. Y.), b. Oct. 16, 1713, at Flushing, L. I.; d. ....., after 1777, at.....
Res. Harrison, Westchester Co., N. Y.
Children: William, Anthony, John, Benjamin, Samuel, Sarah, Thomas, Moses, Mary.

15. **John Field,** b. ....., 1731, at Yorktown, N. Y.; d. ....., 1815, at Yorktown, N. Y.; m. June 8, 1763, at Jamestown, R. I., to **Lydia Hazard** (dau. of Wm. Hazard of Jamestown, R. I.), b. ....., at Jamestown, R. I.; d. Jan. 15, 1795, at .....
Res. Yorktown, Westchester Co., N. Y.
Children: Hazard, John, Daniel, William, Moses, Hickson Woolman, Seaman, Sarah, Phoebe, Josiah, Abigail, James, Jerusha, Samuel.

16. **Moses Field,** b. Oct. 4, 1779, at .....; d. Oct. 21, 1833, at Peekskill, N. Y.; m. May 17, 1821, at New York City, to **Susan Kittredge Osgood** (dau. of Hon. Samuel Osgood), b. April 12, 1795, at .....; d. May .., 1834, at .....
Res. New York City.
Children: Maunsell Bradhurst, Osgood, Franklin Clinton, Susan Maria, Caroline Matilda, Moses Augustus, William Hazard.

17. **William Hazard Field,** b. Aug. 5, 1833, at Peekskill, N. Y.; d. Feb. 3, 1888, at New York City; m. Oct. 15, 1863, at New York City, to **Augusta Curry Bradhurst** (dau. of Samuel Bradhurst), b. Dec. 28, 1846, at New York City; d. ....., at .....
Res. 8 West 37th Street, New York City, and Lake Mohican, Westchester Co., N. Y.
Children: Mary Pearsall, William Bradhurst Osgood.

18. **William Bradhurst Osgood Field,** b. Sept. 16, 1870, at Geneva, Switzerland; d. ....., at .....; m. July 8, 1903, at Lenox, Mass., to **Lila Vanderbilt Sloane,** b. May 15, 1878, at New York City; d. ....., at .....
Res. Westfield Farm, Mohegan, Westchester Co., N. Y., 645 Fifth Avenue, New York City, and Lenox, Mass. Graduate Stevens Institute of Technology.
Children: William Osgood, Frederick Vanderbilt, Marjory Lila.

No. 4. HAZARD..WILLIAM BRADHURST OSGOOD FIELD

1. **Thomas Hazard,** b. ....., 1610, at .....; d. ....., 1680, at .....; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Martha** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., 1669, at .....; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Martha** ..... (wid. of Thomas Sheriff), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., 1691, at .....

   Res. Boston, Mass., Portsmouth, R. I., and Newport, R. I. A founder of Newport in 1639.

   Children: 1st m., Robert, Elizabeth, Hannah, Martha; 2nd m., none recorded.

2. **Robert Hazard,** b. ....., 1635; at ....., England or Ireland; d. ....., 1710, at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Mary Brownell** (dau. of Thomas and Anne Brownell), b. ....., 1639, at .....; d. Jan. 28, 1739, "in 100th year of her age," at .....

   Res. Portsmouth and Kingstown, R. I. Commissioner to run Dartmouth boundaries, and to procure boats for Colony's defence; to take census, etc.

   Children: Thomas, George, Stephen, Martha, Mary, Robert, Jeremiah, Hannah.

3. **George Hazard,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., 1743, at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Penelope Arnold** (dau. of Caleb and Abigail (Wilbur) Arnold, and grand-dau. of Governor Benedict Arnold), b. Aug. 3, 1669, at .....; d. ....., 1742, at .....

   Res. Kingstown, R. I. Deputy to G. C., 1701, 1702, 1706, 1707, 1709, 1713; Assistant, 1703-4; Lieut. Col. of Militia "for the main land," 1719.

   Children: Abigail, Robert, Caleb, George, Thomas, Oliver.

4. **Caleb Hazard,** b. Nov. 24, 1697, at .....; d. Jan. 15, 1726, at .....; m. Nov. 19, 1719, at ....., to **Abigail Gardiner** (dau. of William Gardiner), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at ..... She m. (2) March 2, 1727, to Deputy-Governor William Robinson, by whom she had six children.

   Res. at Point Judith Ponds, R. I.

   Children: William, Robert, Caleb, Caleb.

5. **William Hazard,** b. April 12, 1721, at .....; d. ....., after 1770, at .....; m. Sept. 12, 1744, at Jamestown, R. I., to **Phebe Hull** (dau. of John and Damaris Hull), b. Nov. 16, 1727, at Jamestown, R. I.; d. ....., at .....

   Res. Jamestown, R. I. Deputy to Gen. Assembly, 1756-57, 58, 61, 62, 70; Assistant, 1768-70; Chairman of Jamestown Council; Sea captain.

   Children: Lydia, Josiah, Abigail, William, John, Benedict, Mary.

6. **Lydia Hazard,** b. ....., at Jamestown, R. I.; d. Jan. 15, 1795, at .....; m. June 8, 1763, at Jamestown, R. I., to **John Field,** b. ....., 1731, at Yorktown, N. Y.; d. ....., 1815, at Yorktown, N. Y.

   Res. Yorktown, Westchester Co., N. Y.

   Children: Hazard, John, Daniel, William, Moses, Hickson Woolman, Seaman, Sarah, Phoebe, Josiah, Abigail, James, Jerusha, Samuel.

7. **Moses Field,** b. Oct. 4, 1779, at .....; d. Oct. 21, 1833, at Peekskill, N. Y.; m. May 17, 1821, at New York City, to **Susan Kittredge Osgood** (dau. of Hon. Samuel Osgood), b. April 12, 1795, at .....; d. May .., 1834, at .....

   Res. New York City.

   Children: Maunsell Bradhurst, Osgood, Franklin Clinton, Susan Maria, Caroline Matilda, Moses Augustus, William Hazard.

8. **William Hazard Field,** b. Aug. 5, 1833, at Peekskill, N. Y.; d. Feb. 3, 1888, at New York City; m. Oct. 15, 1863, at New York City, to **Augusta Curry Bradhurst** (dau. of Samuel Bradhurst), b. Dec. 28, 1846, at New York City; d. ....., at .....

   Res. 8 West 37th Street, New York City, and Lake Mohican, Westchester Co., N. Y.

   Children: Mary Pearsall, William Bradhurst Osgood.

9. **William Bradhurst Osgood Field,** b. Sept. 16, 1870, at Geneva, Switzerland; d. ....., at .....; m. July 8, 1903, at Lenox, Mass., to **Lila Vanderbilt Sloane,** b. May 15, 1878, at New York City; d. ....., at .....

   Res. Westfield Farm, Mohegan, Westchester Co., N. Y., 645 Fifth Avenue, New York City, and Lenox, Mass. Graduate Stevens Institute of Technology.

   Children: William Osgood, Frederick Vanderbilt, Marjory Lila.

No. 5. BOWNE..WILLIAM BRADHURST OSGOOD FIELD

1. **Thomas Bowne,** bap. May 25, 1595, at Matlock, Derbyshire, Eng.; d. 18-7-1677, at Flushing, L. I.; m. ....., at ....., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

   Res. Matlock, Derbyshire, Eng., and Flushing, L. I.

   Children: John, Dorothy, Truth.

2. **John Bowne,** b. March 9, 1626-7, at Matlock, Eng.; d. 20-10-1695, at Flushing, L. I.; m. (1) May 7 (or Aug. 7), 1656, at ....., to **Hannah Feake** (dau. of Lieut. Robert Feake), b. ....., about 1637, at .....; d. 2-12-1677, at London, Eng.; m. (2) Feb. 2, 1679-80, at ....., to **Hannah Bickerstaffe,** b. ....., at .....; d. June 7, 1690, at .....; m. (3) June 26, 1693, at ....., to **Mary Cock** (dau. of James and Sarah Cock, of Mattinecock, L. I.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

   Res. Flushing, L. I.

   Children: 1st m., John, Elizabeth, Mary, Abbigall, Hannah, Samuel, Dorothy, Martha Johannah; 2nd m., Sarah, Sarah, John, Thomas, John, Abigail; 3rd m. Amy, Ruth.

BOWNE—*Continued.*

3. **Samuel Bowne,** b. Sept. 21, 1667, at .....; d. 3-30-1745, at Flushing, L. I.; m. (1) ....., license dated Oct. 4, 1691, at Philadelphia, Pa., to **Mary Becket** (dau. of Capt. ..... and Eleanor (Percy) Becket of Northumberland), b. ....., at .....; d. 21-6-1707; at .....; m. (2) 10-8-1709, at Flushing, L. I., to **Hannah Smith** of Flushing, b. ....., at .....; d. 8-11-1733, aged 51 yrs., 7 ms., 9 ds., at Flushing, L. I.; m. (3) Nov. 14, 1735, at Flushing, L. I., to **Mrs. Grace Cowperthwaite** (wid., of Flushing, L. I.), b. ....., at .....; d. 11-22-1760, aged 84 yrs., at Flushing, L. I.

Res. Flushing, L. I. He was a Minister of the Society of Friends.

Children: 1st m., Samuel, Thomas, Ellner, Hannah, John, Mary, Roabord, William, Elizabeth, Benjamin; 2nd m., Sarah, Joseph, Anne, Benjamin, Elisebeth; 3rd m., none recorded.

4. **Thomas Bowne,** b. 2-7-1694, at Flushing, L. I. prob.; d. 3-28-1762, at .....; m. 1-7-1716, at Westbury, L. I., to **Hannah Underhill** (dau. of John Underhill of Mattinecock, L. I.), b. 1-23-1689-90, at .....; d. 5-2-1761, at .....

Res. Oyster Bay, L. I.

Children: Mary, Thomas, Daniel, Jacob.

5. **Daniel Bowne,** b. 12-6-1722, at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. 10-11-1746, at Flushing, L. I., to **Sarah Stringham** (dau. of Samuel and Hannah (.....) Stringham of Flushing, L. I.), b. ....., at .....; d. 7-6-1780, at .....

Res. New York City and Rocky Hill, Flushing, L. I.

Children: Thomas, Ann, Mary (or Maria), Sarah.

6. **Maria Bowne,** b. 1-5-1754, at Rocky Hill, Flushing, L. I.; d. Oct. .., 1814, at .....; m. May 24, 1786, at ....., to **Hon. Samuel Osgood,** b. Feb. 15, 1747-8, at North Andover, Mass.; d. Aug. 12, 1813, at New York City.

Res. New York City.

Children: Martha Brandon, Juliana, Walter Franklin, Susan Kittredge, Caroline Matilda.

7. **Susan Kittredge Osgood,** b. April 12, 1795, at .....; d. May .., 1834, at .....; m. May 17, 1821, at New York City, to **Moses Field** (son of John Field of Yorktown, Westchester Co., N. Y.), b. Oct. 4, 1779, at .....; d. Oct. 21, 1833, at Peekskill, N. Y.

Res. New York City.

Children: Maunsell Bradhurst, Osgood, Franklin Clinton, Susan Maria, Caroline Matilda, Moses Augustus, William Hazard.

8. **William Hazard Field,** b. Aug. 5, 1833, at Peekskill, N. Y.; d. Feb. 3, 1888, at New York City; m. Oct. 15, 1863, at New York City, to **Augusta Curry Bradhurst** (dau. of Samuel Bradhurst), b. Dec. 28, 1846, at New York City; d. ....., at .....

Res. 8 West 37th Street, New York City, and Lake Mohican, Westchester Co., N. Y.

Children: Mary Pearsall, William Bradhurst Osgood.

9. **William Bradhurst Osgood Field,** b. Sept. 16, 1870, at Geneva, Switzerland; d. ....., at .....; m. July 8, 1903, at Lenox, Mass., to **Lila Vanderbilt Sloane,** b. May 15, 1878, at New York City; d. ....., at .....

Res. Westfield Farm, Mohegan, Westchester Co., N. Y., 645 Fifth Avenue, New York City, and Lenox, Mass. Graduate Stevens Institute of Technology.

Children: William Osgood, Frederick Vanderbilt, Marjory Lila.

No. 6. OSGOOD..WILLIAM BRADHURST OSGOOD FIELD

1. **John Osgood,** bap. July 23, 1595, at Wherwell, Hampshire, Eng.; d. Oct. 24, 1651, at Andover, Mass.; m. ....., at ....., to **Sarah** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. April 8, 1667, at Andover, Mass.

Res. Andover, Mass.

Children: Sarah, John, Mary, Elizabeth, Stephen, Hannah.

2. **Capt. John Osgood,*** b. ....., about 1630-1, at ....., Eng.; d. Aug. 21, 1693, at Andover, Mass.; m. Nov. 15 (or 16), 1653, at Haverhill, Mass., to **Mary Clements** (dau. of Robert Clements), b. ....., about 1637, at .....; d. Oct. 27, 1710, at Andover, Mass.

Res. Andover, Mass. Deputy to G. C., 1666, 1669, 1689, 1690. Sergeant, 1658, 1661; Lieut., 1666, 1675, 1677, 1680; Capt., 1683.

Children: John, Mary, Timothy, Lydia, Peter, Samuel, Sarah, Mehitable, Hannah, Sarah, Ebenezer, Clement.

3. **Timothy Osgood,** b. Aug. 2, 1659, at Andover, Mass.; d. Sept. 18, 1748, at Andover, Mass.; m. (1) May 29, 1689, at Andover, Mass., to **Deborah Poor** (dau. of Daniel Poor), b. April 18, 1664, at Andover, Mass; d. Nov. 29, 1724, at Andover, Mass.; m. (2) April 11, 1728, at Andover, Mass., to **Mrs. Mary Poole** of Lynn, Mass., b. ....., at .....; d. July 13, 1752, at Andover, Mass., aged 82 yrs.

Res. Andover, Mass. He was Constable, Fence-viewer, and Town Treasurer.

Children: 1st m., Mary, Timothy, Timothy, Sarah, Peter, Deborah, Isaac; 2nd m., none recorded.

4. **Timothy Osgood,** b. Aug. 22, 1693, at Andover, Mass.; d. ....., 1773, at .....; m. May 10, 1716, at Andover, Mass., to **Mary Russell** (dau. of Thomas and Phoebe (.....) Russell), b. Feb. 10, 1692-3, at Andover, Mass.; d. ....., 1778, at .....

Res. Andover, Mass.

Children: Peter, Timothy, Thomas, Isaac, Mary, Deborah, Phoebe, Hannah.

* NOTE: Descendants eligible to Socs, Colonial Wars and Colonial Dames.

OSGOOD—*Continued.*

5. **Capt. Peter Osgood,** b. Nov. 14, 1717, at Andover, Mass.; d. Nov. 17, 1801, at Andover, Mass.; m. Sept. 8, 1743, at Andover, Mass., to **Sarah Johnson** (dau. of Capt. Timothy and Catharine (.....) Johnson of Andover, Mass.), b. Nov. 19, 1719, at Andover, Mass.; d. April 1, 1804, at Andover, Mass., aged 84 yrs.

Res. Andover, Mass. Town Treasurer, 1767; Member of Town Committee opposed to Stamp Act, 1768; Andover Committee of Safety, Dec. 17, 1774; Representative G. C., 1781, 1788, 1792; Magistrate; Capt. of Militia.

Children: Isaac, Peter, Samuel, Sarah, Joseph, Susannah, Isaac, Joseph, Lydia, Timothy.

6. **Hon. Samuel Osgood,** b. Feb. 15, 1747-8, at North Andover, Mass.; d. Aug. 12, 1813, at New York City; m. May 24, 1786, at ....., to **Maria Bowne** (dau. of Daniel Bowne of New York City and Rocky Hill, Flushing, L. I.), b. 1-5-1754, at Rocky Hill, Flushing, L. I.; d. Oct. .., 1814, at .....

Res. New York City. Served as Aide-de-Camp to Gen. Artemus Ward until 1776; was a member of the Provincial Congress and one of the Board of War; Member of the State Convention to frame the Constitution, 1779; Member of Congress several terms; Commissioner to manage the U. S. Treasury. On the organization of the Federal Government he became Postmaster General; he was afterwards Customs Collector for the Port of New York.

Children: Martha Brandon, Juliana, Walter Franklin, Susan Kittredge, Caroline Matilda.

7. **Susan Kittredge Osgood,** b. April 12, 1795, at .....; d. May .., 1834, at .....; m. May 17, 1821, at New York City, to **Moses Field** (son of John Field of Yorktown, Westchester Co., N. Y.), b. Oct. 4, 1779, at .....; d. Oct. 21, 1833, at Peekskill, N. Y.

Res. New York City.

Children: Maunsell Bradhurst, Osgood, Franklin Clinton, Susan Maria, Caroline Matilda, Moses Augustus, William Hazard.

8. **William Hazard Field,** b. Aug. 5, 1833, at Peekskill, N. Y.; d. Feb. 3, 1888, at New York City; m. Oct. 15, 1863, at New York City, to **Augusta Curry Bradhurst** (dau. of Samuel Bradhurst), b. Dec. 28, 1846, at New York City; d. ....., at .....

Res. 8 West 37th Street, New York City, and Lake Mohican, Westchester Co., N. Y.

Children: Mary Pearsall, William Bradhurst Osgood.

9. **William Bradhurst Osgood Field,** b. Sept. 16, 1870, at Geneva, Switzerland; d. ....., at .....; m. July 8, 1903, at Lenox, Mass., to **Lila Vanderbilt Sloane,** b. May 15, 1878, at New York City; d. ....., at .....

Res. Westfield Farm, Mohegan, Westchester Co., N. Y., 645 Fifth Avenue, New York City, and Lenox, Mass. Graduate Stevens Institute of Technology.

Children: William Osgood, Frederick Vanderbilt, Marjory Lila.

No. 7. SHERMAN.....THOMAS TOWNSEND SHERMAN

SHERMAN ARMS: *Or*, a lion rampant, *sable*, between three leaves *proper*.
CREST: A sea lion, *or*.

1. **Thomas Sherman,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., 1493, at ....., Eng.; m. ....., at ....., Eng., to **Agnes** .....; b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., at ....., Eng.

Res. Diss, Norfolk, and Yaxley, Suffolk, Eng.

Children: John, Agnes.

2. **John Sherman,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., 1504, at Yaxley, Eng.; m. ....., at ....., Eng., to **Agnes Fullen** (dau. of Thomas), b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., at ....., Eng.

Res. Yaxley, Suffolk, Eng.

Children: Thomas, Margery.

3. **Thomas Sherman,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., 1551, at ....., Eng.; m. ....., at ....., Eng., to **Jane Waller** (dau. of John Waller of Wortham), b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., at ....., Eng.

Res. Yaxley, Suffolk, Eng. Churchwarden, Yaxley, Eng., in time of Henry VIII; Lord of several manors. Attorney at Common Law.

Children: Thomas, Richard, John, Henry, William, Anthony, Francis, Bartholomew, James.

4. **Henry Sherman,** b. about 1527, at ....., Eng.; d. about July .., 1590, at ....., Eng.; m. about 1555, at ....., Eng., to **Agnes** ....., b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., 1580, at Dedham, Eng., (buried there Oct. 14, 1580).

Res. Dedham and Colchester, Essex, Eng. He was a clothier (or shearman).

Children: Henry, Edmund, Judith, daughter, John, Thomas, Robert.

5. **Henry Sherman,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. Aug. .., 1610, at Dedham, Eng., (buried there Aug. 28, 1610); m. ....., at ....., Eng., to **Susan Hilles,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. Sept. .., 1610, at ....., Eng.

Res. Dedham, Essex, Eng. Clothier (woolen manufacturer).

Children: Phebe, Henry, Samuel, Susan, Daniel, Nathaniel, Nathaniel, John, Ezekiel, Edmund, Anna.

6. **John Sherman,** b. ....., bap. Aug. 17, 1583, at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Grace Makin** (dau. of Tobias Makin of Fingrinhoe, Essex, Eng.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., 1662, at Watertown Mass. She m. (2) Thomas Rogers; (3) Wm. Palmer; (4) Roger Porter.

Res. Dedham, Essex, Eng.

Children: John, Richard.

SHERMAN—*Continued.*

7. **Capt. John Sherman,** b. ....., about 1615, at ....., Eng.; d. Jan. 25, 1691, at Watertown, Mass.; m. ....., about 1637, at Watertown, Mass., to **Martha Palmer** (dau. of William Palmer), b. ....., at .....; d. Feb. 7, 1700–1, at Watertown, Mass.

Res. Watertown, Mass. Captain, June 11, 1680; Deputy, Mass. G. C., 1651, 1653, 1663; Steward of Harvard College, 1662.
Children: John, Martha, Mary, Sarah, Elizabeth, Joseph, Johannah, Grace.

8. **Joseph Sherman,** b. May 14, 1650, at Watertown, Mass.; d. Jan. 20, 1731, at Watertown, Mass.; m. Nov. 18, 1673, at Watertown, Mass., to **Elizabeth Winship** (dau. of Edward Winship of Cambridge, Mass.), b. April 15, 1652, at Cambridge, Mass.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Watertown, Mass. Surveyor, Deputy G. C., Mass., 1702-05.
Children: John, Edward, Joseph, Samuel, Jonathan, Ephraim, Elizabeth, Martha, William, Sarah, Nathaniel.

9. **William Sherman,** b. June 28, 1692, at Watertown, Mass.; d. March 20, 1741, at Stoughton, Mass.; m. (1) July 21, 1714, at Charlestown, Mass., to **Rebecca Cutler** (dau. of Timothy Cutler), b. .....; bap. Feb. 16, 1689–90, at Charlestown, Mass.: d. Jan. 22, 1715, at Charlestown, Mass.; m. (2) Sept. 13, 1715, at Watertown, Mass., to **Mehitable Wellington** (dau. of Benjamin Wellington), b. Feb. 26, 1687–8, at Watertown, Mass.; d. April 12, 1771, at New Haven, Conn.

Res. Watertown, Charlestown, Newton, and Stoughton, Mass.
Children: 1st m., William; 2nd m., William, Mehitable, Roger, Elizabeth, Nathaniel, Josiah, Rebecca.

10. **Hon. Roger Sherman,** b. April 19, 1721, at Newton, Mass.; d. July 23, 1793, at New Haven, Conn.; m. (1) Nov. 17, 1749, at Stoughton, Mass., to **Elizabeth Hartwell** (dau. of Joseph Hartwell), b. ....., 1726, at Stoughton, Mass.; d. Oct. 19, 1760, at New Milford, Conn.; m. (2) May 12, 1763, at Danvers, Mass., to **Rebecca Prescott** (dau. of Benjamin Prescott), b. May 31, 1742, at Danvers, Mass.; d. April 19, 1813, at New Haven, Conn.

Res. Stoughton, Mass., New Milford, and New Haven, Conn. Besides holding many minor local offices, he was a lawyer, Deputy Conn. G. C., Treasurer of Yale College, Judge of Superior Court of Conn., Assistant, Delegate to Continental Congress, Signer of Articles of Association, 1774, Signer of Address to King, 1774, Signer of Articles of Confederation, 1776, Member of Committee which drafted Declaration of Independence; Signer of Declaration of Independence, 1776; Mayor of the City of New Haven, Conn., 1784–1793; Member of Constitutional Convention, 1787; Signer of Constitution of the United States, 1787; Representative to U. S. Congress; U. S. Senator. A. M., Yale.
Children: 1st m., John, William, Isaac, Chloe, Oliver, Chloe, Elizabeth; 2nd m., Rebecca, Elizabeth, Roger, Mehitable, Mehitable, Oliver, Martha, Sarah.

11. **Roger Sherman,** b. July 16, 1768, at New Haven, Conn.; d. March 5, 1856, at New Haven, Conn.; m. Sept. 1, 1801, at Canterbury, Conn., to **Susannah Staples** (dau. of Rev. John Staples), b. Aug. 20, 1778, at Canterbury, Conn.; d. Nov. 22, 1855, at New Haven, Conn.

Res. New Haven, Conn. A. B., Yale College, 1787; Member of firm of Prescott & Sherman, merchants of New Haven, Conn.
Children: Oliver, Susan, Martha, Susannah, John Staples, Sophia, Frederick Roger, Edward Standish, George, Benjamin Prescott, Elizabeth Baldwin.

12. **Edward Standish Sherman,** b. Jan. 27, 1818, at New Haven, Conn.; d. Aug. 11, 1882, at Rye, N. Y.; m. July 6, 1852, at Boston, Mass., to **Catharine Augusta Townsend** (dau. of Solomon Davis Townsend and Katherine Wendell Davis), b. March 24, 1823, at Boston, Mass.; d. May 24, 1902, at Rye, N. Y.

Res. New Haven, Conn., New York City and later Rye, N. Y. Metal merchant in New York City.
Children: Thomas Townsend, Kate Wendell, Rose Standish, Harold Edward, Roger Wellington, Reginald Palgrave, Frederick William, Herbert Augustus, Arthur Outram, Henriette Townsend, Alexander Hamilton Vinton.

13. **Thomas Townsend Sherman,** b. July 28, 1853, in London, Eng.; d. ....., at .....; m. Oct. 19, 1887, at Rye, N. Y., to **Anne Loder Wiggin** (dau. of Augustus and Anne Elizabeth (Loder) Wiggin), b. Sept. 24, 1859, at Rye, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Rye, N. Y. Lawyer, member of firm of Evarts, Choate & Sherman, No. 60 Wall St., N. Y. City. A. B., Yale, 1874. LL.B., Columbia, 1876.
Child: Emily Balch.

No. 8. THACHER.....JOHN REYNOLDS TOTTEN

THACHER ARMS: *Gules*, a cross moline *argent*: on a chief *d'or*, three grass-hoppers, *proper*.
CREST: A grass-hopper, *proper*.

1. **Rev. Peter Thacher,** b. ....., about 1545–1549, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng., possibly; d. ....., previous to May 7, 1624, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng.; m. ....., at ....., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng., Vicar Ch. Eng. there 1574-1624.
Children: Peter, Antony, John, Giles, Thomas.

2. **Hon. Antony Thacher,*** b. ....., 1588–9, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng.; d. bet. June 30 and Aug. 22, 1667, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (1) ....., about 1619, at ....., to **Mary** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. July .., 1634, at Salisbury, Co. Wilts, Eng.; m. (2) Feb. .., 1635, at ....., to **Elizabeth Jones,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., subsequent to March 5, 1667–8, at Yarmouth, Mass., probably.

Res. Q. C., Co. Som., Eng., Salisbury, Eng. Came over on *James* 1635. Arr. Boston, Mass., June 4, 1635. Res. at Marblehead, Mass. Set. at Yarmouth, Mass. Dep. G. C. Ply. Col.; Council of War.
Children: 1st m., William, Edith, Mary, Peter, Benjamin; 2nd m., John, Judah, Bethiah.

NOTE: * Descendants eligible to Soc. of Colonial Wars.

THACHER—*Continued.*

3. **Hon. Col. John Thacher,*** b. March 17, 1638–9, at Marblehead, Mass.; d. May 8, 1713, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (1) Nov. 6, 1661, at Marshfield, Mass., to **Rebecca Winslow,** b. July 15, 1643, at Marshfield, Mass.; d. July 15, 1683, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (2) Jan. 1, 1683–4, at Yarmouth, Mass., to **Lydia Gorham,**† b. Nov. 6, 1661, at Barnstable, Mass.; d. Aug. 2, 1744, at Yarmouth, Mass.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass. Dep. and Asst. G. C. Ply. Col. Asst. Com. Mass. Col. in Mil. Service. J. P.

Children: 1st m., Peter, Josiah, Rebecca, Bethiah, John, Elizabeth, Hannah, Mary, child, sex not stated; 2nd m., Lydia, Mary, Desire, Hannah, Mercy, Judah, Mercy, Ann, Joseph, Benjamin, Mercy, Thomas.

4. **Deacon Josiah Thacher,** b. April 26, 1667, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. May 12, 1701 or 1702, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. Feb 25, 1690–1, at Yarmouth, Mass., to **Mary Hedge,** b. March .., 1671, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. ..... at .....; she is bur. at Yarm., Mass.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass. Deacon in church there.

Children: Anthony, Rebecca, Mary, Elisha, Josiah.

5. **Capt. Josiah Thacher,** b. July 7, 1701, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. Aug. 22, 1780, at Norwalk, Conn.; m. (1) Feb. 17, 1724, at Norwalk, Conn.. to **Ann Burne,** b. March 25, 1699, at .....; d. Feb. 25, 1733–4, at Norwalk, Conn.; m. (2) Aug. 7 (or Sept. 15), 1735, at Boston, Mass., to **Mary Greenleaf-Blinn** (wid. James Blinn), b. Aug. 29 (or Sept. 25), 1706, at Cambridge, Mass.; d. April 2 (or 6), 1774, at Norwalk, Conn.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass. Set. at Norwalk, Conn. Sea captain. Large land owner in Norwalk, Conn.

Children: 1st m., Ann, Josiah, Ann, Mary; 2nd m., Elizabeth, Daniel, John, Hannah, Elizabeth, Stephen Greenleaf.

6. **Capt. John Thacher,**‡ b. July 25, 1742, at Norwalk, Conn.; d. Jan. 16, 1805, at Stratford, Conn.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Ann Perry,** b. Feb. 19, 1744, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) ....., 1777–8, at Stratford, Conn. (prob.), to **Mehitable Ufford-Thompson** (wid. of Lieut. William Thompson); b. March 16, 1745, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Sept. 6, 1807, at Litchfield, Conn.

Res. Norwalk, New Milford, Conn. Settled at Stratford, Conn. Capt. Rev. War, wounded and taken prisoner Valcour's Island, Oct. 11, 1776, paroled and exchanged.

Children: 1st m., Partridge, Stephen Greenleaf, Betsey; 2nd m., Anthony, Mehitable, Anthony, Mehitable, Daniel.

7. **Anthony Thatcher,** b. Jan. 7, 1782, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Dec. 26, 1844, at New London, Conn.; m. Feb. 24, 1806, at New London, Conn., to **Lucretia Christophers Mumford,** b. Aug. 10, 1785, at Salem, Conn.; d. April 6, 1871, at New London, Ct.

Res. New London, Conn, Cashier New London Bank.

Children: Nathaniel Woodbridge, Lucretia Mumford, Mary Woodbridge, John Christophers, Eloise Hardy, George Thompson, Daniel Anthony, Henry Perkins, Abby Mumford, Julia Hubbell, Elizabeth Wetmore, Mary Perkins, Anthony, Antoinette.

8. **Julia Hubbell Thatcher,** b. March 6, 1823, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 31, 1906, at New London, Conn.; m. Dec. 5, 1843, at New London, Conn., to **Gen. James Totten,** U. S. Army; b. Sept. 11, 1818, at Cincinnati, Ohio; d. Oct. 1, 1871, at Sedalia, Mo.

Res. various posts in service U. S. Army. U. S. M. A. 1841. Lieut. Col. and Inspector General U. S. A. Served Mexican and Civil Wars.

Children: William Anthony, Charles Adelle Lewis, John Reynolds.

9. **John Reynolds Totten,** b. Barrancas Barracks, Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 4, 1856; d. ....., at .....; m. Sept. 5, 1889, at Garrisons-on-Hudson, N. Y., to **Elma Smythe Preston-Van Voorhis** (wid. of Arthur Van Voorhis), b. Jan. 10, 1862, at Evansville, Ind.; d. ....., at .....

Res. various posts U. S. Army and New York City. U. S. M. A., 1878, 1st Lieut. 4th U. S. Artillery. Resigned from U. S. Army April 1st, 1891. Mem. Soc. Sons of Rev., Soc. M. F. D., Soc. Col. Wars, N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Soc., N. E. Hist.-Gen. Soc., New London County, Conn., Hist. Soc., Soc. American Wars.

Children: none.

NOTES: * Descendants eligible to Soc. of Colonial Wars. † Descendants eligible to Soc. of Mayflower Descendants. ‡ Descendants eligible to Soc. of Sons of the Revolution.

No. 9. **CHRISTOPHERS.....JOHN REYNOLDS TOTTEN**

1. **Hon. Christopher Christophers,** b. ....., about 1631, at Devonshire, Eng., prob.; d. July 23, 1687, in 56th year, at New London, Conn.; m, (1) ....., in Eng., prob., to **Mary** ....., b. ....., 1621, in Eng., prob.; d. July 13, 1676, at New London, Conn., aged 55; m. (2) ....., 1677 or 1678, at New London, Conn., to **Elizabeth (Brewster) Bradley** (wid. of Peter Bradley of New London, Conn., and dau. of Jonathan and Lucretia (Oldham) Brewster of New London, Conn.), she b. May 1, 1637, at Duxbury, Mass.; d. ....., 1708, at New London, Conn.

Res. Devonshire, Eng., New London, Conn. Dep. to G. C. Col. of Conn., from New London, 1683 and 1685.

Children: 1st m., Richard, John, Mary; 2nd m., two (2), sex not stated, both b. previous to 1674, and both supposed to have d. in infancy.

2. **Hon. Richard Christophers,** b. July 13, 1662, at Cherston Ferrers, on Torbay, near Dartmouth, Devonshire, Eng.; d. June 9, 1726, at New London, Conn.; m. (1) Jan. 26, 1681, at New London, Conn., to **Lucretia Bradley,** b. Aug. 16, 1660 or 1661, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 7, 1690–1, at New London, Conn.; m. (2) Sept. 3, 1691, at New London, Conn., to **Grace Turner,** b. June 5, 1663, at Scituate, Mass.; d. June 1, 1734, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn. Merchant, mariner, Town Clerk, N. L., 1701–1706; Dep. G. C, Conn.; Asst. G. C.; J. P.; Judge of County Court; Judge of Probate; Judge of Superior Court of Conn.; one of the most important men in the Colony.

Children: 1st m., Christopher, Richard, Peter, John; 2nd m., Joseph, Mary, Jonathan, Grace, ... (son), Lydia, Eury (or Benie), Ruth, Joanna, Lucretia, Lucy.

CHRISTOPHERS—*Continued.*

3. **Hon. Capt. Christopher Christophers,** b. Dec. 2, 1682 (or 1683), at New London, Conn.; d. Feb. 5, 1728–9, at New London, Conn.; m. Jan. 22, 1711–12, at New Haven, Conn., to **Sarah Prout,** b. Jan. 7, 1683–4, at New Haven, Conn.; d. April 18, 1745, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn. Commissary of Colony; Member of Governor's Council; Naval Officer, Port of New London; Capt. in Militia; Dep. and Asst. to G. C.; Judge of Probate.

Children: Peter, Mary, Christopher, John, Sarah, Lucretia, Lydia, Margaret.

4. **John Christophers,** b. Feb. 27, 1718–19, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 15, 1787, at .....; m. (1) March 7, 1741–2, at New London, Conn, to **Jerusha Gardiner,** b. Oct. 6, 1722, at New London, Conn.; d. Feb. 18, 1754, at New London, Conn.; m. (2) ....., before 1764, at ....., to **Elizabeth Manwaring,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) Nov. 10, 1768, at Norwich, Conn., to **Sybel (Capron) Crocker** (wid. of Capt. Roswell Crocker); she b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New London, Black Point, and Norwich, Conn. Member First Church of Christ, New London, Conn., from which he dissented.

Children: 1st m., John, Richard, Mary, Peter, Lucretia; 2nd m., Samuel, Elizabeth; 3rd m., none that are known of.

5. **Lucretia Christophers,** b. Jan. 19, 1749–50, at New London, Conn.; d. March 19, 1825, at New London, Conn.; m. May 13, 1770, at New London, Conn., to **John Mumford, Jr.,** b. Dec. 3, 1740, at South Kingston, R. I.; d. July 14, 1825, at New London, Conn.

Res. "Elm Grove" Farm, Salem (Lyme), Conn., and New London, Conn. Large land owner in Salem, Conn.; Agent for Col. William Browne, the Tory Governor of Bermuda.

Children: Elizabeth, Mary, Lucretia, Catherine, Sarah, Lucretia Christophers.

6. **Lucretia Christophers Mumford,** b. Aug. 10, 1785, at Salem, Conn.; d. April 6, 1871, at New London, Conn.; m. Feb. 24, 1806, at New London, Conn., to **Anthony Thatcher,** b. Jan. 7, 1782, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Dec. 26, 1844, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn, Cashier New London Bank.

Children: Nathaniel Woodbridge, Lucretia Mumford, Mary Woodbridge, John Christophers, Eloise Hardy, George Thompson, Daniel Anthony, Henry Perkins, Abby Mumford, Julia Hubbell, Elizabeth Wetmore, Mary Perkins, Anthony, Antoinette.

7. **Julia Hubbell Thatcher,** b. March 6, 1823, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 31, 1906, at New London, Conn.; m. Dec. 5, 1843, at New London, Conn., to **Gen. James Totten,** U. S. Army; b. Sept. 11, 1818, at Cincinnati, Ohio; d. Oct. 1, 1871, at Sedalia, Mo.

Res. various posts in service U. S. Army. U. S. M. A. 1841. Lieut. Col. and Inspector General U. S. A. Served Mexican and Civil Wars.

Children: William Anthony, Charles Adelle Lewis, John Reynolds.

8. **John Reynolds Totten,** b. Barrancas Barracks, Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 4, 1856; d. ....., at .....; m. Sept. 5, 1889, at Garrisons-on-Hudson, N. Y., to **Elma Smythe Preston-Van Voorhis** (wid. of Arthur Van Voorhis), b. Jan. 10, 1862, at Evansville, Ind.; d. ....., at .....

Res. various posts U. S. Army and New York City.

Children: none.

No. 10. BREWSTER.....JOHN REYNOLDS TOTTEN

1. **William Brewster,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., in the summer of 1590, at Scrooby, Nottinghamshire, Eng., estate administered by son William in 1590; m. ....., at ....., to **Prudence** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., subsequent to her husband, at Scrooby, Eng., prob.

Res. Scrooby, Eng. "Post" (*i. e.*, Postmaster) at Scrooby, Eng., by appointment of the Crown; appointed by Archbishop Sandys of York; receiver of Scrooby and all its liberties in Nottinghamshire and also Bailiff of the Manor House to hold office for life on Jan. .., 1575–6.

Child: William.

2. **Elder William Brewster,** b. ....., 1566–7, at Scrooby, Eng.; d April 10, 1643, at Plymouth, Mass.; m. ....., at ....., to **Mary** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. April 17, 1627, at Plymouth, Mass.

Res. Scrooby, Eng.; matriculated at Peter House College, Cambridge University, Eng., Dec. 3, 1580, but did not take his degree; served as an assistant of William Davison, Secretary of State to Queen Elizabeth; returned to Scrooby where he was appointed, about 1591, Postmaster to succeed his father and held office there until Sept. 30, 1607; removed to Holland and settled in Leiden until 1620; came over on first voyage of the *Mayflower*; 4th Signer of the "Mayflower Compact," Nov. 11, 1620 (old style); Elder and Spiritual Guide of the Pilgrim Fathers.

Children: Jonathan, Patience, Fear, a child, sex not stated, that died and was buried in Leiden, Love, Wrestling.

3. **Hon. Jonathan Brewster,** b. Aug. 12, 1593, at Scrooby, Eng.; d. Aug. 7, 1659 (1661 according to Caulkin's *New London;* also see *Conn. Col. Records*, vol. i, p. 362), at Poquetannock (near New London), Conn.; m. April 10, 1624, at ....., to **Lucretia Oldham,** b. ....., at .....; d. March 4, 1678–9, at Poquetannock, Conn.

Res. Arrived on ship *Fortune*, Nov. 9, 1621; lived at Plymouth and Duxbury, Mass., and New London (Poquetannock), Conn. Dep. G. C. Ply. Col., 1639, 1641, 1642, 1643; removed to New London, Conn., in 1649; Dep. G. C. Col. Conn., 1650, 1655, 1656, 1657, 1658; Asst. G. C. Col. Conn., 1657.

Children: William, Mary, Jonathan, Benjamin, Elizabeth, Ruth, Grace, Hannah.

BREWSTER—*Continued.*

4. **Elizabeth Brewster,** b. May 1, 1637, at Duxbury, Mass.; d. ....., 1708, at New London, Conn.; m. (1) Sept. 7, 1653, to **Peter Bradley,** b. ....., at .....; d. April 3, 1662, at "Flushen," L. I., prob., as his inventory was taken there June .., 1662; m. (2) ....., 1677–1678, at New London, Conn., to **Hon. Christopher Christophers,** as his second wife. He b. ....., about 1631, in Devonshire, Eng. prob.; d. July 23, 1687, in 56th year, in New London, Conn. His first wife was Mary ....., who d. July 13, 1676, at New London, Conn., aged 55.

Res. Her 1st husband resided in New London, and was a mariner in the coasting trade along Long Island Sound. Her 2nd husband resided in New London, Conn., and was a Deputy to the G. C. Col. Conn. from New London, 1683 and 1685.

Children: 1st m. (Bradley), Elizabeth, Hannah, Peter, Lucretia; 2nd m. (Christophers), two (2), sex not stated, both born previous to 1674, and both supposed to have died in infancy.

5. **Lucretia Bradley,** b. Aug. 16, 1660 or 1661, at New London ,Conn.; d. Jan. 7, 1690–1, at New London, Conn.; m. Jan. 26, 1681, at New London, Conn., to **Hon. Richard Christophers,** b. July 13, 1662, at Cherston Ferrers, on Torbay, near Dartmouth, Devonshire, Eng.; d. June 9, 1726, at New London, Conn. He m. (2) Sept. 3, 1691, at New London, Conn., to **Grace Turner,** b. June 5, 1663, at Scituate, Mass., d. June 1, 1734, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn. Merchant, mariner, Town Clerk, N. L., 1701–1706; Dep. G. C, Conn.; Asst. G. C.; J. P.; Judge of County Court; Judge of Probate; Judge of Superior Court of Conn.; one of the most important men in the Colony.

Children: 1st m., Christopher, Richard, Peter, John; 2nd m., Joseph, Mary, Jonathan, Grace, ... (son), Lydia, Eury (or Benie), Ruth, Joanna, Lucretia, Lucy.

6. **Hon. Capt. Christopher Christophers,** b. Dec. 2, 1682 (or 1683), at New London, Conn.; d. Feb. 5, 1728–9, at New London, Conn.; m. Jan. 22, 1711–12, at New Haven, Conn., to **Sarah Prout,** b. Jan. 7, 1683–4, at New Haven, Conn.; d. April 18, 1745, at New London, Conn.

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Children: Peter, Mary, Christopher, John, Sarah, Lucretia, Lydia, Margaret.

7. **John Christophers,** b. Feb. 27, 1718–19, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 15, 1787, at .....; m. (1) March 7, 1741–2, at New London, Conn, to **Jerusha Gardiner,** b. Oct. 6, 1722, at New London, Conn.; d. Feb. 18, 1754, at New London, Conn.; m. (2) ....., before 1764, at ....., to **Elizabeth Manwaring,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) Nov. 10, 1768, at Norwich, Conn., to **Sybel (Capron) Crocker** (wid. of Capt. Roswell Crocker); she b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New London, Black Point, and Norwich, Conn. Member First Church of Christ, New London, Conn., from which he dissented.

Children: 1st m., John, Richard, Mary, Peter, Lucretia; 2nd m., Samuel, Elizabeth; 3rd m., none that are known of.

8. **Lucretia Christophers,** b. Jan. 19, 1749–50, at New London, Conn.; d. March 19, 1825, at New London, Conn.; m. May 13, 1770, at New London, Conn., to **John Mumford, Jr.,** b. Dec. 3, 1740, at South Kingston, R. I.; d. July 14, 1825, at New London, Conn.

Res. "Elm Grove" Farm, Salem (Lyme), Conn., and New London, Conn. Large land owner in Salem, Conn.; Agent for Col. William Browne, the Tory Governor of Bermuda.

Children: Elizabeth, Mary, Lucretia, Catherine, Sarah, Lucretia Christophers.

9. **Lucretia Christophers Mumford,** b. Aug. 10, 1785, at Salem, Conn.; d. April 6, 1871, at New London, Conn.; m. Feb. 24, 1806, at New London, Conn., to **Anthony Thatcher,** b. Jan. 7, 1782, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Dec. 26, 1844, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn, Cashier New London Bank.

Children: Nathaniel Woodbridge, Lucretia Mumford, Mary Woodbridge, John Christophers, Eloise Hardy, George Thompson, Daniel Anthony, Henry Perkins, Abby Mumford, Julia Hubbell, Elizabeth Wetmore, Mary Perkins, Anthony, Antoinette.

10. **Julia Hubbell Thatcher,** b. March 6, 1823, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 31, 1906, at New London, Conn.; m. Dec. 5, 1843, at New London, Conn., to **Gen. James Totten,** U. S. Army; b. Sept. 11, 1818, at Cincinnati, Ohio; d. Oct. 1, 1871, at Sedalia, Mo.

Res. various posts in service U. S. Army. U. S. M. A. 1841. Lieut. Col. and Inspector General U. S. A. Served Mexican and Civil Wars.

Children: William Anthony, Charles Adelle Lewis, John Reynolds.

11. **John Reynolds Totten,** b. Barrancas Barracks, Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 4, 1856; d. ....., at .....; m. Sept. 5, 1889, at Garrisons-on-Hudson, N. Y., to **Elma Smythe Preston-Van Voorhis** (wid. of Arthur Van Voorhis), b. Jan. 10, 1862, at Evansville, Ind.; d. ....., at .....

Res. various posts U. S. Army and New York City.

Children: none.

No. 11. **GARDINER**.....JOHN REYNOLDS TOTTEN

1. **Lion Gardiner,** b. ....., about 1559, at ....., Eng.; d. ....., 1663, aged 64, at Easthampton, N. Y.; m. ....., at ....., to **Mary Wilemson Deurcant,** b. ....., about 1601, at Woredon, Holland; d. ....., subsequent to 1665, aged 64, at .....

Res. Gardiner's Island, Long Island Sound, N. Y. First proprietor of Gardiner's Island.

Children: David, Mary, Elizabeth.

GARDINER—*Continued.*

2. **David Gardiner,** b. April 29, 1636, at Saybrooke Fort, Conn. Colony; d. July 10, 1689, at Hartford, Conn.; m. June 4, 1657, at ....., to **Mary** (.....) **Leringham** (wid.); at the time of her marriage to David Gardiner she was a member of the Parish of St. Margaret in the City of Westminster, Eng.; b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Gardiner's Island, Long Island Sound, N. Y. Second proprietor of Gardiner's Island.
Children: John, David, Lion, Elizabeth.

3. **John Gardiner,** b. April 19, 1661, at .....; d. June 25, 1738, at Groton, Conn.; m. (1) ....., 1691, at ....., to **Mary King,** b. Aug. 7, 1669, at .....; d. July 4, 1707, aged 37, at .....; m. (2) Sept. 2, 1708, at ....., to **Sarah Chandler-Coit** (dau. of John and Elizabeth (Douglass) Chandler of Woodstock, Conn., and wid. of William Coit of New London, Conn.), b. Nov. 19, 1676, at .....; d. July 3, 1711, at .....; m. (3) July 13, ..., at ....., to **Elizabeth Allyn-Allen** (dau. of John Allyn and wid. of Alexander Allen of Woodstock, Conn.), b. Dec. 1, 1669, at .....; d. ....., on Gardiner's Island; m. (4) Oct. 4, 1733, at ....., to **Elizabeth Hedges-Osborne** (dau. of Stephen Hedges and wid. of Daniel Osborne of Easthampton, L. I.), b. ....., at .....; d. May 19, 1747, aged 64, at .....

Res. Gardiner's Island, Long Island Sound, N. Y. Third proprietor of Gardiner's Island.
Children: 1st m., David, John, Samuel, Joseph, Hannah, Mary, Elizabeth; 2nd m., Jonathan, Sarah; 3rd m., none; 4th m., none.

4. **John Gardiner,** b. ....., 1693, at .....; d. Jan. 19, 1724–5, at New London, Conn.; m. May 6, 1716, at New London, Conn., to **Sarah Saltonstall,** b. April 8, 1694, at New London, Conn.; d. ....., at ..... She m. (2) Jan. 1, 1727, at New London, Conn., to Samuel Davis, b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; she m. (3) July 4, 1737, at New London, Conn., to Thomas Davis, b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New London, Conn. Merchant and School Teacher in New London. Yale College, 1711.
Children (Gardiner): Elizabeth, Jerusha, Jerusha, John.

5. **Jerusha Gardiner,** b. Oct. 6, 1723, at .....; d. Feb. 18, 1754, at New London, Conn.; m. March 7, 1741–2, at New London, Conn., to **John Christophers,** b. Feb. 27, 1718–9, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 15, 1787, at ..... He m. (2) ....., before 1764, at ....., to **Elizabeth Manwaring** (dau. of Thomas and Esther (Christophers) Manwaring of Lyme, Conn.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) Nov. 10, 1768, at Norwich, Conn, to **Sybel (Capron) Crocker,** of Norwich, Conn. (wid. of Capt. Roswell Crocker), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New London, Black Point, and Norwich, Conn. Member First Church of Christ, New London, Conn., from which he dissented.
Children: 1st m., John, Richard, Mary, Peter, Lucretia; 2nd m., Samuel, Elizabeth; 3rd m., none that are known of.

6. **Lucretia Christophers,** b. Jan. 19, 1749–50, at New London, Conn.; d. March 19, 1825, at New London, Conn.; m. May 13, 1770, at New London, Conn., to **John Mumford, Jr.,** b. Dec. 3, 1740, at South Kingston, R. I.; d. July 14, 1825, at New London, Conn.

Res. "Elm Grove" Farm, Salem (Lyme), Conn., and New London, Conn. Large land owner in Salem, Conn.; Agent for Col. William Browne, the Tory Governor of Bermuda.
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Res. New London, Conn, Cashier New London Bank.
Children: Nathaniel Woodbridge, Lucretia Mumford, Mary Woodbridge, John Christophers, Eloise Hardy, George Thompson, Daniel Anthony, Henry Perkins, Abby Mumford, Julia Hubbell, Elizabeth Wetmore, Mary Perkins, Anthony, Antoinette.

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Children: William Anthony, Charles Adelle Lewis, John Reynolds.

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Res. various posts U. S. Army and New York City.
Children: none.

No. 12. **SALTONSTALL**.....JOHN REYNOLDS TOTTEN

1. **Gilbert Saltonstall,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., at ....., Eng.; m. ....., in Eng., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Halifax, Yorkshire, Eng.
Child: Samuel.

SALTONSTALL—*Continued.*

2. **Samuel Saltonstall,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. Jan. 8, 1612–13, at ....., Eng.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Anne Ramsden** (dau. of John Ramsden of Longley, Esq.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Ogden** (dau. of Thomas Ogden), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Armine** (wid. of Hugh Armine, Mayor of Hull, Eng.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Owned Rookes and Huntwicke. In 40th Elizabeth (1597), he made fine of heriot for the ancient lands in Saltonstall. In 1599 Winter-Edge Hall at Hipperholme was held of the Crown in fee by him, also Rogerthorpe in Badsworth. He died 8th of Jan., 1612–13, and was buried in Holy Trinity Church in Hull, Eng. Will dated Dec. 31, 1612, proved July 22, 1613, when he calls himself of Kingston-upon-Hull. Watson in his *History of Halifax* calls him "Sir Samuel" and thinks that he was knighted.

Children: 1st m., Richard, Gilbert; 2nd m., Samuel, John, Thomas, Anne, Elizabeth, George, Mary, Margaret, Barbara; 3rd m., none recorded.

3. **Sir Richard Saltonstall,** b. March .., 1586, at Halifax, Eng.; bap. at Halifax, Eng.. April 4, 1586; d. ....., about 1658, at ....., Eng.; m. (1) ....., at ....., Eng., to **Grace Kaye** (dau. of Robert Kaye of Woodsome, Esq., and aunt of Sir John Kaye; the Kayes were a very ancient family of Yorkshire), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., before 1630, at ....., Eng.; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth West** (dau. of Sir Thomas West [Lord Delaware, 1602]), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Martha Wilfred,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Came over in 1630 and settled in Watertown, Mass.; returned to England in 1631. First Assistant and First Associate Massachusetts Bay Company, Original patentee of Conn., with Lord Say and Seal and Lord Brook and others.

Children: 1st m., Richard, Rosamond, Grace, Robert, Samuel, Henry, Peter(?); 2nd m., none; 3rd m., none.

4. **Hon. Richard Saltonstall,** b. ....., 1610, at Woodsome, Yorkshire, Eng.; d. April 29, 1694, at Hulme, Lancaster Co., Eng.; m. June .., 1633, at ....., Eng., to **Muriel Gurdon** (dau. of Brampton Gurdon of Assington, Suffolk, Esq., by his wife Muriel Sedley), b. ....., 1613, at ....., Eng.; d. ....., 1694; at .....

Res. He matriculated as "Mr. Fellow Commoner" at Emmanuel College, Cambridge, Eng., Dec. 14, 1627. He came with his father to New England in 1630, before takihg his degree. He was admitted a Freeman, May 18, 1631. He returned to England in 1631 where he was married. He returned to New England in 1635 on the *Susan and Ellen* with his wife, then aged 22, and his daughter Muriel aged 9 mos. Resided at Ipswich, Mass. Deputy to G. C., 1635–7; Assistant to G. C., 1637–1649, 1664 and 1680–1683.

Children: Muriel, Richard, Nathaniel, Gurdon, Abigail, Elizabeth.

5. **Col. Nathaniel Saltonstall,** b. ....., 1639, about, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. May 21, 1707, at Haverhill, Mass.; m. Dec. 28, 1663, at ....., to **Elizabeth Ward** (dau. of Rev. John and Alice (Edmunds) Ward of Haverhill, Mass.), b. April 1 (7 or 9), 1647, at Haverhill, Mass.; d. April 29 (or 19), 1714, at Haverhill, Mass.

Res. Haverhill, Mass. Harvard College, 1659. Freeman, Haverhill, 1665; Rep. G. C., 1666, 1669–1671; Town Clerk, Haverhill, 1679–1686; Col. Essex Regiment; Asst. G. C., 1679–1686 and 1689–1692; Member of the Council; Judge of Oyer and Terminer, 1692, and refused to serve on Witchcraft Trials.

Children: Gurdon, Elizabeth, Richard, Nathaniel, John.

6. **Gov. Gurdon Saltonstall,** b. March 27, 1666, at Haverhill, Mass.; d. Sept. 20, 1724, at New London, Conn.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Jerusha Richards** (dau. of James and Sarah (Gibbons) Richards of Hartford, Conn.), b. June 28, 1665, at .....; d. July 25, 1697, at Boston, Mass.; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Rosewell** (only child of William Rosewell of Branford, Conn.), b. ....., at .....; d. Sept. 12, 1710, at New London, Conn; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Mary Whittingham-Clarke** (dau. of William Whittingham and wid. of William Clarke of Boston), b. ....., at .....; d. Jan. 23, 1729–30, at Boston, Mass.

Res. New London, Conn. Ordained Minister at New London, Nov. 25, 1691. Elected Governor of Conn., Jan. 1, 1708, and served as such until his death. Harvard College, 1684.

Children: 1st m., Elizabeth, Mary, Sarah, Jerusha, Gurdon; 2nd m., Rosewell, Katherine, Nathaniel, Gurdon, Richard; 3rd m., none.

7. **Sarah Saltonstall,** b. April 8, 1694, at New London, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. (1) May 6, 1716, at New London, Conn., to **John Gardiner,** b. ....., 1693, at .....; d. Jan. 19, 1724–5, at New London, Conn.; she m. (2) Jan. 1, 1727, at New London, Conn., to **Samuel Davis,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; she m. (3) July 4, 1737, at New London, Conn., to **Thomas Davis,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. John Gardiner resided in New London, Conn., where he was a Merchant and School Teacher. Yale College, 1711.

Children (Gardiner): Elizabeth, Jerusha, Jerusha, John.

8. **Jerusha Gardiner,** b. Oct. 6, 1723, at .....; d. Feb. 18, 1754, at New London, Conn.; m. March 7, 1741–2, at New London, Conn., to **John Christophers,** b. Feb. 27, 1718–9, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 15, 1787, at ..... He m. (2) ....., before 1764, at ....., to **Elizabeth Manwaring** (dau. of Thomas and Esther (Christophers) Manwaring of Lyme, Conn.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) Nov. 10, 1768, at Norwich, Conn, to **Sybel (Capron) Crocker,** of Norwich, Conn. (wid. of Capt. Roswell Crocker), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New London, Black Point, and Norwich, Conn. Member First Church of Christ, New London, Conn., from which he dissented.

Children: 1st m., John, Richard, Mary, Peter, Lucretia; 2nd m., Samuel, Elizabeth; 3rd m., none that are known of.

9. **Lucretia Christophers,** b. Jan. 19, 1749–50, at New London, Conn.; d. March 19, 1825, at New London, Conn.; m. May 13, 1770, at New London, Conn., to **John Mumford, Jr.,** b. Dec. 3, 1740, at South Kingston, R. I.; d. July 14, 1825, at New London, Conn.

Res. "Elm Grove" Farm, Salem (Lyme), Conn., and New London, Conn. Large land owner in Salem, Conn.; Agent for Col. William Browne, the Tory Governor of Bermuda.

Children: Elizabeth, Mary, Lucretia, Catherine, Sarah, Lucretia Christophers.

(*To be continued.*)

EDITORIAL.

ALBANY, N. Y., DUTCH CHURCH RECORDS.

The publication of these invaluable early records, from the 1st entries up to circa 1800, begun by the Holland Society of N. Y. in its year books in 1904, will, we are informed, be completed by the publication of the year books 1907–1911 which, it is hoped, will all be issued this year. It is, we are told, contemplated to re-publish 250 copies of the church record in a separate volume. But it is to be regretted that in consequence of the, we hope, temporary failure of the eyesight of Mr. Versteeg, the genealogist and historian of the Society, the monumental indices prepared by him for the year books already published will for the remaining years be much curtailed or generalized.

SOCIETY PROCEEDINGS.

The 42nd Annual Meeting of this Society was held in the Society's Hall at 8.30 P. M., Friday, January 13, 1911. President Mr. Clarence W. Bowen, in the Chair. The speaker of the evening, Mr. Josiah Collins Pumpelly, A. M., L L. B., was then introduced and thereupon delivered a most interesting address on the "Historical Sketches of the Hampton Settlements on Long Island." On the conclusion of Mr. Pumpelly's address, Mr. James Benedict voiced the sentiment of the meeting in the most complimentary terms regarding Mr. Pumpelly's address and moved that the thanks of the Society be tendered him therefor, which motion being duly seconded was unanimously carried.

The following elections to membership were thereupon announced: Edwin Mortimer Blake, N. Y. City, Annual Member, proposed by John R. Totten; John Adams Church, N. Y. City, Annual Member, proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs; Henry Everett Darling, N. Y. City, Annual Member, proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs; Mrs. Theodore de Laporte, Rhinebeck, N. Y., Annual Member, proposed by John R. Totten; Frank Barnard King, N. Y. City, Annual Member, proposed by Rufus King; Alfred Emory Lister, Scranton, Pa., Annual Member, proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs; William Alfred Robbins, Brooklyn, N. Y., Annual Member, proposed by John R. Totten; Myles Standish, N. Y. City, Annual Member, proposed by Clarence W. Bowen; Mrs. George Luther Whitman, N. Y. City, Annual Member, proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs.

The Annual Reports of the Treasurer, Secretary, Chairman of the Executive Committee, Necrologist, Registrar of Pedigrees and Historian, were read and ordered on file.

The Publication Committee and Committee on Heraldry made no report.

The report of the Nominating Committee was received and accepted, and no other nominations being presented and no ballot demanded the Secretary was directed to cast one ballot for the following Trustees who were thereupon duly reported as elected. Trustees for the term ending 1914, namely: Howland Pell, Warner Van Norden, Henry Pierson Gibson, Ellsworth Everett Dwight and Clarence Winthrop Bowen.

The Secretary reported the following deaths of members which had been reported since the December Meeting of the Society: Cephas Brainerd, Thomas Chalmers Brainerd, Clinton Gardner Harris.

The meeting then adjourned for refreshments.

The January Meeting of the Board of Trustees took place at the Society's office on January 17th, 1911, at 4.00 P. M. The President, Mr. Bowen in the Chair. The Board proceeded to the election of Officers for the coming year, which resulted in the election of the following named Officers and Committees:

President	Clarence Winthrop Bowen
First Vice-President . . .	William B. Osgood Field
Second Vice-President . . .	William Isaac Walker

Chairman Executive Committee .	John Reynolds Totten
Secretary	Henry Russell Drowne
Treasurer	Hopper Striker Mott
Librarian	George Austin Morrison, Jr.
Historian	William Austin Macy, M. D.
Necrologist	Richard Henry Greene
Registrar of Pedigrees	Winchester Fitch

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

John Reynolds Totten, Ch'n.	George Austin Morrison, Jr.
William B. O. Field	William Isaac Walker
Henry P. Gibson	President and Treasurer Ex-Officio

PUBLICATION COMMITTEE

Hopper Striker Mott	John R. Totten
Henry Cole Quinby	Everett Law Zabriskie
Tobias Alexander Wright	George Austin Morrison, Jr.
Josiah Collins Pumpelly	Richard Henry Greene
Frederick Gregory Mather	Walter Kenneth Griffin
William A. Robbins	

COMMITTEE ON HERALDRY

Charles Pryer, Ch'n.	Howland Pell
William Armstrong Crozier	Charles Landon Jones

COMMITTEE ON RESEARCH

William Austin Macy, M. D., Chairman.
Rev. John Cornell, for Southern Rhode Island.
George W. Cocks, for Long Island.
John E. Stillwell, M. D., for Monmouth Co., N. J.
Hon A. T. Clearwater, for Ulster Co., N. Y.
Miss Lucy D. Akerly, for Suffolk Co., N. Y.
Tobias A. Wright, for Washington Co., N. Y.
Edward Myers, for Westchester Co., N. Y.
William M. du Bois, for White Plains, N. Y.
Mrs. Charles D. Ward, for Oswego, N. Y.
Rufus King, for Suffolk Co., N. Y.
William A. Macy, M. D., for Seneca Co., N. Y.
Charles Landon Jones, for Litchfield Co., Ct.
Evelyn Briggs Baldwin.

The Corresponding Members remaining on the Roll for 1910 were re-elected for 1911.

On motion a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Hopper Striker Mott for the great excellence of his work as Treasurer of the Society for the year 1910 and also for the marked improvement of "THE RECORD" under his editorial management. Carried.

A special committee was appointed by the President to examine and report upon present condition of the Society's Library and to make recommendations to the next meeting of the Board of Trustees as to desired improvements in said Library conditions. After the transaction of other routine business the meeting adjourned.

The regular February meeting of the Society was held on Friday evening, February 10th, 1911. The President, Mr. Bowen, in the Chair. The guest of the evening was Maj. Gen. Frederick Dent Grant, U. S. A., who was introduced to the meeting by the President and who thereupon delivered a most interestting lecture on the subject "The First Meeting of Grant and Lincoln." After the completion of Gen. Grant's address Gen. Daniel Sickles favored the audience with most interesting remarks pertinent thereto, after which a motion of thanks duly seconded was passed felicitating the Society on being privileged to hear the most interesting reminisences of General Grant and the comments thereon, which motion was unanimously carried.

The following elections to membership were duly announced: Walter Kenneth Griffin, N. Y. City, Annual Member, proposed by John R. Totten; Mrs.

Edward Searle, N. Y. City, Annual Member, proposed by Mrs. R. D. Bristol; Frederick Julian Stimson, N. Y. City, Annual Member, proposed by Edward Truex Platt.

The following deaths have been recorded since the January Meeting: Louis Ross Alberger, Theodore Frelinghuysen Reed.

The meeting then adjourned for refreshments.

A Special Meeting of the Society was held on Wednesday afternoon, February 22nd, 1911 at 4.00 P. M. The President, Mr. Bowen, in the Chair. The guest of the occasion, Gen. James Grant Wilson, D. C. L., formerly President of this Society, was introduced by Mr. Bowen and delivered to the audience an address entitled "Washington and his English Ancestors." The address was most interesting and was received by the audience with much enthusiasm. Gen. Wilson exhibited as pertinent to his remarks two recently executed oil paintings of Sulgrave Manor, the old English home of the Washingtons and the interior of St. James' Church, Sulgrave, which with other relics exhibited added interest to his remarks. An old Toddy Ladle formerly belonging to Gen. Washington was likewise exhibited by the Rev. G. Monroe Royce. Upon completion of the address a vote of thanks was tendered to Gen. Wilson for his most interesting remarks by John Denison Champlin which was duly seconded and carried unanimously.

The following deaths of members were reported as having taken place since the last meeting: Mrs. Benjamin Doughty Hicks; Mrs. Ebenezer Scofield.

The meeting then adjourned for refreshments.

QUERIES.

SMITH.—Nathan Smith, born Haddam, Ct,, 1730; died 1783; married Mary Thomas, born 1735, died 1819. Did they have a son David who married his cousin Jane Smith, daughter of Matthias? Particularly want ancestry of David, who had sons Israel, Amos, John D., Alanson, David and daughter Jane.

PALMER.—Who were the parents of Anna Palmer, wife of John Sands, of Peekskill (son of Othniel) born 1761, died 1846?

KETCHAM.—Who were the parents of Martha Ketcham, wife of Othniel Sands, of Peekskill, born 1733, died 1823?

LONGLEY.—Who were the parents of Elizabeth Longley, who married Thomas Peabody. Married Nov. 24, 1770, Boxford, Mass. She died in Shirley, Mass., Feb. 3, 1784?

MISS E. COWING,
24 E. Bayard Street, Seneca Falls, N. Y.

HUNT.—Wanted name of the wife of Benjamin Hunt, who married about the middle of the 18th century a woman, according to *Wyman's Hunt Genealogy*, belonging to Long Island. Persons familiar with the records and vital statistics of Long Island may be able to help me. He was twice married before the Revolution, and by first wife was father of Benjamin Hunt whose license to marry Elizabeth Gidney, Dec. 31, 1778, is mentioned in *Wyman*, p. 170.

A. W. SAVARY, Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia.

BOOK NOTICES.

EDITORIAL NOTE:—The New York Genealogical and Biographical Society solicits as donations to its Library all newly published works on Genealogy, History and Biography, as well as all works on Town, County and State History, or works embodying information regarding the Vital Records of any and all localities. It also solicits the donation to the manuscript collections of its library any and all manuscript compilations which bear upon the above mentioned topics.

In consideration of such donations the works so presented to the Society will be at once placed upon the shelves of its library and will be reviewed in the next subsequent issue of THE NEW YORK GENEALOGICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD, each donation of such character, whether in printed or manuscript form, will be reviewed under the head of "Book Notices" and a copy of THE RECORD containing the review will be sent to the donor.

The Society does *not* solicit donations of publications or manuscripts on topics foreign to the above mentioned subjects, as its library is specialized and cannot accommodate material which does not bear directly upon its recognized sphere of usefulness.

Donations for review in the January issue of THE RECORD should be delivered to the Society before December 1st of the previous year; for the April issue, before March 1st; for the July issue before June 1st; and for the October issue, before September 1st.

All donations will be generously reviewed with a view of calling the attention of the public to their good points; but, while generous, the reviews will contain such proper criticism as the interest of the genealogical student would expect from the editorial staff of THE RECORD.

The "Book Notices" of THE RECORD are carefully read by all librarians as well as genealogical students, and the review of a work in THE RECORD is equivalent to a special advertisement of such work.

Letters of transmittal of donations of such works should embody the price of the work donated and the name and address of the person from whom it can be purchased.

COLVER, CULVER GENEALOGY, by Frederic Lathrop Colver. Cloth, small Octavo, pp. 271, with Index. Press of Frank Allaben Genealogical Co., New York, 1910.

Edward Colver, of Boston, Dedham, and Roxbury, Massachusetts, and of New London and Mystic, Connecticut, was the original American progenitor of this well known family and his descendants have been admirably traced out to the Tenth Generation. Although Mr. Colver modestly calls his work preliminary to a complete printed and illustrated record of the family, it is nevertheless a well conceived and better executed family history, exceptionally arranged according to standard practice, and filled with matter of interest to all related to the original Puritan settler. A sound and discriminating judgment has been shown in setting down the details of each generation and the entire work bears many traces of its careful and exhaustive preparation. The printing of the war records of all of the name who lived in the early States is an excellent idea. The small size of the volume is somewhat unusual in works of like character, but this innovation seems practical as the book takes up little space, and is easy to hold and read. As usual the publishing company has done its share of the labor in most creditable fashion, type, paper and binding being of the best. It may be suggested, however, that the wood-cut title page, is somewhat confusing, and would have been much more legible in good Roman letters.

MEMOIRS AND REMINISCENCES TOGETHER WITH SKETCHES OF THE EARLY HISTORY OF SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY, by Rev. Caspar Schaeffer, M. D., with Notes and Genealogical Record of the Schaeffer, Shaver, or Shafer Family, Compiled by William M. Johnson. Cloth, Large Octavo, pp. 187, Illustrated, Indexed. Privately printed, Hackensack, N. J., 1907.

Caspar Schaeffer, one of the founders of Stillwater, Sussex County, New Jersey, and a Revolutionary Patriot, was the grandfather of the author of this historical sketch, which has never before been published, although local historians have made free use of the manuscripts. The family is descended from a Palatine emigrant who is supposed to have come to Philadelphia on 16 September, 1738, and removed thence to Stillwater, N. J., and the annexed genealogy of his descendants is most complete. The memoirs of the author are full of interest, as are his biographical notices of residents of Sussex County, deceased in 1885. The work is exceedingly well edited, and its typography and binding, above the standard of such publications. As a record of a German family of some distinction it is well worth acquiring by the historical libraries.

THE WATSON GENEALOGY, 1760–1909, by Martha Ziegler Watson. Cloth, Octavo, pp. 101, Illustrated. The Mountain Echo Press, Keyser, West Virginia, 1909.

As the author frankly states, this is a book in letter form and rather in the nature of a compilation of notes and brief extracts than a genealogy in proper form. The first ancestor dealt with, Joseph Watson of Lancaster County, Pa., was born as recently as 1760 and has not been traced to earlier generations. The spirit actuating the collection and publication of these family records is praiseworthy and the value of the facts so preserved will be very great to that descendant who hereafter may be inspired to write a complete family history. The early Watsons were probably of German origin, speaking "Pennsylvania Dutch," and left a long line of honorable and God-fearing descendants.

English Origin of the Eastman Family, by Charles R. Eastman. Octavo, pp. 6. 1910.

This short article appears in *The Granite Monthly* for December, 1910, a New Hampshire Magazine printed at Concord, N. H. (vol. xlii, No. 12) and deals with the ancestry of Roger Eastman, who settled in 1638 at Salisbury, who it appears was a son of Nicholas Eastman of Charlton, near Week and Dourton, Wilts, England. The story of the tracing and discovery of these English ancestors is well told.

Scoville Family Records. Part II, Descendants of Arthur Scovil of Boston, Middletown and Lyme, Conn., by Charles R. Eastman. Cambridge, Mass. Paper, Octavo, pp. 21. Privately printed 1910.

The pamphlet is an outline genealogy, carefully prepared from original records, and is supplementary to Part I, in which the origin of the family in England and known facts in regard to the first American settler are considered. The record is set forth in a scholarly way and is confined to well established facts, without the introduction of so-called traditions. For this reason it will prove a valuable and authentic source from which the future genealogist may draw his facts for the complete history of the family.

Gilbert Thompson. Memorial Papers of the Society of Colonial Wars in District of Columbia No. 5, 1910, by Marcus Benjamin. Paper, Octavo, pp. 16.

The subject of this biography was born at Blackstone, Mass., on March 21st, 1839, and came of sturdy Puritan stock, settled in New England as early as 1632. His ancestors in America distinguished themselves in military service and representatives from every generation of his family were under arms for the defence of either Colony, State or Country, from the landing of the Pilgrims in 1620 to the War with Spain in 1898. The author has written an excellent memorial of one who was a devoted student of historical and genealogical subjects and societies.

Transactions of the Huguenot Society of South Carolina, No. 17. Paper, Octavo, pp. 67. Charleston, S. C., 1910.

This printed record of the addresses, papers read and membership of this association is a welcome addition to Huguenot literature and the idea of printing the ancestral French family name after that of each member is a happy one, as it may aid seekers for French Protestant ancestry to locate their forbears.

The Founding of Charlestown by the Spragues—A Glimpse of the Beginning of the Massachusetts Bay Settlement, by Henry H. Sprague. Paper, Octavo, pp. 39. Press of William B. Clarke Co., Boston, 1910.

A most interesting historical account of the early settlement of Charlestown, Mass., containing many genealogical references and a facsimile copy of the original governing agreement dated 10th of February, 1634. The pamphlet is beautifully printed in large clear type, upon fine paper and is worthy of a more permanent binding.

Captain Thomas Cook, 1752-1841. A Soldier of the Revolution. Edited by William M. Sweeny. Paper, Octavo, pp. 13. 1909.

The record of revolutionary service of this veteran of the great War of Independence is herein set forth in his own deposition, and from the papers on file in the government offices, and will be of invaluable aid to all of his descendants and kin, desiring to claim membership in the great patriotic Societies.

The Portsmouth Race of the Monsons, Munsons, Mansons, by Myron Andrews Munson. Cloth, Small Octavo, pp. 89. With Index. Press of Tuttle Morehouse & Taylor, New Haven, Conn., 1910.

This small volume comprises an account of Richard Monson, of Portsmouth, N. H., 1663, and his descendants, with the first five generations of descendants, (quite a distinct family from that of Capt. Thomas Munson, of Hartford and New Haven), as well as fragments of the Sixth and Seventh Generations. The author is to be congratulated upon this little work, which traces out and perpetuates the genealogy of one bearing the same family name, but not known to be of kin. Genealogies to be useful must be exhaustive and Mr. Munson has unselfishly devoted his time and thought to seggregating and recording these unallied Munson lines. The arrangement and general execution of the genealogy is commendable, following as it does the standard form.

My Forefathers—Their History from Records and Traditions, by A. Maunsell Broadhurst. Cloth. Royal Octavo, pp. 346. The De La More Press, London, 1910.

This sumptuous volume contains brief genealogies of the Broadhurst, Maunsell, Stillwell, Sands, Wilmerding and Tracy Families, ancestors of the author, and is beautifully illustrated with portraits, places, relics and pictures of the men, women and historic homes of these well known families. In addition, a number of genealogical pedigrees are interleaved showing in some cases the common ancestor of two distinct families, and their intermarriages. The author has concisely and clearly indicated his kinship with many eminent men and people of distinction and the labor involved in collecting the data has been faithfully performed. His English notes are particularly full and authentic, doubtless because of the fact of his residence in the County of Essex, England. The Chapter on John Cook the Regicide is of great interest and throws a side light upon the Execution of Charles the First, of considerable value to the English historians. While the work is confessedly for family preservation yet it is a fine addition to the list of privately printed genealogies and will be welcome to all Libraries and Societies making collections of this class of literature. The type is wonderfully good, the paper of the best quality and the press work even of a higher standard, if this be possible. Particular mention must also be made of the illustrations which are most carefully selected and admirably executed.

Ancestral Records and Portraits. A compilation from the Archives of Chapter I. The Colonial Dames of America. Vol. I-II, pp. 835. Cloth. Illustrated, with Index. The Grafton Press, New York, 1910.

The Publication Committee of Chapter I, The Colonial Dames of America are entitled to the highest praise for their unselfish devotion and patriotism in collecting, editing and publishing this concise compilation of the many valuable family records and pedigrees preserved in their archives. Hitherto the so-called patriotic societies have exhibited a most selfish and secretive spirit in regard to their invaluable charts of descent, none but members being able to examine and consult such charts, and even in such cases only by consent of the members whose charts are to be consulted, or on consent of the Registrar. In many cases the Registrar is a professional genealogist interested in personally searching for desired ancestry for compensation and hence quite unwilling and opposed to the general public availing themselves of the Society records. For some time there has been an increasing belief that the pedigree collections of the various so-called patriotic societies should be published and thus rendered useful to all instead of to the few. The present volumes are printed with that end in view and it is safe to state that in all probability they will not only reflect the greatest credit on this organization but be the cause of a great increase in applications for membership in this order. The volumes are full of facts of importance, contain descent pedigrees of hundreds of eminent families and are profusely illustrated with half tone portraits and many coats-of-arms. These volumes should at once become standard works of reference. They are beautifully printed and bound and add one more

almost perfect publication to the long list of admirable books edited and printed by the Grafton Press. Good Genealogical printing is still rare, in spite of the great output of this class of books in the past ten years, and the work done by these publishers deserves unqualified praise.

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF THE PROVINCE OF NEW YORK. Volume I. Minutes, Collateral and Illustrative Documents, I-XIX. Edited by Victor Hugo Paltsits, State Historian. Cloth. Royal Octavo, pp. 386. Published by the State of New York, Albany, 1910.

If any adverse criticism exists as to the utility and absolute necessity of the office of State Historian, this remarkable volume should once and for all be a conclusive and final reply to such critics. It deals with the administration of Francis Lovelace 1668-1673, the second English Governor of the Province of New York, and will prove a most valuable addition to the early historical collections of this State. Mr. Paltsits has shown indefatigable patience and devotion in the production of this book, and the introduction sets out the kind of investigation, judgment and attention to detail which has resulted in this fine volume. The original language of the minutes and documents has been retained, abbreviations and all, and the difficult task of reproducing in type these antequated words has been carried out to prefection. The pages are filled with genealogical foot notes of value and while these facts are as yet somewhat unavailable, owing to lack of indexing, Mr. Paltsits promises a further Volume III which shall contain an Analytical Index. The State of New York is indeed fortunate in having an Historian, who is not only learned in antiquarian and genealogical research, but possesses the ability to put into practical shape for reference these Minutes of the Executive Council. The press-work and binding of the volume is superior and the only regret to be noted is that it does not contain a portrait of Governor Lovelace.

GENEALOGY AND ANNALS OF THE VAN LIEW FAMILY IN AMERICA, by Thomas Van Liew. Cloth. Quarto, pp. 18. St. Louis, 1910.

This work is more of the nature of a compilation of preparatory notes rather than a finished genealogy of this old New Jersey family, but as its author wisely states unless he had taken steps to preserve and perpetuate the rapidly disappearing family records, in a few years little or nothing would have been left for the future family historian to trace. The book contains brief details of the Wyckoff, Duryee, Sansbury and Foster Families, all of which were related by marriage to the Van Liew family. The pamphlet is clearly printed and well bound and the facts set forth are worth preserving.

ANCESTORS OF REJOYCE BALLANCE COLLINS AND CONSTANCE DOROTHY VAN ETTEN COLLINS, WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE CIVIL AND MILITARY AFFAIRS OF THE AMERICAN COLONIES, AND THOSE WHO WERE SOLDIERS IN THE CONTINENTAL ARMIES DURING THE WARS OF THE REVOLUTION, AND THOSE WHO SERVED IN THE WAR OF 1812, by Holdridge Ozro Collins, A.M., LL.B., LL.D. Cloth. Octavo, pp. 70. Los Angeles, California. 1910.

These pamphlets are more biographical than genealogical, but contain much of marked interest concerning the early warrior ancestors of the compiler. Mr. Collins is a genealogist of skill and repute, and has been a valued contributor to the "Record" and his thorough and careful work as shown in the pages of these pamphlets make the records of authoritative value.

He is a descendant of many of the earliest and most influential settlers of Ulster Co., N. Y., and as the genealogical record of this early interesting Dutch and Huguenot settlement has been much neglected, these annals of his ancestry will prove the more welcome on account of their rarity. The little book is well printed and bound for service.

Genealogical and Family History of Northern New York. Edited by William Richard Cutter, A.M. Vol. I-III. Illustrated, with Index. Cloth. Quarto. pp. 1247. Lewis Historical Publishing Co., New York, 1910.

This publication is a continuance of the former series of historical-genealogical volumes, embracing the State of New York. It is the purpose of the Editor and this publishing firm to extend their system of collecting and preserving family histories to all the New England, Middle and Southern States, and the New York series bids fair to be as important as was the Massachusettes series. It is encouraging to learn from the preface that all matter contained in these volumes was submitted in typewritten manuscript to the persons most interested for correction, in order to insure the greatest possible accuracy. In contents, type and binding this series is worthy to stand side by side with the Massachusetts annals, and undoubtedly the projected set covering New York City and its early Dutch families will be of especial interest to the local readers.

List of Books on Genealogy and Heraldry in the Syracuse Public Library. Edition of 1910. Syracuse, 1910.

The good example set by The New York Public Library in publishing special catalogues on special subjects is here followed by the Syracuse Library. Their list is confined to genealogical works and will prove of great advantage to searchers who must economize time as it enables them to see at a glance just what books the Library contains.

The New England Society of Cleveland and the Western Reserve. Illustrated. Cloth, Octavo, pp. 63. Cleveland, Ohio, 1910.

This small year-book gives the Constitution, Membership and History of the Organization, with extracts from addresses and good half-tone portraits of the officers and prominent members. The purpose of such societies in perpetuating the New England spirit among descendants in Western States is to be commended.

Directory for the City of Hartford for 1799, by Frank D. Andrews. Paper. Small Octavo, pp. 34. Privately printed. Vineland, N. J., 1910.

This is a compilation of the inhabitants of Hartford in 1799, their occupations and addresses, collected and compiled from manuscripts in the authors possession, ancient newspapers, etc., and is a new and unique publication to aid genealogical research. The first actual directory of the city of Hartford only appeared in 1828 so it was difficult to obtain much information, concerning the inhabitants prior to that date. The compilation shows a population of about 5,000 in the year given. It is hoped that other directories, so compiled, of the earlier New England towns and cities may be issued, now that Mr. Andrews has set so good a precedent.

Collections of the Kansas State Historical Society, 1909-1910. Edited by George W. Martin, Secretary. Vol. XI. Cloth, Octavo, pp. 742. State Printing Office, Topeka, 1910.

This volume contains the Addresses at Annual Meetings; Swedish Settlements in Central Kansas; The Wyandotte Convention; Manufacturers in the Kansas District; The Soldiers of Kansas; The Kansas School System; The Cheyenne, Pawnee, Chippewa, Munsee and Sauk and Fox Indians; The German-Russian Settlements in Ellis County; Early Days on the Union Pacific; The Expedition of Villazur; The Story of Decompton and Personal Narratives; all articles bearing upon the settlement and progression of the important Western State. It was a happy inspiration that prompted the State Historical Society to collect and publish in one volume the series of papers upon special subjects relating to the history of the State and its early settlers, each article being marked by the individuality and intelligence of its author and probably the result of long and exhaustive research and study. The utility of the collections is greatly enhanced by a most ex-

cellent and complete index, and the publication reflects high credit upon its Editor.

Historical Homes and Institutions and Genealogical and Personal Memoirs of Chester and Delaware Counties, Pennsylvania. Edited by Gilbert Cope for Chester County, and by Henry Graham Ashmead for Delaware County, Vol. I-II Illustrated, with Index. Cloth, Quarto, pp. 1198. The Lewis Historical Publishing Co. New York, 1904.

The previous printed histories of both of these early Pennsylvania Counties left much to be desired in the way of genealogical information, and while historically they are valuable mile stones in the story of the Keystone State, yet their genealogical data was meagre and inaccurate. The present publication is filled with intimate and detailed histories of the many prominent families of these two Counties, and a great debt of thanks is due the two editors for the thoroughness of their labors. Without taking up space for long historical discussions and descriptions, they have crowded the pages with the annals of the early settler life, and added to this mass of information, the present day biographies of the hundred of successful men who have made, and are making Pennsylvania one of the foremost States of the Union. In workmanship and appearance these volumes are fully up to the high standard, associated with their publishers and the portrait engravings are particularly fine.

Genealogical and Personal Memoirs Relating to the Families of Boston and Eastern Massachusetts. Edited by William Richard Cutter, A.M. Vol. I-IV, Illustrated, with Index. Cloth, Quarto, pp. 2201. New York, 1908.

Historic Homes and Places and Genealogical and Personal Memoirs Relating to the Families of Middlesex County, Massachusetts. Edited by William Richard Cutter, A.M., Vol. I-IV, Illustrated, with Index. Cloth, Quarto, pp. 2026. New York, 1908.

Historic Homes and Institutions and Genealogical and Personal Memoirs of Worcester County, Massachusetts, with a History of Worcester Society of Antiquity. Edited by Ellery Bicknell Crane, Vols. I-IV, Illustrated, with Index. Cloth, Quarto, pp. 1834, New York, 1907.

The purpose of these monumental volumes is admirably stated in the Introduction, viz:—to present in concise form the history of established families of Boston and Massachusetts; to preserve a record of prominent present-day people; to present thorough personal sketches, linked with the genealogical narrative, the relation of the prominent families of all time to the growth, prosperity and influence of the City of Boston and of the Counties of Massachusetts. The task of collecting, condensing and publishing comprehensive genealogical histories of the prominent families of a large City, much more an entire State, would appear a Herculean labor, and in turning the pages of those twelve volumes the wonder grows at the immense amount of thought, care and labor expended by the Editors on their great work. Realizing the need of a general biographical dictionary of the people of Massachusetts, compiled upon correct genealogical lines, the publisher set to work to digest the vast amount of historical manuscripts and publications, and the overwhelming numbers of printed genealogies which form the basis for these works. Their labor is distinguished not only by its attention to detail but by an extraordinary accuracy, while the pages are filled with such intimate and personal items as to indicate that the greater part of the social facts set forth must have been obtained from personal interviews and correspondence with the heads of the families represented. The pages are veritable mines of genealogical lore and the more valuable because collected from the very lips of a rapidly disappearing generation.

There has been a long felt want in genealogical societies and libraries for some publication to which the unskilled family historian might turn for location of the particular name sought for, and where those general

facts could be found which would enable him to intelligently direct his special investigation. The would-be delvers into the history of past generations hitherto have been somewhat at the mercy of professional genealogists to obtain preliminary data. They were unable to discover not only *how* but *where* to look for traces of the family tree roots. These volumes now supply the want and disclose to their readers the sources of the pioneer families in New England, enabling them to intelligently employ the professional genealogist for such special research as lies beyond the skill of the average ancestry hunter. Some repetition of data must necessarily be printed in covering so large a territory, but in general these books are each unique and possess separate merits. The publications are from the Lewis Historical Publishing Company, of New York, and Chicago, and are excellent examples of typography, bound in substantial manner for the constant and hard use to which they will undoubtedly be subjected in the large public libraries. The volumes are splendidly illustrated with hundreds of steel plate and wood cut portraits of eminent men, and can be emphatically recommended as permanent works of value. In fact, no public library should be without the set, and no historical or genealogical private library can afford to leave them off their shelves.

Allied Families of Purdy, Fauconnier, Archer, Perrin, by Anna Falconer Perrin and Mary Falconer Perrin Meeker. Half Morocco. Octavo, pp. 114, with Index. Frank Allaben Genealogical Co. New York, 1911.

Francis Purdy, born in York, England, 1595, later of Concord, Massachusetts, and eventually of Rye, Connecticut; Pierre Fauconnier of Tours, France, later of Hackensack, New Jersey; John Archer, of Fordham, New York; and John Perrin, of Chelmsford, Essex, later of Rehoboth, Mass., were the first American progenitors of the families bearing their respective names. The French ancestry appears to be well traced and they were of sturdy Huguenot origin and produced men of quality and renown in more than one generation. This genealogy displays all the enthusiasm and care of family genealogists in love with their subject, and its facts are clearly and ably set forth, although the numerical arrangement is not standard and this is a little awkward for the hurried searcher to follow. The large Pedigree Chart attached to the volume, however, shows at a glance the ramifications of the lines. The book is most beautifully printed on tinted paper of a superfine quality, and its entire appearance, binding and handiness will rank it among the best productions of its well-known publishers. It will do credit to any library.

Barcroft Family Records. An Account of the Family in England and the Descendants of Ambrose Barcroft, the Emigrant of Solebury, Pennsylvania, by Emma TenBroeck Runk. Half Morocco. Octavo, pp. 322. Press of J. B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia, 1910.

This somewhat unusual family name has been traced into Lancashire, England, where the ancestral home, Barcroft Hall, is still standing. Aided by reputable English genealogists, the author has made an exhaustive examination of the English Will Registers down to 1785, as well as all the publications relating to the ancestral County of Lancashire and many extracts from the Court Rolls and public documents have been given in full. An expert Heraldic search was also made, and its result verified the attested fact that this family and its American descendants actually bore the arms herein described. The first American ancestor was Ambrose Barcroft, eldest son of Thomas Barcroft of Foulbridge and Noyna in Colne, Lancashire, England, and his descendants have been admirably traced down to the present time. The labor of the author is marked by keen discrimination, sound judgment and almost perfect system, and the facts collected have been put together with genealogical skill and remarkable taste. The English records of the family are splendidly set forth, with beautiful illustrations, and what is far more to the point, are conclusively proved. In typography this volume is one of the finest yet produced and its paper, binding and illustrations all

attest to the reputation of the publishing Company. The book should be welcome wherever such works are being collected.

THE FIFTH VOLUME OF RECORDS OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHAMPTON—COMPRISING ANCIENT LOOSE DOCUMENTS IN THE TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE—ALSO ABSTRACTS OF THE RED BOOK OF DEEDS. Compiled and prepared for publication by William J. Post, Town Clerk, and William S. Pelletreau. Cloth, Octavo, pp. 312. Published by the Town, 1910.

The Town of Southampton has shown far more interest in the preservation of their ancient records than many of the larger and wealthier cities of the State. The new volume comprises all the loose and unrecorded documents in the Town Clerk's Office, kept in small bundles, which were rapidly disintegrating. The oldest records of the Colony, now State of New York, are those of this Long Island town, the oldest English document in the office of the Secretary of State at Albany only dating 1642. The Tax Rate List and the Record of Land Allotments and Transfers printed in this book will add much information in regard to the real estate holdings, the lives and the manners of the then inhabitants. Mr. Post and Mr. Pelletreau have done excellent work in the compilation and arrangement of the text and the book is printed and bound for service.

ORIGINAL NARRATIVES OF EARLY AMERICAN HISTORY. NARRATIVES OF EARLY MARYLAND, 1633-1684. Edited by Clayton Coleman Hall, LL.B., A.M. With Map and Two Facsimiles and Index. Cloth, Octavo, pp. 460. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York, 1910.

There can be no more interesting and instructive method of setting forth the early history of the Colonies than the reproduction in modern type of the letters, narratives, and journals of those adventurous officers and settlers who were connected with the first settlements in this country. Although a full statement of all the documents reproduced in this volume would occupy too much space for review the importance of this contribution to the Colonial foundation history can be understood from such titles as "An account of the Colony of the Lord Baron of Baltamore, 1633; Instructions to the Colonists of Lord Baltimore, 1633; A brief relation of the voyage into Maryland by Father Andrew White, 1634; Extracts from a Letter of Capt. Thomas Young to Sir Toby Matthew, 1634; A Relation of Maryland, 1635; Extracts from the Annual Letters of the English Province of the Society of Jesus, 1634 to 1681; Letters of Governor Leonard Calvert to Lord Baltimore, 1638; The Lord Baltimore Case, 1653; Virginia and Maryland, or the Lord Baltimore's Printed Case Uncased and Answered, 1655; Babylon's Fall, by Leonard Strong, 1655, and its Reputation, by John Langford; Leah and Rachel or the Two Fruitful Sisters, Virginia and Mary-Land, by John Hammond, 1656; Journal of the Dutch Embassy to Maryland, by Augustine Herrman, 1659; A Character of the Province of Maryland, by George Alsop, 1666; From the Journal of George Fox, 1672-1673, and Reports of Conferences between Lord Baltimore (Charles, Third Baron and Second Proprietary), and William Penn and their Agents, 1682, 1683, 1684." Many of the above documents have been taken from MSS. now in the Archives of the Maryland Historical Society and the Virginia State Library, hitherto unavailable to the great number of American historians. The Editor, Mr. Hall, of the Maryland Historical Society, has confined his labors to the judicious selection of the MSS. to be printed and to writing brief Introductions, descriptive of the salient points contained in each extract. Notwithstanding the short space and limited scope of these prefactory pages, Mr. Hall has filled them with valuable historical descriptions and commentaries upon the events and writings of these early Colonial times. The volume is one of a series of Original Narratives of Early American History reproduced under the auspices of the American Historical Association under the generous editorship of J. Franklin Jameson, Ph.D., LL.D. No more useful or valuable series of Americana could be put into modern print than these publications, which in every way reflect the highest credit

upon the enterprise, business acumen and ability of Messrs. Charles Scribner's Sons. This volume is excellently printed and bound and should become a work of standard historical reference to be found in every Library of importance.

ORIGINAL NARRATIVES OF EARLY AMERICAN HISTORY—JOHNSON'S WONDER-WORKING PROVIDENCE, 1628-1651. Edited by J. Franklin Jameson, Ph.D., LL.D., with Maps and Two Facsimiles. Cloth, Octavo, pp. 285, Indexed. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York, 1910.

The original title of this early historical commentary was "The Wonder-Working Providence of Sion's Saviour in New England," and it was first printed late in 1653 by Nathaniel Brooke, a London publisher, "at the Angel in Cornhill." It was written by Captain Edward Johnson, of Woburn, Massachusetts, originally of Canterbury, Co. Kent, being christened there in St. George's Parish, 16th September, 1598, as the son of William Johnson, Parish Clerk. He married about 1618 and had five sons and two daughters, all born in England, and appears to have had a considerable estate in Kent, being called "Mr." in the Colonial records. He came to New England in 1630 with Winthrop and was called "jonier." He forthwith became a leading man in Charleston and later in Woburn, Mass., and was "Selectman," Captain of the Trainband, Town Clerk, and General Court representative. His many and prominent offices and duties in the Colony fitted him to be the active historian of its annals and this history was probably written about 1650. The strongest of Puritans, he felt impelled to set forth a full and sympathetic account of the doings of the governing party and to defend the Colonial ecclesiastical policy against the attacks of Morton, Gardiner, and Gorton. The result was the history of Massachusetts, invaluable as a record of the mental attitude of those times and of great historical interest as far as the early settlements of Massachusetts were concernd. The book is hard reading, owing to its rhetorical flights in praise of austere and militant Puritanism, and is filled with quaint poetic rhapsodies, but it was the first, as well as the most important, publication on New England, until the appearance of Cotton Mathers' "Magnalia" in 1702. While it cannot compare in importance and accuracy with Winthrop's "Journal" (1790) or Bradford's "History of Plymouth Plantation" (1856), it nevertheless shows the views of the humbler settlers upon the progress and government of the Massachusetts Colony. While the work was substantially reprinted in 1814-1819 and 1867, the present book is the first complete reprint, and the first to be supplied with foot notes. The typography and binding are all that can be desired and it will add another excellent volume to the Early American Series.

THE RECORDS OF CHRIST CHURCH, POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., published by the Wardens and Vestrymen upon the 10th anniversary of the Institution of the Rector, the Rev. Alexander Griswold Cummins, A. M., Litt. D. Edited by Helen Wilkinson Reynolds, Corresponding Member of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society. Royal Octavo cloth, pp. 440. Press of Frank B. Howard, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., 1911. Price $5.00. Apply to Vestry of Christ Church, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

This work, which is just issued from the press, is a monumental *history* of Christ Church, Poughkeepsie, from 1755 to 1910, and reflects the highest credit upon the enterprise and public spirit of the present organization of that parish and also upon the editorial work of Miss Reynolds; the press work and general ensemble of the work is all that can be desired, and the work is replete with portrait and other illustrations pertinent to the History of the parish. As a *history* it is above criticism and will be a valued addition to the shelves of any library. From a genealogical standpoint however, we regret exceedingly that the spirit which actuated its publication did not urge the administration of the parish to extend this most valuable work to include the publication in full of the parish register of births, baptisms, marriages, deaths and burials.

Should such records in the future be the subject of a second volume of this monumental work, the Wardens and Vestry could rest assured that they had

left nothing undone in their duty towards the past, present and future of that parish ; as it stands at present we offer them our hearty congratulations on the excellence of work accomplished.

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Baptisms.

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
	By D°. Petrus Vas		
1716.			
Aug. 19.	Stephanus Ditsoort Sara Hoornbeeck	Jacobus	Willem Provoost, Eva Swartwout
	Jacob Kuyckendal Sara Westfael	Jacobus	Abel Westfael, Annatjen Hoornbeeck
	Joost Hoornbeeck Eegje Van Vliet	Judic	Jan Decker, Femmetje Decker
	Jacobus Koddebeck Margriet Provoost	Abraham	Juriaen Westfael, Maritje Koddebeek
1717.			
June 5.	Jacob Decker Anna Kortrecht	Lea	Jacobus Swartwoud, Jr., Femmetje Decker
	Teunis Quick Claertje de Hooges	Benjamin	Jacob Westfael, Margriet De Duytser
	Cornelis Kuykendael Maritje Westfael	Johannes	Abel Westfael, Antje Bogaert
1718.			
Jan. 29.	Thomas Quick Grietje Decker	Margrita	Gerrit Decker, Geertje Decker
	Jan Middagh Geertje Klearwater	Abraham	Hendrick Van Garden, Malletje Middagh
	onecht Cathrina Hoksen	Elizabeth	Jacobus Swartwoudt, Reymerig Quick
	Juriaen Westfael Maritje Koddebeck	Benjamin	Hendrick Decker, Jesyntje Swartwout

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1719.			
Jan. 28.	Jacob Westfael Margriet de Duyser	Maria	Nicael Westfael, Margriet de Duyser
	Abel Westfael Antje Bogaert	Sara	Stephanus Ditsoort, Sara Hoornbeeck
	Mattheus Kuykendael Jannetje Westfael	Petrus	Petrus Kuykendal, Reymerig Quick
	Jacob Kuykendal Sara Westfael	Dina	Saloman Dayis, Reymerig Quick
	Johannes Quick Bregje Middagh	Geertje	Jan Decker, Antje Quick
	(Probably by Dom. G. W. Mancius)		
1737.			
Aug. 23.	Jacob dekker, Jun. Rachel Hoorenbeek	Lydia	jurge Westphal, blandina De Wit
	Gerret brink Sara ditsoort	Geertje	john De Wit, Lena van Gorden
	Dyrk Wessebroek Jenneke van Keuren	Johannes	johannes Wessebrock, Antje Rosa
	Henrick dekker Annaatje ditsoort	Elias	Harme van Garde, Elsje Koetebek
Aug. 24.	Pieter Kuikendal Femmetje Dekker	Jacob	johannes Dekker, lisabeth de Wit
	Jacobus Rosekrans Sara Dekker	Daniel	thomas Dekker, jenneke Van Nieuwegan
1738.			
May 30.	Cornelis Wessebrock Antje Rosa	Petrus	Johannes Wessebrock, Antje Rosa
	Sammuel Schamers Sara Kortrecht	Lisabeth	Cornelis Kortrecht, Christina Rosekrans
	Arie van Fredenburg Sara Rosekrans	Blandina	Jurge Westval, Blandina De Wit
	Dirk quik Apolonie van Gorde	Jenneke	Gysbert van Gorde, Maria Cool
	Abraham Kermer Sara Schammers	Lydia	Jacob van Nette, Antje Wessebrock
	Willem Kortrecht Margriet Jansen	Elias	Johannes Westval, Mareitje Koettebek
	Henrick Haldrin Annatje Dekker	Lea	Broer Dekker, Antje van Nette
	Hue pue Lena Brink	Margriet	Jacobus Ditsoort, Abigail Bel

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1738.			
May 31.	Salomon Davids, Jun. Lea Dekker	Beletje	Salomon Davids, Beletje Quik
	Henrick Henrickse Kortrecht Margriet Dekker	Lea	Johannes Dekker, Lisabeth De Wit
	Henrich Kuikendal Lisabeth Cool	Catryntje	David Cool, Leonora Westval
	Gysbert Bogard Catharina dekker	Ezechiel	Henrick Dekker, Anna Ditsoort
	petrus Dekker Magdalena Osterhout	Catharina	Salomon Dekker, Femmetje Dekker
	Jacob Middag Sara Kuikendal	Ephraim	Adrian Quik, Lisaabeth Westval
Oct. 31.	Abraham Van Aaken Jannetje De Wit	Lydia	Petrus Dekker, Lena Oosterhout
	David Cool Lenora Westval	Catryntje	Henrick Kuikendal, Lisabeth Cool
	Cornelis Krom Rebecca Schoonhoven	Lydia	Henrick Krom, Lydia Krom
	Thomas Schoonhoven Maria Westval	Cornelis	Cornelis Krom, Rebecca Schoonhoven
	Johannis Wessebrock Magdalena Wessebrock	Anthonie	Anthonie Wessebrock, Aeltje Van Oetten
	Willem Kottebek Jacomyntje Elting	Abraham	Abraham Kottebek, Noemi Kottebek
Nov. 1.	Jan Van Oetten Marretje Westval	Helena	Benjamin Westval, Lena van Oetten
	Johannes van Garden Margriet Quik	Elisabeth	Willem Ennes, Lisabeth Quik
	Lambertus Brink Rachel van Gorden	Jenneke	Isaac van Aaken, Rachel De Wit
	Arie Kortrecht Lisabeth Cool	Lydia	Cornelis Brink, Maria Cool
	Gysbert van Garden Maria Cool	Jenneke	Cornelis Cool, Sara Westval
	Johannes Kortrecht Margriet Dennemarke	John	Johannes Westval, Apolonie Kortrecht

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1738.			
Nov. 1.	Cornelis van Aaken Hester Relje	Gideon	Jan van Oetten, Marretje Westval
	Cornelis Brink Maria Cool	Maria	Gysbert van Garden, Maria Cool
	Johannes Brink Lena Cool	Maria	
1739.			
May 29.	Aard Middag Ariaantje van Oetten	Jannetje	Jacobus Koettebek, Jannetje Wessebroek
	Matheus Brink Abigail Bel	Petrus	Andries Dekker, Divertje Maul
	Anthonie Benschoten Margriet Wels	Antje	Henrick Janse Kortrecht, Gerretje Benschoten
	Andries Cool Sara Schoonmaker	Catharina	Henrik Dekker, Catharina Schoonmaker
	Lieur Kuikendal Lena Consales Duk	Joseph	Joseph Consales, Sara Consales
	Broer Dekker Antje van Oetten	Elisa	Abraham Kermer, Sara Schammers
	Henrich Van Garden Lenora Dekker	Lena	Willem Cool, Mareitje Koettebek
	Cornelis Devoor Lena Westval	David	David Devoor, Eiisabeth Kermer
May 29.	Johannes Hoogteeling Marretje Horenbeek	Petrus	Johannes van Garden, Margriet Quik
	Jochem Schoonmaker Rachel van Gorden	Isaac	Bastian Kortrecht, Rachel Dekker
	Jacob van Oetten Antje Wessebroek	Dirk	Dirk Wessebroek, Jenneke van Keuren
	Lenert Cool Junior Sarah van Gorden	Rachel	Harme Rosekrans, Arriaantje Osterhout
	Alexander van de Winkel Antje Rosekrans	Antje	Johannes Wessebroeck, Antje Rosa
	Isaac van Aaken Rachel de Wit	Joseph	Cornelis Wessebroek, Antje Rosa
	Johannes Westval Apolonia Kortrecht	Jurian	Jurian Tappen, Maria Kortrecht

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1739.			
May 29.	Evert Horenbek Lena Koettebek	Benjamin	Benjamin Koettebek, Naomi Koettebek
	Andries Dekker Divertje Maul	Sara	Stephanus Ditsoort, Sara Horenbeek
	Willem van Gorden Antje Fredenburg	Gonda	Harme van Gorden, Elsje Koettebek
	Willem Ditsoort Sara Dekker	Bernhardus	Bernhardus Swartwoud, Margriet Dekker
	Abel Westval Antje Bogard	Lydia	Jurye Westval, Blandina De Wit
	Gerret Brink Maria Ditsoort	Maria	Lambertus Brink, Rachel van Garden
	Philip Teeler Maria Bosch	Samson	
May 30.	Gerardus van Niuwegen Jannetje de Wit	Tjaadje	Pieter Gemaar, Tjaadje de Wit
	Barent Mollin Glaasje Andriesse	Margriet	Thomas Dekker, Jannetje van Niuwegen
	in onegt Catharina Clark	Mardochia	Willem Koettebek, Jacomyntje Elting
	Therrens Dieven Marretje Kuikendal	Jacobus	Jacobus Swartwoud, Antje Gemaar
Oct. 30.	Jacob Bogard Nelletje Kuikendal	Jeseintje	Jan Vliet, Jeseintje Swartwoud
	Jan Vliet Jeseintje Swartwoud	Jacobus	Jacobus Swartwoud, Antje Gemaer
	Henrick Kuikendel Elizabeth Cool	Femmetje	Pieter Kuikendel, Femmetje Dekker
	Pieter Kuikendal Femmetje Dekker	Jacob	Johannis Deker, Elizabeth De Wit
Oct. 31.	Dirk Wessebroek Jenneke van Keuren	Tjerk van Keuren	Josaphat Du Bois, Tjaadje van Keuren
	Samuel Schammers Sara Kortregt	Wilhelmus	Henrich Kortregt, Jr., Jannetje Ennes
	William Waard Mareitje Dekker	Hermanus Dekker	Hermanus Dekker, Christina Keiser
	Pieter van Garden Margriet Dekker	Hester	Cornelis van Aaken, Hester Relje
	Gysbert van Kampen Sara Dekker	Martinus	Willem van Garden, Helena van Aaken

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1739.			
Oct. 31.	Johannes Cool Pieternella van Aaken	Catharina	Josias Cool, Lena van Aaken
	Willem Kortregt Margriet Janse	Willem	Laurent Kortregt, Sara Teneik
	Willem Cool Mareitje Koettebek	Petrus	Henrich Kortregt, Gerretje Benschoten
	Henrick Cornelis Kortregt Jannetje Ennest	William Ennest	William Ennest, Lisabeth Quik
	Benjamin Dekker Helena Kortregt	Daniel	Salomon Dekker, Lena van Oetten
	Harme van Garde Elsje Koettebek	Benjamin	Harme Rosekrans, Ariaantje Osterhout
	Moses Joons	Hanna	Matheus Brink, Abigail Bel
1740.			
June 17.	Thomas Dekker Janneke van Niuwegen	Joris	Joris Davids, Naomi Koettebeck
	Johannes Kortregt Margriet Dennemark	Christoffel	Johan Christoffel Dennemarken, Christina Elizabeth Bernhardin
	Abraham Louw Dina Koettebeck	Jannetje	Harme van Garden, Elsje Koettebeck
	David Cool Eleonora Westval	Josias	Josias Cool, Mareitje Kemmel
	Bastian Kortregt Rachel Dekker	Rachel	Henrich Henrichse Kortregt, Margriet Dekker
	Jacobus Rosekrans Sara Dekker	Geertje	Simon Westval, Geertje Westval
	Johannes van Garden Margriet Quik	Jacobus	Jacobus Quik, Jannetje Wessebroek
	Cornelis Cool Sara Westval	Johannes	Johannes Westval, Sara Cool
	Hue Pue Dina Brink	Pieter	Thomas Schoonhoven, Maria Westval
	Abraham Kermer Sara Schammers	Jacobus	Broer Dekker, Annetje van Oetten
	Jacob Dekker Jun Rachel Horenbeek	Cornelis	Abel Westval, Antje Bogard
	Petrus Dekker Magdalena Osterhout	Josias	Thomas Dekker, Janneke Van Ninwegen

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1740			
June 17.	Pieter Gemaar Tjaadje Dewit	Jacob de Wit	Gerardus van Ninwegen, Jannetie Dewit
	Bernhardus Swartwoud Margriet Dekker	Lisabeth	Arie Kortregt, Lisabeth Cool
	Arie Kortregt Lizabeth Cool	Elisabeth	Samuel Swartwoud, Lisabeth Gemaar
	Lambertus Brink Rachel van Garden	Arie	Arie Fredenburg, Sara Rosekrans
	Jan van Oetten Marrietje Westval	Jacob	Jacob van Oetten, Antje Wessebroek
June 18.	Salomo Davids Junior Lea Dekker	Daniel	Daniel Kuikendal, Lizabeth van Aaken
	Jacobus Dekker Neeltje Ditsoort	Leaatje	Salomo Davids Jun., Lea Dekker
	Johannes Dekker Lena Quik	Wilhelmus	William Ditsoort, Sara Dekker
Sept. 19.	Andries Dingemans Cornelia Kermer	Cornelia	Charles Van Weyen, Elizabeth Kermer
	Johannes Westbroek, Junior Magdalena Westbroek	Johannes	Hannes Westbroek, Antje Rosa
	Jan Bomen Anna Middag	Margarit	Terrins Devin, Marytje Kuykendal
	Andries Dekker Divertje Moul	Andreas	Jan Waert, Geertje Westfael
	Hendrick Hendrickson Kortrecht Margriet Dekker	Lidia	Abraham Kortrecht, Margriet Kuykendal

Aenteekeninge der gedoopte Kinderen in de gemeyntje van Menissing door den dienst van Joh: Casparus Freyenmuth, Predikant aldaer beginnende synen dienst met den 7th dag Juny., 1741.

Translation:

Record of the baptized children in the congregation of Menissing through the ministration of Joh: Casparus Freyenmuth, preacher there, commencing his ministry on the 7th day of June, 1741.

1741.			
Maendt dag			
June 7.	Cornelis Brinck Maria Cool	Hermanus	Andreas Cool, Lisabeth Cool
	Mattheus Brinck Ebbegken Bel	Jan	William Kortregt, Margrit Janson
	Gisbert Van Garden Maria Cool	Catharina	William Decker, Neelgje Roos

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1741.			
June 7.	Anthony Van Benschoten Margrita Wels	Cornelis	Cornelis Elmendorf, Engelje Heerenmans
	William Enness Lizabeth Quick	Cornelia	Lammert Brinck, Cornelia Viervan
	Derrick Quick Plone van Garden	Rachel	Lambart Brinck, Rachel van Garden
	Hannes Nethier Gertje Decker	Margaritje	Nicolas Best, Margareth Best
	William Ditschious Sara Decker	Sara	Salomon Decker, Neelgje Decker
June 28.	Johannes Westfael Apollonia Kortregt	Johannes	Gisbert Roos, Geertje Westfael
Sept. 6.	Johannes Hooghdeylen Maritje Hoornbeek	Jonathan	Sebastian Kortrecht, Racheltje Decker
Oct. 9.	Johannes Kool Pieternella van Aeken	Abraham	Abraham van Aeken, Lisabeth van Aeken
Nov. 11.	William Kortrecht Margriet Janson	Josias	Cornelis Cool Kortrecht, Margriet Westfael
Nov. 24.	Jacob Bogart Pieternella Keukendal	Sara	Johannes Westfael, Lea Westfael
	Abraham Middagh Lea van Aeken	Samuel	Benjamin Westfael, Johanna van Aeken
1742?			
Feb. 7.	Herman van Garden Elsje Cuttenbeck	Daniel	Isaeck van Aeken, Rachel De Wit
	Benjamin Westfael Annatje van Aeken	Maria	William Cool, Maria Cuttenbeck
March 21.	Broer Decker Antje van Netten	Elias	Hannes Westbroeck, Antje Rosa
	Lambart Brinck Rachel van Garden	Daniel	Hannes Westbroeck, Antje Rosa
May 16.	Benjamin Decker Lena Kortrecht	Lena	Cornelis Kortrecht, Cathrina Rosenkrantz
	Aert Middagh Ariantje van Etten	Martinus	Benjamin Westbroeck, Maria Westbroeck
July 25.	Jan van Etten Maritje Westfael	Daniel	Daniel Westfael, Margarita Westfael

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1742?			
July 25.	Jacob Decker, Rachel Hoornbeck	Cathrina	Daniel Westfael, Margarita Westfael
Oct. 17.	Abraham Kermer Sarah Schammers	Angontje	Samuel Schammers, Sara Kortrecht
1743.			
May 3.	Jurk Wessebroek Jenneke Van Keuren	Lisabeth	Jacob van Oetten, Antje Wessebroek
	Antonie Benschoten Margriet Wels	Jenneke	Turk Wessebroek, Jenneke van Keuren
	Gerret Brink Maria Ditsoort	Lydia	
	Peter Gemaar Tjaadje De Wit	Ezechiel	Antonie Wessebroek, Aaltje Van Oetten
	Thomas Schoonhoven Maria Westval	Sara	Joel Quik, Sara Westval
	Johannes Dekker Lena Quick	Debora	Johannes Kuikendal, Debora Schoonhoven
	Arie Kortregt Lisabeth Cool	Catharina	Benjamin Wessebroek, Catharina Dekker
	William Ennes Elisabeth Quik	Benjamin	Benjamin Quik, Heilje Wessebroek
	Willem Van Garden Antje Fredenburg	Arie	Gysbert Van Garden, Maria Cool, his wife
	Gysbert van Garden Maria Cool	Lena	Salomon Wels, Lena Dekker
	Jacobus Quik Maria Wessebrock	Thomas	Thomas Quik, Margriet Dekker
	Andries Dekker Divertje Maul	Divertje	Willem Kortregt, Margriet Janse
	Henrich Kortregt Margriet Dekker	Daniel	Jacobus Dekker, Neeltje Ditsoort
	Henrick Halring Annaatje Dekker	Laurenz	Laurentz Dekker, Rachel Dekker
	Abraham van Kampen Susanna Depue	Moses	Moses Depue, Marretje Depue
	Cornelis van Aaken Hester Denis	Jannetje	Jacob van Oetten and wife, Antje Wessebroek

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DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1743.			
Oct. 17.	Evert Hoornbeeck Lena Cuttenbeck	Lydia	Abraham Kuttenbeck, Lydia Westfael
	Hugh Pugh Lena Brinck	Isaac	Isaac van Aaken, Rachel Dewit
	Cornelis Krom Rebecca Schoonhoven	Annatje	[Jaems or] Joris Davis, Debora Schoonhoven
	Johannes Hooghteeling Maretje Hoorrenbeeck	Maria	Cornelis Krom, RebeccaSchoonhoven
	Terrins Devin Maritje Kuykendal	Antje	Hester Swartwout, Gerardus ——
	Daniel? Cortreght?	[Page torn.]	
	Gerardus van Nimwegen Jannetje De Wit	Cornelis?	William Kuttenbeck, Jacomyntje Elting
Oct. 18.	Dirk Quik Apolonie Van Garden	Benjamin	Benjamin Quik, Lena Quik
	Benjamin Westval Annaatje Van Aaken	Cornelis	Cornelis van Aaken, Sara van Aaken
	Johannes Cool Pieternella van Aaken	Josephat	Josephat dubois, Tjaadje van Keuren
April 23.	Joh: Casp: Freyenmuth Lena van Etten	Dorothea	Jan Van Etten, Maritje Westfael his wife
	Cornelius Westbroeck Antje Rosa	———	Derrick Westbroeck, Jannetje van Keuren his wife
	Jan Van Etten Maritje Westfael	Cathrina	Cornelis van Etten, Cathrina Westbroeck
	William Waert Maritje Decker	Benjamin	Jan van Etten, Maritje Westfael, his wife
April 26.	Julick Borck Maria Bowman	John	John Bouman, Abigail Bel
	John Bouman Hannah Middagh	Hanna	Julick Borgh, Abigail Bel

("door my onwettigh V. D. M." *i. e.*, by me unlawfully, minister of the Word. The following baptisms to Oct. 3, 1742, are crossed by pencil marks. The baptisms are called "unlawful" probably from difficulties about authority from Coetus.)

April 14.	Thomas Schoonhoven Maria Westfael	Debora	Cornelis Westfael, Catharina Cole

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1743.			
April 14.	Abraham Wildfield Maria Welsch	Thomas	Thomas Decker, Jannetje van Nimwegen
	Gerardus van Nimwegen Jannetje De Witt	Jacob	Samuel Swartwood, Lisabeth Gemar
April 14.	Casparus Kimber Femmetje Williamse	Petrus	Jacob Westfael, Margariet de Dutscher
	Cornelis Krom Rebecca Schoonhoven	Maria	Jorian Westfael, Lisabeth Westfael
	Jan Van vliet Jesyntje Swartwood	Maria	Jacob Westbroek, Maria Westbroek
	Josias Cole Maria Kimber	Wilhelmus	William Cole, Maria Cuttebeck
	torn	torn	Abraham Kortrecht, ——ka Kuikendal
Aug. 23.	Evert Hoornbeeck Lena Cuttebeck	Maria	Ludwig Hoornbeeck, Maria Hoornbeeck
Oct. 25.	Abraham van Aeken Jannetje De Witt	Blandina	Jory Westfael, Blandina De Wit
	Jacobus Decker Neeltje Ditsoort	Jonathan	William Ditsoort, Sara Decker
	Aaron Vredenburgh Sara Rosenkranz	Lydia	Mattheus Vredenburgh, Lydia Westfael
1742.			
Jan. 17.	Willem Cuttebeck Jacomyntje Etten	Benjamin	Evert Hoornbeeck, Lena Cuttebeck,
	David Cool Leonora Westfael	Margrietje	Cornelis Westfael, Lizabeth Westfael
March 7.	Hendrick Kuykendal Elisabeth Cole	Hendricus	Daniel Kuyckendal, Catharina Cole
	Thomas Decker Jannetje van Nimwegen	Petrus	Pieter Kuyckendal, Femmetje Decker
	Jacobus Rosenkranz Sara Decker	Salomon	Salomon Decker, Catharina van Aeken
Oct. 3.	Mattheus Brinck Abigail Bell	Jacobus	
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1744.			
April 23.	Johannes Westfael Apollonia Kortrecht	Lisabeth	Johannes Decker, Lisabeth De Witt

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1744.			
April 23.	Simon Westfael Jannetje Westbroek	Jury	Jury Westfael, Blandina De Witt
	Salomon Davis, Jun Lea Decker	Joel	Joel Quick, Lisabeth van vliet
	Abraham Van Aeken Jannetje De Witt	Sara	Arie Vredenburgh, Sara Rosenkranz
	Jacobus Kuttebeck Neeltje Decker	Jacobus	Abraham Louw, Dina Kuttebeck
	Jan van vliet Jesyntje Swartwood	Catharina	Philip Swartwood, Elizabeth Swartwood
	Willem Kortrecht Margriet Jansen	Daniel	Daniel Westfael, Lisabeth Mey

"Door my J. C. Fryenmuth V D M beginnende Synen wittigen dienst."

By me J. C. Fryenmuth, minister of the word of God beginning his lawful service.

Dec. 23.	Jacobus Rosenkranz Sara Decker	Johannes	Hendrick Decker, Annatje Decker
	Josias Cole Maria Kemmel	Femmetje	William Cool, Jun., Catharina Cole
	Abram Middagh Lena van Aeken	Daniel	Cornelius van Aeken, Sarah Westbroek
	Hendrick Kuykendal Lisabeth Cole	Willem	Willem Cole, Maria Kuttebeck
	Thomas Decker Jannetje van Nimwegen	Alida	Hannes Decker, Lisabeth De Witt
	Joris Davis Debora Schoonhoven	Samuel	Samuel van vliet, Lizabeth van vliet
	Johannes Westbroeck Magdalena Westbroeck	Antje	Benjamin Westbroeck, Helltje Westbroeck
	Jacob Bogaert Nelly Kuyckendal	Lizabeth	Johannes Kuyckendal, Lisabeth Decker
	Andries Decker Dievertje Maul	Christoffel Maul	Johannes Maul, Lisabeth Maul
1745.			
Jan. 6.	Broer Decker Antje van Etten	Cornelis	Cornelis Westbroeck, Antje Rosa, his wife
	Jacobus Quick Maria Westbroeck	Johannes	Johannes Westbroeck, Antje Rosa, his wife

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1745.			
Jan. 6.	Mattheus Brinck Abigail Bell	Samuel	Johannes Casparus, Freyenmuth, V.D. M., Magdalena van Etten, his wife
	Bastiaen Kortrecht Rachel Decker	Sara	Abraham van Aeken, Jr., Sara van Aeken
	Hannes Bogaert Sara Hooghteeling	Hannatje	Cornelis Westfael, Hannatje Westfael
	Cornelis Brinck Maria Cole	Lenart Cole	Aert Middagh, Ariaentje van Etten, his wife
Jan. 20.	David Cole Leonora Westfael	Sara	William Cole, Jr., Sara Cole
	Petrus Decker Lena Oosterhout	Annatje	Daniel Kuyckendal, Annatje Decker
	Willem Kuttebeck Jacomynte Elten [Eltinge]	Roelof Elten	Gerardus van Nimwegen, Jannetje De Witt, his wife
Feb. 3.	Benjamin Decker Lena Kortrecht	Samuel	William Ennes, Elisabeth Quick, his wife
	Antony Bunschoten Margriet Wells	Jesyntje	Pieter Van Aeken, Russie Dami, his wife
March 24.	Hendrick Hendrickse Kortrecht Margriet Decker	Moses	Bastian Kortrecht, Rachel Decker, his wife
	Gysbert van Garden, Jun Rachel Kortrecht	Petrus	Alexander van Garden, Tjaetje Kortrecht
April 21.	Herman Rosenkranz Arriaentje Oosterhout	Jacobus Rosenkranz	Jacobus Rosenkranz, Sarah Decker, his wife
May 19.	Arie Kortrecht Lisabeth Cole	Samuel	Johannes Westfael, Apollonia Kortrecht
June 16.	Salomon Davis, Jun Lea Decker	Jonas	Joel Quick, Lena Rosenkranz
	Abram Wildfield Mary Wells	Neeltje	Pieter Kuykendal, Femmetje Decker
June 30.	Arie Vredenburgh Sara Rosenkranz	Catharina	Dirk Rosenkranz, Catharina Rosenkranz
July 14.	Pieter Gemar Tjaatje De Witt	Maria	Samuel Swartwout, Lisabeth Gemaer, his wife

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1745.			
Aug. 4.	Benjamin Westfael Annatje van Aken	Sara	Hannes van Aken, Jenneke van Aken
Oct. 6.	Simon Westfael Jannetje Westbroeck	Aeltje	Antony Westbroeck, Aeltje van Etten, his wife
Oct. 27.	Thomas Schoonhoven Maria Westfael	Jacob	Jacob Westfael, Lisabeth Westfael
Nov. 10.	Johannes Kuyckendal Lisabeth Decker	Catharina	Bastiaen Kortrecht, Rachel Decker, his wife
	Willem Kortrecht Margriet Jansen	Susannetje	James McCartery, Lisabeth Mey
Nov. 24.	John Williams Lea Decker	Johannes	Broer Decker, Anneke van Etten, his wife
Dec. 8.	Dirk Westbrock Jenneke van Keuren	Lydia	Cornelis Westbroeck, Antje Rosa, his wife
	William Ennes Elizabeth Quick	Daniel	Hendrick Cornelise Kortrecht, Jannetje Ennes, his wife
Dec. 22.	Jacobus Decker Neeltje Ditsoort	Joel	Jacobus Koddebeck, Neeltje Decker, his wife
1746.			
Jan. 1.	Aert Middagh Arriaentje van Etten	Gideon	Salomon Westbroeck, Lena Westbroeck
Jan. 12.	Evert Hoornbeeck Lena Cuddebeck	Elisabeth	Johannes Decker, Elisabeth De Witt, his wife
	Evert Hoornbeeck Lena Cuddebeck	Lena	William Cole, Maritje Cuddebeck, his wife
	Jacob Middagh Sara Kuykendal	Elisabeth	Jacobus Middagh, Elizabeth Consales Duke
Feb. 9.	Salomon Decker Lena Quick	Salomon	Salomon Kuyckendal, Femmetje Decker
	Jan Van Etten Maritje Westfaal	Maria	Antony Van Etten, Maria Westbroeck
Feb. 26.	Cornelis Westbroeck Antje Rosa	Samuel	Jan Van Etten, Maritje Westfael, his wife
April 20.	Andries Dingenman Cornelia Kermer	Alida	William Ennes, Alida Dingenman

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1746.			
May 4.	Cornelis Krom Rebecca Schoonhoven	Elisabeth	Jacob Westfael, Elisabeth Westfael
	Willem Titsoort Sara Decker	Jacobus	Jacobus Rosenkranz, Sarah Decker, his wife
May 18.	Dirk Quick Aplony van Garden	Abram	Abram Isakse van Aken, Sara van Aken
June 15.	Abram Louw Dina Kuddebeck	Sara	Willem Kuddebeck, Jacomyntje Elten, his wife
June 29.	Jacobus Kuddebeck Neeltje Decker	Hendricus	Jabobus Decker, Neeltje Titsoort, his wife
July 13.	Joh: Casparus Fryenmuth Magdalena van Etten	Antje	Jacob van Etten and wife, Antje Westbroeck
	Willem Waert Maria Decker	Rachel	Abraham Kermer and wife, Sara Schammers
July 27.	Johannes Cole Pieternella van Aken	Sara	Jacobus Rosenkranz, Sara Decker, his wife
Aug. 10.	Jacob Westbroek Lydia Westfael	Blandina	Antony Westbroek, Aeltje van Etten, his wife
Sept. 7.	Benjamin Westbroeck Catharina Westbroeck	Antje	Johannes Westbroeck, Antje Rosa
	James McCarty Lisabeth Mey	Willem	Willem Kortrecht, Margriet Jansen
	John Prys Lucretia Ramsey	Apollonia	Johannes Westfael, Apollonia Kortrecht, his wife
Sept. 11.	Johan Jory Windemuth Johanna Margreta Elisabetha Bernhardin	Maria Margreta Maria Juliana	Johannes Snauber and wife, Anna Elisabetha Windemoedin. Jory Philip Windenmuth. Maria Juliana Huber, his wife
Sept. 21.	David Cole Elleonora Westfael	Jacob	Jacob Westfael, Sara Westfael
Oct. 5.	Gysbert Van Garden Maria Cole	Petrus	Arie Kortrecht, Lisabeth Cole, his wife

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1746.			
Oct. 19.	Jacob Bogaert Nelli Kuykendal	Jacob	Cornelis Westfael, Lisabeth Westfael
	Bastiaen Kortrecht Rachel Decker	Jonas	Joris Davis, Debora Schoonhoven, his wife
Nov. 16.	Johannes Westbroeck, Jun Lena Westbroeck	Johannes	Johannes Westbroeck, Antje Rosa, his wife
Nov. 30.	Cornelis van Etten Heyltje Westbroeck	Antje	Jacob van Etten, Antje Westbroeck, his wife
	Abram van Tilburgh Sara Clavonsher	Sara	Abram Kermer, Sara Schammers, his wife
1747.			
Jan. 11.	Andries De Witt Brechje Nottingham	Henry	Egbert Dewitt and wife, Mally Nottingham
Feb. 1.	Andries Decker Dievertje Maul	Elisabeth	Johannes Corn. Westbroeck, Elisabeth Swartwout
Feb. 22.	Jacobus Quick Marya Westbroeck	Petrus	Herman Rosenkranz, Arriaentje Oosterhout, his wife
	Arie Kortrecht Lisabeth Cole	Lydia	Gysbert van Garden, Marya Cole, his wife
	John Boman Hanna Middagh	John	Abram Middagh, Lena van Aken, his wife
March 15.	Gerardus Van Nimwegen Jannetje de Witt	Annatje. Elisabeth.	Abram Kuddebeck, Annatje Decker. Samuel van Vliet, Lisabeth van Vliet
March 9.	Caspar Sheefer, Catharina Bernhardin	Valentyn	Valentyn Vocht, Barbara Behmin
March 29.	Benjamin Westfael Annatje Van Aken	Jury	Abram Van Aken, Margriet Westfael, his wife
	Johannes van Garden Margriet Quick	Samuel	Arie Kortrecht, Lisabeth Cole, his wife
	Johannes Decker Lena Quick	Johannes Van Aken	Johannes van Aken, Margriet Rosenkranz
April 12.	Hendrick H. Kortrecht Margriet Decker	Femmetje	Salomon Kuykendal, Elisabeth Kuykendal

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1747.			
April 19.	Broer Decker Annatje Van Etten	Jacob	Andries Decker, Dievertje Moul, his wife
	Cornelis Brinck Maria Cole	Johannes	Johannes Westbroeck, senior, Antje Rosa, his wife
May 10.	Abram Middagh Lena van Aken	Salomon	Salomon Kuykendal, Margriet Rosenkranz
	Abram van Aken Jannetje De Witt	Lydia	Jacobus Rosenkranz, Lydia Westfael
June 21.	Thomas Schoonhoven Marya Westfael	Debora	Cornelis Westfael, Catharina Cole
	Gerardus Van Nimwegen Jannetje De Witt	Jacob	Samuel Swartwout, Lisabeth Gemar, his wife
	Cornelis Krom Rebecca Schoonhoven	Maria	Johannes Krom, Anna Cock, his wife
	Jan van Vliet Jesyntje Swartwout	Marya	Jacob Westbroeck, Marya Westbroeck
	Josias Cole Marya Kimbel	Wilhelmus	William Cole, Marya Cuddebeck, his wife
	Terrenz Devin Marya Kuykendal	Abraham	Cornelis Kuykendal, Maritje Westfael, his wife
	Johannes Cole Pieternella Van Aken	Abraham	Abraham Van Aken, Lisabeth Van Aken
	Jacob Bogaert Pieternella Kuykendal	Sara	Cornelis Westfael, Lisabeth Kuykendal
	Abraham Middagh Lena Van Aken	Samuel	Benjamin Westfael, Anna van Aken, his wife
	Willem Cuddebeck Jacomyntje Etten	Benjamin	Evert Hoornbeck, and wife, Lena Cuddebeck
	David Cole Leonora Westfael	Margrietje	Cornelis Westfael, Lisabeth Westfael
	Benjamin Westfael Anna van Aken	Marya	William Cole, Marya Cuddebeck, his wife
	Hendrick Kuykendal Elisabeth Cole	Hendricus	Daniel Kuykendal, Catharina Cole

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1747.			
June 21.	Thomas Decker Jannetje Van Nimwegen	Petrus	Pieter Kuykendal, Femmetje Decker
	Jacobus Rosenkranz Sara Decker	Salomon	Salomon Decker, Catharina van Aken
	Salomon Davis Lea Decker	Catharina	Abraham van Aken, Jun, Catharina van Aken
June 21.	Bastiaen Kortrecht Rachel Decker	Catharina	Johannes Westfael, Apollonia Kortrecht, his wife
	Petrus Decker Leentje Oosterhout	Helena	Abram Wildfield, Jun., Helena Rosenkranz
	Abram Louw Dina Kuddebeck	Noemi	Abram Kuddebeck, Noemi Kuddebeck
	Johannes Westbroeck, Jr. Magdalena Westbroeck	Alida	Jacob Westbroeck, Jannetje Westbroeck
July 5.	Hendrick Decker Annatje Titsoort	Benjamin	Joel Quick, Femmetje Decker
	Cornelis Brinck Marya Cole	Hermannus	Andries Cole, Lisabeth Cole
	Mattheus Brinck Abigail Bel	Jan	Willem Kortrecht, Margriet Jansen, his wife
	Gysbert Van Garden Marya Cole	Catharina	Willem Decker, Neeltje Rosa, his wife
	Willem Ditsoort Sara Decker	Sara	Salomon Decker, Neeltje Decker
	Johannes Westfael Apollonia Kortrecht	Johannes	Jan van Etten, Maritje Westfael, his wife
	Johannes Hooghteeling Maritje Hoornbeeck	Jonathan	Bastian Kortrecht, Racheltje Decker, his wife
	Willem Kortrecht Margriet Jansen	Josias	Cornelis Kortrecht, Margriet Westfael
	Jacobus Decker Neeltje Ditsoort	Jonathan	Willem Ditsoort, Sarah Decker, his wife
	Aaron Vredenburgh Sara Rosenkranz	Lydia	Mattheus Vredenburg, Lydia Westfael

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1747.			
July 5.	Herman Van Garden Elsje Kuddebeck	Daniel	Isak Van Aken, Rachel De Witt, his wife
	Broer Decker Antje Van Etten	Elias	Johannes Westbroeck, Antje Rosa, his wife
	Aert Middagh Arriaentje Van Etten	Martynus	Benjamin Westbroeck, Marya Westbroeck
	Jan Van Etten Maritje Westfael	Daniel	Daniel Westfael, Margareta Westfael
	Mattheus Brinck Abigail Bel	Jacobus	Thomas Quick, Marya de Witt, his wife
	Abraham Kermer Sarah Schammers	Angonietje	Samuel Schammers, Sara Kortrecht, his wife
	Johannes Van Garden Margriet Quick	Sara	Benjamin Quick, Jenneke Van Garden
Aug. 2.	Abram Van Aken, Jun Margriet Westfael	Catharina	Benjamin Westbroek, Catharina Westbroeck, his wife
Sept. 13.	Johannes Dirkse Westbroeck Sara Tack	Jenneke	Thomas Decker, Annatje Decker
	Joris Davis Debora Schoonhoven	Engeltje	Salomon Kuykendal, Margriet Rosenkranz
Oct. 11.	Salomon Decker Lena Quick	Lydia	Juriaen Westfael, Lydia Westfael
	Thomas Decker Jenneke van Nimwegen	Hendrick	Hendrick J. Kortrecht, Gerretje van Benschoten, his wife
Oct. 13.	Hendrick Kuykendal Lisabeth Cole	Jacob	Salomon Kuykendal, Lisabeth Kuykendal
	Leendert Titsoort Geeshi Ritt	Sara	Willem Titsoort, Neeltje Titsoort
Oct. 25.	Jury Philip Windemoet Maria Juliana Huber	Johannes	Johannes Merckel, Anna Elizabetha Snauber
1748.			
Jan. 3.	Thomas Schoonhoven Marya Westfael	Weyntje	Joris Davis, Debora Schoonhoven, his wife

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1748.			
Jan. 3.	Matheus Brinck Abigail Bel	Lisabeth	Petrus Brinck, Hannah Johns
Jan. 24.	Symon Westfael Jannetje Westbroeck	Jury	Daniel Westfael, Lydia Westfael
March 6.	Jan Van Etten Maritje Westfael	Margarita	Jacobus Rosenkranz, Marya Cuddebeck
March 20.	Salomon Davis Lea Decker	Elisabeth	Samuel van Vliet, Elisabeth vanVliet
April 10.	James McCarty Lisabeth Mey	Maria	Joseph Westbroeck, Maria Westbroeck
May 15.	Dirk Rosenkranz Catharina van Aken	Jannetje	Jacobus van Aken, Jannetje De Witt
July 17.	Joh: Casparus Fryenmoet Magdalena Van Etten	Heyltje	Cornelis Van Etten, Heyltje Westbroeck, his wife
	Herman Rosenkranz Arriaentje Oosterhout	Benjamin	Arie Vredenburgh, Sara Rosenkranz, his wife
	William Ennes Elisabeth Quick	Margriet	Margriet Decker
	Willem Kortrecht Margriet Jansen	Gerretje	Hendrick J. Kortrecht, Gerretje van Bunschoten, his wife
Aug. 17.	Cornelis Ab. Westfael Lisabeth Westfael	Annatje	Cornelis Westfael, Annatje Westfael
Sept. 19.	Josias Cole Marya Kimmel	Petrus	Joris Kimmel, Lisabeth Kimmel
	Jacobus Oosterhout Annatje Terwillige (onecht)	Lena	Johannes van Aken, Lena Rosenkranz
	Geertje Kortrecht	Sylvester Symon	David Cole and wife, Eleonora Westfael
Oct. 9.	Abram Louw Dina Kuddebeck	Margriet	Jan Van Vliet, Jesyntje Swartwout, his wife
Nov. 27.	Cornelis Cole Claesje Jongbloet	Jacob	Jacob Van Etten, and wife, Antje Westbroeck
1749.			
Jan. 8.	John Prys Lucretia Ramsey	Elizabeth	Benjamin Dupuy, Elizabeth Swartwout, his wife

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1749.			
Jan. 29.	Gysbert van Garden Marya Cole	Abram	Johannes Westfael, Apollonia Kortrecht, his wife
	Dirk Quick Apollonia Van Garden	Catharina	Thomas Quick, Catharina Quick
	Daniel Westfael Marya Westbroeck	Abram	Abram Chambers, Lena Westbroeck
	Benjamin Westfael Annatje van Aken	Margriet	Benjamin Quick, Hannah Joons, his wife
Feb. 12.	Symon Westfael Jannetje Westbroek	Simeon	Jacobus van Aken, Jannetje De Witt
Feb. 26.	Benjamin Westbroeck Catharina Westbroek	Johannes	Johannes Westbroeck, Maria Westbroeck, his wife
	Salomon Westbroek Hester Bevier	Louis	Antony Westbroeck, Aeltje van Etten, his wife
	Antony V. Bunschoten Margriet Wells	Maria	Johannes Westbroek, Maria Westbroeck, his wife
March 12.	Johannes Westbroeck, Jr Magdalena Westbroeck	Samuel	Jacobus Swartwout, Antje Westbroeck, broeck, his wife
March 24.	Jan Alderse Rosa Catharina van Etten	Marya	Isak Rosa, Marya Rosa
	Johannes Westfael Aplony Kortrecht	Hendrick and Samuel	Hendrick J. Kortreckt, Gerretje Van Bunschoten, his wife, Arie Kortrecht, Lisabeth Cole, his wife
	Johannes van Garden Margriet Quick	Cornelis	Cornelis Quick, Margriet De Witt
March 26.	William Waert Marya Decker	Maria	Johannes Westbroek, Jun, Maria Westbroeck, his wife
	Bastaien Kortrecht Rachel Decker	Jacob	Jacob Westbroeck, Lydia Westfael, his wife

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1749.			
April 9.	onecht Rebecca Krom	Gonda	Jacobus Rosenkranz, Eleonora Westfael
May 7.	Andries Decker Dievertje Maul	Casparus Fryenmoet. Johannes. Petrus	J. C. Fryenmout, Magdalena Van Etten, his wife Johannes Decker, and wife, Lisabeth De Witt, Pieter Gemaer and wife, Tjaetje de Witt
	Abraham Van Aken, Jun Catharina Rosenkranz	Maria	Cornelis van Aaken, Sara Westbroeck
May 21.	Jacob Bogaert Nelli Kuykendal	Margriet	Johannes van Garden and wife, Margriet Quick
June 18.	Abram van Aken Hoornbeek Catharina Terwilgen	Margrietje	Jacob van Aken, Sara van Aeken
Aug. 12.	Aert Middagh Ariaentje Van Etten	Rachel	Dirk Ketel, Rachel Van Etten, his wife
Sept. 10.	Arie Kortrecht Lisabeth Cole	Samuel	Johannes Westfael, Apollonia Kortrecht, his wife
Sept. 27.	Hendrick Kuykendal Lisabeth Cole	Benjamin	Willem Cole, Sara Cole
	Johannes Cole Pieternella Van Aaken	Johannes	Johannes Van Aaken, Jenneke Van Aaken
	Joris Davis Debora Schoonhoven	Jenneke	Thomas Decker, Jenneke Van Nimwegen, his wife
	Petrus Decker Magdalena Oosterhout	Samuel	Gerardus Swartwout, Hester Swartwout
Oct. 29.	David Cole Eleonora Westfael	Benjamin	Jan van Vliet, Jesyntje Swartwout, his wife
	Benjamin Dupuy Lisabeth Swartwout	Samuel	Samuel Swartwout, and wife, Lisabeth Gemaer
Nov. 26.	Petrus Quick Johanna Consales	Benjamin	Daniel Consales, Maria Consales
	Hendrick H. Kortrecht Margriet Decker	Sara	Willem Cole, Sara Cole

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1749.			
Nov. 26.	Abram Middagh Lena Van Aken	Dorothea	Mattheus Terwilligen, Jenneke van Aken
Dec. 10.	Abraham Schuymer Lena Westbroeck	Jsaak	Antony Westbroeck, Aeltje van Etten, his wife
	Benjamin Quick Hanna Joons	Mattheus	Mattheus Brinck, Abigail Bell
1750.			
Jan. 21.	Daniel Kuykendal Lisabeth Van Aken	Petrus	Pieter Kuykendal, Femmetje Decker, his wife
March 4.	Cornelis Cole Claesje Jongbloet	Cornelis Westbroeck	Cornelis Westbroeck, Antje Rosa, his wife
	Salomon Decker Lena Quick	Maria	Evert Roos Westbroeck, Maria De Witt
March 18.	Thomas Schoonhoven Marya Westfael	Benjamin	Benjamin van Vliet, Lisabeth van Vliet
April 15.	Salomon Davis Lea Decker	Petrus	Petrus Kuykendal, Catharina Decker
	Dirk Rosenkranz Catharina Van Aken	Herman	Herman Rosenkranz, Arriaentje Oosterhout, his wife
	onecht Catharina Hooghteeling	Jacob & Sara	Jan Van Vliet, Jesyntje Swartwout, his wife, Thomas Decker and wife, Jenneke Van Nimwegen
April 29.	Joseph Westbroeck Lisabeth Kuyckendal	Annatje	Pieter Kuyckendal, Femmetje Decker, his wife
	Joseph Wallen Neeltje Decker	Lisabeth	Abram Van Aken, Jr., Catharina Rosenkranz, his wife
May 1.	David Devoor Gerretje Hydt	Johannes & Cornelis	Cornelis Devoor and wife, Lena Westfael, Wilhelmus Devoor and wife, Catharina Schoonmaker
	Willem Devoor Catharina Schoonmaker	Alida	Jacobus Devoor, Evje Dingenman, his wife
	Mattheus Devoor Neeltje Schermerhoorn	Mattheus	Cornelis Devoor and wife, Lena Westfael

DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1750.			
May 1.	Daniel Devoor Lydia Westfael	Elisabeth	Johannes Dupuy, Rachel Devoor, his wife
	Daniel Devoor, Jun. Mally Leed	Lisabeth	Paul Dewitt, Catharine Dupuy, his wife
	Pieter Dewitt Marytje Roos	Jacob	Martinus Dewitt, Saertje Joons
	Lucas Schermerhoorn Sara Tyse	Lucas	Jacobus Devoor, Evje Dingenman, his wife
	John Schendeler Margriet Robert	Antje	Isaak Slover, Lisabeth Robert
May 13.	Mattheus Brinck Abigail Bell	Geertje	Mattheus Brinck, Lisabeth Brinck
May 27.	Jan van Etten Maritje Westfael	Samuel	Johannes Westfael, and wife, Apollonia Kortrecht
June 24.	Dirk Kittel Rachel Van Etten	Johanna	Johannes van Etten, and wife, Maria Consales
	James McCarty Lisabeth Meyer	John	Jan Rosa and wife, Catharina van Etten
July 2.	Martinus Dewitt Saertje Joons	Maria	Pieter Dewitt, Marytje Roos, his wife
July 8.	Andries Reifsnyder Susanna Wallon	Jacobus	Andries Decker, and wife, Dievertje Maul
Aug. 5.	Jacobus Oosterhout Annatje Terwilge	Jacobus	Arie Vredenburgh, Sara Rosenkranz, his wife
	Cornelis Westfael Lisabeth Westfael	Margriet	David Cole, Eleonora Westfael, his wife
	Joris Kimbel Sara Westfael	Petrus	Casparus Kimbel, Lena Kimbel
Aug. 19.	Cornelis Westbroeck Antje Rosa	Lydia	Joseph Westbroeck, and wife, Lisabeth Kuykendal
	Jury Philip Windemoet Maria Juliana Huberin	Abraham	Abraham Westbroeck, Jr, Sara Westbroeck
Sept. 23.	Jacobus van Sickel Sara van Aken	Johannes Casparus	J. C. Frynenmoet, Magdalena van Etten his wife
Nov. 4.	Salomon Westbroeck Hester Bevier	Moses	Daniel Westfael, Maria Westbroeck

(*To be continued.*)

THACHER-THATCHER GENEALOGY.

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(Continued from Vol. XLII., p. 168, of the Record.)

40. Bethiah[4] Thacher (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., July 10th, 1671; died at Barnstable, Mass., July 7th (or 8th), 1734; her will was dated September 4th, 1733, and proved July 31st, 1734; she was buried at Barnstable, Mass., in Lothrop's Hill Cemetery; she married at Yarmouth, Mass., (presumably) April 9th, 1691, to James Paine (son of Thomas Paine and Mary (Snow) Paine of Eastham, Mass.) He was born at Eastham, Mass., July 6th, 1665; died at Barnstable, November 12th, 1728, and was buried there in Lothrop's Hill Cemetery. He resided at Barnstable, Mass., in a house which stood on a lot where afterwards stood the house of Samuel Savage, afterwards John Gray's house. He was a school teacher, miller, cooper, soldier and clerk.

Children: 7 (Paine) 2 sons and 5 daughters, all born in Barnstable, Mass.

95 i. James,[5] born March 24th, 1691-2; baptized March 27th, 1692; died July 13th, 1711, at Barnstable, Mass., and was buried there in Lothrop's Hill Cemetery, where a stone to his memory exists, thus inscribed: "Here lyes buried the body of James Paine, aged 20 years, died July ye 13th, 1711." He was not married.

+96 ii. Thomas,[5] born April 8th, 1694, baptized April 9th, 1694; died May 30th, 1757; married Eunice Treat.

97 iii. Bethiah, 1st,[5] born February 22nd, 1695-6; baptized February 23rd, 1695-6 (or March 8th, 1696); died July 29th, 1697, at Barnstable, and was buried there.

+98 iv. Bethiah, 2nd,[5] born May 23rd, 1698, baptized May 29th, 1698; married Dr. Samuel Russell.

+99 v. Mary,[5] born August 13th, 1700; baptized August 18th, 1700; married first Nathaniel Freeman; married second Edmund Hawes.

+100 vi. Experience,[5] born March 17th, 1702-3; died June 17th, 1775; married Samuel Hunt.

101 vii. Rebecca,[5] born April 8th, 1705; died June 13th (or 30th), 1726, aged 21, at Barnstable, Mass.,

and was probably buried there. No grave stone. Not married.

James Paine, Senior, was admitted a freeman of Barnstable, May 29th, 1689. He was an enterprising and highly respected citizen. He was a school teacher, miller, cooper and a clerk. He served on the expedition against Canada in 1691 led by Sir William Phipps and also in Captain Gorham's company, and is mentioned as a clerk. For his services in Captain Gorham's Company his heirs in 1736 received a grant of land in Maine. He was of a literary turn of mind, and was a member of the 1st Church, Branstable, until the organization of the 2nd Church, when he was granted a letter of dismissal to the 2nd Church at his own request and he became a member thereof. He was the 1st clerk of the East Precinct or Parish of Barnstable and so served many years.

Mary Snow, mother of James Paine, Senior, was the daughter of Nicholas Snow and Constance (Hopkins) Snow. Nicholas Snow came over in the *Ann* in 1623 and married Constance (daughter of Stephen Hopkins, of the *Mayflower*), and settled in Eastham in 1645. He died in 1676. Thomas Paine, who married his daughter, was the founder of the Eastham branch of the Paine family, and he (Thomas Paine) died August 16th, 1706; his exact age is not known.

The following inscriptions are taken from stones in Lothrop's Hill Cemetery, Barnstable, Mass., viz:—

"Here lies buried Mrs. Bethiah Paine, wife of Mr. James Paine, deceased, and daughter of the late Honorable John Thacher. She died July ye 8th, (1734), *Aetatis* 63."

"Here is buried the body of James Paine, born July ye 6th, 1655, died November ye 12th, 1728, in hope of a Glorious Resurrection."

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41. COLONEL JOHN[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., January 28th, 1674-5; died at Barnstable, Mass., March 26th, 1764, and was buried in Barnstable in Goodspeed's Hill, East Burying Ground, grave stone; he resided at Barnstable, Mass., in the East Parish; he was a soldier, Judge and Registrar of Deeds for Barnstable County. He married at Barnstable, November 10th, 1698, before his father, Hon. Col. John[3] Thacher, as civil magistrate to Desire (Sturgis) Dimmock (widow of Captain Thomas Dimmock). She was born at Yarmouth, Mass., date of birth ——, 1666; see age at death and date of

death; died at Barnstable, Mass., March 29th, 1749, aged 83, and was buried probably at Barnstable, but no stone marks her grave. She was a daughter of Edward Sturgis (born April 10th, 1624; died December 8th, 1678), and his wife, Temperance (Gorham) Sturges, of Yarmouth, Mass.

Children 6 (Thacher) 3 sons and 3 daughters, all born at Barnstable, Mass.

+102 i. Abigail,[5] born November 2nd, 1699; died September 18th, 1768; married Joseph Hallett.

+103 ii. Elizabeth,[5] born June 17th, 1701; died September 14th, 1733; married Jonathan Davis.

+104 iii. John,[5] born June 25th, 1703; died September 13th, 1783; married Content Norton.

+105 iv. Lot,[5] born May 23rd, 1705; died December 15th (or 16th), 1732; married Rebecca Kean.

+106 v. Fear,[5] born March 28th, 1707; died November 14th, 1758; married Nathaniel Lewis.

+107 vi. Roland,[5] born August 28th, 1710; died February 18th, 1775; married Abigail Crocker.

Colonel John[4] Thacher was for about thirty (30) years Registrar of Deeds for the County of Barnstable, Mass. He was for many years Judge of the Court of Common Pleas ,and was Colonel of a Regiment. He was a selectman at Barnstable from 1716 for 8 years and from 1735 for 4 years. The following is the inscription on his tombstone in Goodspeed's Hill Burying Ground on the south side of the East Meeting House in Barnstable, viz:—

"Here lies interred ye body of ye Hon'bl John Thacher, Esq., who after a long life of usefulness and faithfulness in several military and civil offices, and of eminent exemplariness in ye religious Christian life, departed this mortal life in ye fear of Christ and his gospel and in ye hope of eternal life, March ye 26th, 1764, in ye 90th year of his age."

"Let me die the death of the righteous
and let my last days be like his."

Freeman's Cape Cod, Vol. II, p. 220, says that he died March 7th, 1764; and *Allen's Thacher Genealogy*, p. 37; says that he died March 17th, 1764; and the *N. E. Hist. Gen. Reg.*, Vol. XIV, p. 12, is given an abbreviated copy of his epitaph in which it is stated that he died March 17th, 1764. The above inscription was copied and sent to me by Stanley W. Smith, Esq., of Boston, Mass., an expert and reliable authority on grave yard inscriptions of Cape Cod. The will of Col. John[4] Thacher (see Barnstable Probate Records) mentions his daughter Abigail Hallett; children of my daughter, deceased as follows: To Elizabeth Penfield, * * *. To each of the others as they arrive at the age of 21 * * *. To the children of my granddaughter, Mary Lothrop, deceased * * *. To my son, Roland. To the

children of my grandson, Lot Thacher, deceased, * * *. To my granddaughter-in-law, Martha Thacher, while she is Lot's widow * * *. Executor John[5] Thacher, Jr. Witnesses, Peter Thacher, Elizabeth Dimmock and Lydia Gorham. Dated March 27th, 1763. Letters testamentary granted April 20th, 1764.

Captain Thomas Dimmock, first, husband of Desire Sturgis, was born April ——, 1664, and died September 9th, 1697. He was killed in the Indian War. He lived at Barnstable, Mass., and had by Desire Sturgis the following children, all born in Barnstable, viz:—

i. Mehitable, born October ——, 1686; died May ——, 1775; aged 88; married Capt. John Davis.
ii. Temperance, born June ——, 1689; died ——; married Benjamin Freeman.
iii. Edward, born July 5, 1692; died ——; married Hannah ——.
iv. Thomas, born December 25, 1694; died ——; married ——.
v. Desire, born February ——, 1696; died January 28th, 1732-3; married Job Gorham.

All of the above children were baptized at Barnstable, March 26th, 1699.

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42. ELIZABETH[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., June 19th, 1677; died at Falmouth, Mass. (presumably) May 18th, 1710, and was presumably buried there, the existence of her gravestone has never been discovered by me; married at Falmouth, Mass. (it is recorded there) by John Thacher, Justice of the Peace (her father) on October 18th, 1699, to Deacon Moses Hatch (as his second wife). Elizabeth[4] (Thacher) Hatch was admitted to church at Barnstable, August 2nd, 1702, and was dismissed therefrom to church at Falmouth, October 10th, 1708. Deacon Moses Hatch was born at Falmouth, March 4th, 1662-3; he is said to have been the first white child born there; he was admitted to First Church at Barnstable, June 19th, 1698; and was dismissed to church at Falmouth, October 10th, 1708, in which latter church he was a first deacon; he was a farmer and a wealthy man of good business ability and a good citizen; he died at Falmouth, May 20th, 1747, in the 85th year of his age, and was buried there in the old burying ground. He was a son of Jonathan and Sarah (Rowley) Hatch, (Savage says Hannah

Rowley, in which statement he is incorrect) who resided at Falmouth, Mass., having removed there from Barnstable.

Children: 5 (Hatch), 2 sons and 3 daughters; first child born at Yarmouth, rest born at Falmouth, Mass.

+108 i. Elizabeth,[5] born May 15th, 1701; died October 23rd (or 24th), 1744; married Timothy Hallett.

+109 ii. Moses,[5] born ——; died ——; married, first, Mary Lord; married second ——?

+110 iii. Rebecca,[5] born December 27th, 1703; baptized June 18th, 1704; died July 5th, 1740; married James Lewis.

111 iv. Hannah,[5] born May 27th, 1705; baptized October 14th, 1705; died ——.

112 v. Sylvanus,[5] born ——; died ——.

Deacon Moses Hatch gave to Falmouth the land on which the first church was built and which is now a public square ornamented with trees. He married, first, May 9th, 1686, Hepsiba Eddy, of Tisbury, Martha's Vineyard (said to be the younger sister of Elizabeth Eddy, second wife of his brother, Benjamin Hatch); and by her he had the following children (not in Thacher line):

i. Abiah, born February 1st, 1686-7; died February 13th, 1686-7; buried February 14th, 1686-7.

ii. M * * * (a son), born February 1st, 1686-7; died February 1st, 1686-7; buried February 2nd, 1686-7.

iii. Moses, born October 6th, 1688; died October 23rd, 1688.

iv. Hepsiba, born February 16th, 1690; died ——; married Benjamin Nye, of Falmouth.

A Moses Hatch married, about 1710-11, to Hannah, widow of Joshua Bangs, and a daughter of John Scudder, of Barnstable. This Hannah Scudder was baptized October 5th, 1651, and hence was 11 years older than Deacon Moses Hatch. Joshua Bangs died January 14th, 1709-10. Although she was so much older than Deacon Moses Hatch, yet the death of Elizabeth (Thacher) Hatch, his second wife, and the death of Joshua Bangs, Hannah Scudder's first husband, renders it possible that Deacon Moses Hatch had for a third wife Hannah (Scudder) Bangs. The Falmouth Records state that " Hannah, wife of Captain Moses Hatch, died May 13th, 1739." If this was the above Hannah (Scudder) Bangs-Hatch, then Deacon Moses Hatch was styled Captain, as was also his son Moses. It is thought by Amos Otis, in his *Barnstable Families,* that the death record should read, "Mary, wife of Captain Moses Hatch, died May 13th, 1739;" the record, in his opinion, referring to Mary Lord, first wife of Captain Moses, son of Deacon Moses.

Deacon Moses Hatch's fourth and last wife's name was Patience ——.

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46. LYDIA[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., February 11th, 1684-5; admitted to First Church, Harwich, March 1st, 1723-4; died at Harwich, September 3rd, 1724, aged 39; buried at Brewster, Mass., gravestone; she married at Yarmouth (probably) October 13th, 1709, to Captain Joseph Freeman, as his first wife. He was born at Harwich, Mass., February 11th, 1682-3 (see Eastham and Orleans Vital Records); he resided at Harwich and was admitted to First Church, Brewster (then Harwich), April 22nd, 1733. He held rank successively as Ensign, Lieutenant and Captain in the Militia; he was a Selectman, Justice of the Peace and Representative to the General Court; he died at Harwich, March ——, 1756; will dated March 10th, 1756; he was probably buried at Harwich (now Brewster), but I have never seen record of his gravestone. Captain Joseph Freeman was a son of Deacon Thomas Freeman (born September ——, 1653; died February 9th, 1716, aged 62; married December 31st, 1673), and his wife, Rebecca (Sparrow) Freeman (born October 30th, 1655; died ——), daughter of Jonathan Sparrow and Rebecca (Bangs) Sparrow. Captain Joseph Freeman's parents lived at Harwich, Mass.

Children: 6 (Freeman), 3 sons and 3 daughters, all born at Harwich, Mass.

+113 i. Thacher,[5] born December 3rd, 1710; baptized First Parish, Brewster, March 8th, 1723-4; died August 15th, 1784; married Anna Gray.

114 ii. Elizabeth,[5] born December 14th, 1712; baptized First Parish, Brewster, March 8th, 1723-4; died ——; married February 12th, 1754, Ebenezer Berry, of Rochester, Mass.

115 iii. Joseph,[5] born March 15th (or 25th), 1714-15; baptized First Parish, Brewster, March 8th, 1723-4; died ——, young; probably unmarried; he is not mentioned in his father's will.

+116 iv. Lydia,[5] born October 22nd, 1717; baptized First Parish, Brewster, March 8th, 1723-4; died ——; married Nathaniel Clarke.

+117 v. Rebecca,[5] born March (or April) 23rd, 1720; baptized First Parish, Brewster, March 8th, 1723-4; died ——; married Jonathan Hopkins.

118 vi. Thomas,[5] born March 23rd, 1721-2; baptized First Parish, Brewster, March 8th, 1723-4; died ——, young; probably unmarried; not mentioned in his father's will.

Captain Joseph Freeman married a second time, on September 9th, 1736, to Mary (Watson) Freeman (widow of Nathaniel Freeman, Esq., and daughter of Elkanah Watson, of Plymouth, Mass.), by whom he had one (1) daughter, Mary Freeman, who was baptized at Harwich, Mass., in 1744. Nathaniel Freeman, first husband of Mary Watson, was born March 17th, 1682-3, and died August 2nd, 1735; he married Mary Watson, October 24th, 1706; his will was dated August 1st, 1735. Captain Joseph Freeman mentions in his will "his grand daughter, Anne Freeman" (doubtless daughter of his son Thacher); "his daughters, Elizabeth Berry, Lydia Clarke, Rebecca Hopkins, and son Thacher." Mary Watson, his second wife, was born in October ——, 1688; and was received into church at Brewster in 1724.

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47. MARY[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., February 5th, 1686-7 (or March 6th, 1686-7, according to Richard Henry Greene, Historian General of the Mayflower Society, who is the only authority I know of who so gives it); died at Barnstable, Mass., June 28th, 1778, in the 92nd year of her age, and was buried in Barnstable, Mass., in Goodspeed's Hill West Burying Ground, where a gravestone marks her grave thus inscribed: "Here lies buried Mrs. Mary Gorham, relict widow of the Honorable Shubael Gorham, Esq., deceased, who died June 28th, 1778, in ye 92nd year of her age." She married at Yarmouth, December 23rd, 1708, Colonel Shubael Gorham. He was born at Barnstable, Mass., September 2nd, 1686, and lived at Barnstable; he was a soldier and man of public affairs; he died at Louisburg, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, February 20th, 1745-6, and was buried there, probably, as no stone marks his grave in Barnstable. He was the son of Lieut. Col. John Gorham (born at Marshfield, Mass., February 20th, 1651-2; died November 11th (or December 9th), 1716; married February 24th, 1674-5), and of Mary (Otis) Gorham, his wife, who was baptized March 14th, 1654; died April 1st, 1733; she was the daughter of John Otis. Col. Shubael Gorham's parents lived in Barnstable.

Children: 10 (Gorham), 6 sons and 4 daughters, all born in Barnstable.

+119 i. John,[5] born December 12th, 1709; died ——, 1750-1, about; married Elizabeth Allyn.

+120 ii. David,[5] born April 6th, 1712; died January 2nd, 1786; married first Abigail Sturgis; married

second Elizabeth Stevens; married third Hannah Davis.

+121 iii. Mary,[5] born February 7th, 1714; died ——; married Stephen Clap.

122 iv. William,[5] born May 6th, 1716; died ——, after 1746.

+123 v. Lydia,[5] born June 28th, 1718; died November 9th, 1740; married Dr. James Hersey.

124 vi. Hannah, 1st,[5] born May 22nd, 1720; died ——, young; buried at Barnstable, Mass.; not married.

+125 vii. Hannah, 2nd,[5] born May 1st, 1721; died ——; married Edward Crosby.

126 viii. Shubael,[5] born June 27th, 1723; died ——, 1748, aged 25; buried at Barnstable, Mass.; not married.

+127 ix. Joseph,[5] born May 29th, 1725; died ——; married Ann Spry.

+128 x. Benjamin, born June 5th, 1726; died ——; married first Nancy Hinckley; married second Ellen Rankin.

"Colonel Shubael Gorham took an active part in obtaining the grants made by the Legislature of Massachusetts, to the officers and soldiers actively engaged in King Philip's War; and was chairman of the Committee for Narragansett No. 7 (now Gorham, Maine), which township was granted to the officers and soldiers in the company under command of Captain John Gorham. He was Colonel of the 7th Massachusetts Regiment in the Louisburg expedition, his commission being dated February 20th, 1744; and he was also captain of the 1st Company of that Regiment; he died at Louisburg, February 20th, 1745-6. The fortress of Louisburg, which was built by the French, was captured by the English and Colonial forces, June 17th, 1745. The preparations for the war were made in New England during the previous winter. General Sir Wm. Pepperell was in command; Admiral Sir Peter Warren commanded the fleet. There were two brigadier generals, Samuel Waldo and Joseph Dwight. It was usual then for general officers to command regiments and for field officers to command companies. General Pepperell commanded the 1st Regiment of Mass. Colony; Waldo the 2nd; Jeremiah Moulton the 3rd; Samuel Willard the 4th; Robert Hall the 5th; Sylvester Richmond the 6th; and Shubael Gorham the 7th and he was Captain of the 1st Company thereof, with John Gorham (his son) as Lieutenant Colonel and Captain of the 2nd Company. This last regiment (the 7th) was posted at Light House Point."

"Colonel Shubael Gorham was a man of enterprise and one who persevered in whatever he undertook until he failed or succeeded; his name frequently appears in the parish, town and state records, showing that he was a man esteemed by those who knew him. The great act of his life, that for which he will be ever remembered, was the active and efficient part he took in obtaining

the grants made by the Legislature of Massachusetts to the officers and soldiers of the Narragansett or King Philip's War, or to their legal representatives. The earliest grant made to the Narragansett soldiers is dated May 27th, 1685, of a township 8 miles square in the Nipmay Country. This grant was made to persons residing in Lynn, Reading, Beverly and Hingham. Mr. Josiah Pierce, the Historian of Gorham, Maine, thinks that this grant was never located."

"December 14th, 1727, two tracts of land, six miles square, were granted, and April 26th, 1733, this grant was enlarged, giving a township equal to six (6) miles square to each 120 persons whose claims should be established within four (4) months. It was found that the whole number was 840. Seven (7) townships were granted in the province of Maine, called Narragansett townships Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7. The last township, No. 7, was assigned to the officers and men who served under Captain John Gorham and to a few additional ones; and it was afterwards incorporated as the town of Gorham, but was generally known as 'Gorhamtown.' By an order in Council, dated February 2nd, 1736, Shubael Gorham, Esq., was empowered to assemble the grantees of this township. In this order occurs a curious mistake. It is therein stated that the grant was made to the soldiers under the command of Captain John Gorham in the Canada Expedition in 1690. Captain Gorham, of the Canada Expedition, was the father of Colonel Shubael Gorham; the grant was made to the officers and soldiers who served under his grandfather, Captain John Gorham, in the Narragansett War. By an order dated July 5th, 1736, this mistake was corrected:

"Col. Shubael Gorham was the chairman of the Committee for Narragansett No. 7, and was the efficient man in effecting its settlement. He spent much time and money in this enterprise, and bought the shares of many who did not desire to emigrate; and his speculation in wild lands proved unfortunate. He died insolvent in 1746; his own children being his principal creditors. He had no estate to dispose of at his death. James Lowell, Jr., was appointed August 16th, 1746, to administer his estate. The inventory is dated December 11th, 1746, and his personal estate was appraised in Old Tenor at £479, 18^{sh}, 6^{d}, and his Real Estate at £2,365. Total, £2,844, 18^{sh}, 6^{d}. He had 55 ounces, 17 pennyweights and 12 grains of silver plate valued at £99; 15^{sh}, 0^{d}; a part of which was marked with the arms of the Gorham family and has been preserved by the descendants of his son John. As before stated, members of his family were his principal creditors."

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48. DESIRE[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., December 24th, 1688, died at Yarmouth, May 6th, 1722 (Sabbath morning), buried at Yarmouth in old burying ground, gravestone. "Desire, wife of Ensign Josiah Crocker, died May 6th, 1722, in her 34th year." She married at Yarmouth (presumably) April 10th, 1717 (or 1718), to Captain Josiah Crocker, born at Barnstable, Mass., February 8th, 1684. He resided at Barnstable, Mass.; he was a sea captain and an Ensign in the Military Service. He died at Nauset, according to the Records, or at Annapolis *Rial,* St. Mary's Harbor, on October 10th, 1721, aged 37. He is supposed to be buried at Annapolis Royal, but a stone to his memory is erected in Old Burying Ground at Yarmouth thus inscribed: "Ensign Josiah Crocker died at sea October 10th, 1721, and was buried at Port Royal" (on gravestone of his wife). He was a son of Josiah Crocker (born September 19th, 1647; died February 2nd, 1699; married October 23rd, 1668), and Meletiah Hinckley (born ——, 1648-9; died February 2nd, 1714–15, daughter of Gov. Thomas Hinckley) who resided at Barnstable, Mass.

Children: 2 (Crocker) 1 son and 1 daughter, both born in Barnstable, Mass.

+129 i. Josiah,[5] born October 30th, 1719; died August 28th, 1774; married first Rebecca Allyn; married second Hannah Cobb.

130 ii. Desire,[5] born December 17th, 1721, (posthumous); she was baptized the following Sabbath; died ——. I have been unable to find further record of this child and conclude that she must have died young or unmarried, without issue.

Captain Josiah Crocker was a sea captain and while on a voyage to Nova Scotia he was betrayed out of his course by an Irishman who pretended to be a pilot. He and all of the crew were sick at the time. He died on board his own vessel at St. Mary's Harbor, Annapolis *Rial,* October 10th, 1721, and was buried at Port Royal, October 14th, 1721, age 37.

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49. HANNAH[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., October 9th, 1690 (or 1689); died at Colchester, Conn., May 6th, 1780, aged 90, "in her 91st year;" buried in old burying ground, Colchester, Conn., gravestone. She was married at Yarmouth, Mass. (presumably, although we have no record thereof); date of marriage —— (probably in 1715-16) to Nathaniel Otis. He was born at

Marshfield, Mass., January 31st, 1689-90; died at Colchester, Conn., April 15th, 1771, in his 82nd year, and was buried in old burying ground in Colchester, where gravestone marks his grave. He held many town offices in Colchester and was an Ensign in the Military Service. He was a son of Joseph Otis (baptized at Hingham, Mass., June 3rd, 1666; died at New London, Conn., June 11th, 1754; married November 20th, 1688), and his wife, Dorothy (Thomas) Otis (born November 6, 1670; died February 18th, 1755), daughter of Nathaniel Thomas and Deborah (Jacobs) Thomas, of Marshfield, Mass. Nathaniel Otis' parents lived at Scituate, Mass., and New London, Conn.

Children: 8 (Otis), 2 sons and 6 daughters.

+131 i. Lydia,[5] born January 20th, 1716-17; died January 1st, 1807, aged 91; married Abner Kellogg.

+132 ii. Hannah,[5] born February 29th, 1717-18; died June 12th, 1752; married Benajah McCall.

+133 iii. Dorothy,[5] born April 16th, 1721; died ——; married first Asahel Bigelow; married second Isaac Day; married third Joseph Langwill.

+134 iv. Desire,[5] born May 20th, 1723; died ——; married Ichabod Bartlett.

135 v. Nathaniel,[5] born August 20th, 1725; died January 24th, 1740-1, at Montville, Conn.; buried in Colchester, Conn., in old burying ground, gravestone; not married.

+136 vi. John,[5] born April 1st, 1728; died October 24th, 1804; married Prudence Taintor.

137 vii. Delight,[5] born March 16th (or 23rd), 1730-31; died July 20th, 1740, at Colchester, Conn., and was buried there in old burying ground, gravestone; not married.

+138 viii. Mercy,[5] born July 2nd (or 3rd), 1734; died ——; married Nathaniel Bartlett.

"Nathaniel Otis, Senior, removed from Scituate, Mass., to New London, Conn., about 1721, probably in company with his father, Josepph Otis; he was received into communion with the church in New London, together with his wife, November 29th, 1722. He was appointed January 22nd, 1721-2, on a committee to act in the prudential affairs of the parish and was chosen clerk of the parish January 31st, 1722-3, and also in 1723-4. At about this latter date he removed and settled about 8 miles from New London, on the old county road, in the town of Colchester. He settled on lands which his father purchased from Captain Samuel Gilbert. The deed for these lands was witnessed by Michael Taintor and James Otis; and for the sum of £770, lawful currency of New England, gives 280 acres of land and appurtenances; deed dated 1724, and was for land lying on the old county road in the town of Colchester. Joseph Otis, the grantee, is described in

the deed as then of Scituate, Mass. This land Joseph Otis deeds to his son Nathaniel in 1735-6, 'for and in consideration of love, goodwill and affection which I have and do bear unto my beloved son ——, and is the whole of what I design my said son shall have of my estate.' " The house erected on this land by Nathaniel Otis has been in the possession of five (5) successive generations of his family.

On May 29th, 1736, Nathaniel Otis was commissioned by Governor Talcott a Cornet of the troop of the County of Hartford; he also held numerous offices in the gift of the town of Colchester. He was one of the seven members of the Second Congregational Church, which was deeded to the North Parish in trust in 1721-2. He signed as trustee for the parish in the deed of transfer. He was present at the installment of Mr. Hillhouse, October 3rd, 1722, who was the first minister of the church. The meeting house was raised July 11th, 1723. Joseph Otis, his father, was one of the four original pew holders and was a deacon in the church.

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51. HON. JUDAH[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., August 20th, 1693; died at Yarmouth, January 8th, 1775, "in his 82nd year;" buried at Yarmouth in old burying ground, gravestone. He resided at Yarmouth, where he was a prominent merchant; he was a Representative to the General Court in 1737, a selectman from 1737 for 5 years, town treasurer from 1737 for 12 years, town clerk from 1740 for 8 years. He married at Yarmouth, June 4th, 1724, to Sarah Crosby, born at Yarmouth, February 4th, 1701-2; died at Yarmouth, October 20th, 1771, aged 69, "in her 70th year," and was buried in old burying ground, Yarmouth, gravestone. She was a daughter of Joseph and Mehitable (Miller) Crosby, of Yarmouth, Mass., who were married at Yarmouth, February 16th, 1692-3.

Children: 9 (Thacher), 7 sons and 2 daughters, all born at Yarmouth.

139 i. A daughter,[5] born March 27th, 1725; died March 27th, 1725; buried at Yarmouth, Mass.

+140 ii. Joseph,[5] born September 10th, 1726; died December 24th, 1771; married Abigail Hawes.

141 iii. David, 1st,[5] born May 30th, 1728; died July 29th, 1729; buried at Yarmouth.

+142 iv. David, 2nd,[5] born March 14th, 1730; died November 9th, 1801; married Abigail Russell.

+143 v. Josiah,[5] born February 2nd, 1732; died January 19th, 1802; married first Desire Crowell; married second Mary (Miller) Hedge, widow of Deacon Isaac Hedge.

144 vi. Judah,[5] born January 29th, 1734; died ——; at Halifax, N. S.; not married.

+145 vii. Sarah,[5] born August 17th, 1737; died ——; married first Prince Hawes; married second Thomas Palmer.

+146 viii. John,[5] born August 25th, 1739; died August 12th, 1799; married Hannah Matthews.

+147 ix. William,[5] born March 30th, 1743; died May 24th, 1829; married Thankful Hedge.

Judah[4] Thacher's will was dated August 7th, 1773, and proved February 10th, 1775, and is filed in the Probate Court at Barnstable, Mass. In it he mentions his two (2) grandsons, Solomon and Peleg, giving them "the land on which the house is and southerly up to the pond, equally between them." To my other grandsons, Ebenezer, Isaac, Joseph, Daniel, Barnabas and Ezekiel, 20 shillings apiece. To my grandson, Job Palmer, 20 shillings. To my granddaughters, Lydia, Sarah, Temperance, 20 shillings apiece. To Anna Hawes, 20 shillings. To John Thacher the land on which his house now stands adjoining the highway. To my son, William Thacher, my now dwelling house. To my four (4) sons, David, Josiah, John and William. He speaks of his dock, which he requests that they would not sell to a stranger until they had offered it to each other. David and Josiah, executors. Witnesses, Richard Taylor, Joyce Taylor and Desire Rawson.

The house mentioned in the first item is the one which was occupied in the latter part of the 19th century by Phebe Lewis, to the south of the first triangular common on Strawberry Lane in Yarmouth Port. The pond is Miller's Pond. John Thacher's house stood where subsequently stood the house occupied by Isaac Taylor and owned in 1907 by Thomas Chandler Thacher on the corner of Strawberry Lane and the highway. The dock mentioned was later known as Curtis Dock, on the farm of Mrs. James G. Hallett. The cutting in the swamp is now barely navigable, but two or three stumps of the piles of the old dock still exist.

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53. ANN[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., May 7th, 1697; died at ——, March 13th, 1756. She married at ——, May 31st, 1722, to John Lothrop, born at Barnstable, Mass., October 3rd, 1699; died at

Tolland, Conn., October 17th, 1752, and was buried at Tolland, Conn. He was a son of Hope Lothrop (born at Barnstable, Mass., July 15th, 1671; died October 29th, 1734 (or 1736); married December 17th, 1696), and Elizabeth (Lothrop) Lothrop, daughter of Meletiah and Sarah (Farrar) Lothrop. John Lothrop's parents lived in Barnstable and Falmouth, Mass., and in Tolland, Conn., and possibly in Sharon, Conn.

Children: 8 (Lothrop), 4 sons and 4 daughters.

+148 i. David,[5] born October ——, 1723; died October 2nd, 1787; married Clarinda Delano.

149 ii. Hannah,[5] born July 5, 1725; died ——; nothing further known of her.

+150 iii. Jonathan,[5] born September 18th, 1727; died ——; married Rachel Ladd.

151 iv. Anna,[5] born March 10th, 1730; died ——; nothing further known of her.

+152 v. John,[5] born May 6th, 1732; died March 24th, 1812; married Lucy Gray.

+153 vi. Thacher,[5] born January 26th, 1734; died December 30th, 1806; married Submit Loomis.

154 vii. Lydia,[5] born June 21st, 1736; died ——; nothing further known of her.

+155 viii. Elibabeth,[5] born April 22nd, 1740; died ——; married Solomon Wills.

"John Lothrop purchased 120 acres of land in Tolland, Conn., June 4th, 1726; and in the deed is said to be 'now resident of Tolland.' He had come, so Waldo says, from Falmouth, Mass. He stood among the first men in Tolland as is evident from the offices he held; he was a Selectman five years, a Justice of the Peace, a Deputy to the Connecticut Assembly five sessions, 1748-1751; he was Town Clerk of Tolland in 1722. He died October 17th, 1752, and we have the following strangely incomplete record, 'Mrs. Ann Lothrop died,' which, though imperfect, preserves for us at least the Christian name of John Lothrop's wife." John Lothrop lived in Barnstable and Falmouth, Mass., before settling in Tolland, Conn.

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54. COLONEL JOSEPH[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., July 11th, 1699; died at Yarmouth, June 17th, 1763; buried at Yarmouth in old cemetery, gravestone; he resided at Yarmouth and was a Colonel in the military service, a representative to the General Court from 1748 for three years, and a Selectman, 1750, for three years, in Yarmouth, where he was "a highly influential citizen."

He married at Yarmouth (probably) February 24th, 1727-8, to Ruth Hawes, who was born at Monomoy, February 3rd, 1708-9, died at Yarmouth, Mass., May 3rd, 1772, aged 62, "in her 62nd year," and was buried in Old Cemetery in Yarmouth, where a gravestone marks her resting place. She was a daughter of Ebenezer Hawes (died at Yarmouth, October 7th, 1727, aged 50, gravestone, Old Cemetery) and Sarah (——) Hawes (died at Yarmouth, January 9th, 1741, aged 65, gravestone, Old Cemetery), who resided at Yarmouth, Mass.

Children: 5 (Thacher), 2 sons and 3 daughters, all born at Yarmouth.

156 i. Desire, 1st,[5] born April 7th, 1729; died April 27th, 1729, aged 20 days, at Yarmouth, Mass., and was buried there in Old Cemetery; inscription found on page 33 of Yarmouth, Mass., burying ground inscriptions says that she died in 1722, but the transcription must have been incorrectly interpreted, owing to obliteration, as her parents were not married until 1727-8.

+157 ii. Desire, 2nd,[5] born July 5th, 1730; died ——, 1816; married Grindal Rawson.

+158 iii. Ebenezer,[5] born February 17th, 1733; died ——.

+159 iv. Ruth,[5] born September 11th, 1736; died ——; married first Ezekiel Webb; married second Seth Whelden.

+160 v. Joseph,[5] born May 19th, 1744; died ——, 1790; married Susannah Whelden.

Colonel Joseph[4] Thacher was a popular character. Through his influence principally a company of forty (40), thirteen (13) of whom were Indians, was raised, all except six or eight being from Yarmouth, his native town, to go on the Cape Breton Expedition in 1745. A condition of their embarking on this bold enterprise was that Joseph[4] Thacher should be their Captain. It is remarkable that of the Indians only three lived to return, two having been killed by the enemy and eight dying probably in consequence of a mode of living to which they had not been accustomed. The rest of the company, though exposed to great hardships, were providentially all spared to see their native place again and to participate with their fellow countrymen in the joy which pervaded the land over the reduction of Louisburg, the strongest fortress in America at that time. The following anecdote illustrates the unfeeling cruelity of the American savage of that period. Through the treacherous conduct of a certain Frenchman, a party of twenty provincial soldiers had been ambuscaded, nineteen of whom were killed. The Frenchman was captured and at first was given up to the Indians to be killed by them as they might see proper. Isaac Peck, a blood-thirsty Indian, began immediately to sharpen his knife; and thinking it too easy for a traitor to die at once, said that

he was going to begin at his fingers and was going to cut off one joint at a time and then another and so on till he had separated all of his bones from head to foot. He would probably have carried out his intent had not the criminal been rescued from his hands. One of Thacher's Indians, hired by Colonel Vaughan for a bottle of brandy, was the first of the provincials to enter the grand battery of Louisburg. He crawled through an embrasure and opened the gate through which Vaughan and his troops entered. The enemy at the time had withdrawn from the battery, though this fact was not known to the Indian at the time.

From *Alden's Epitaphs,* Vol. I, pp. 123-4, we obtain the following:

"Colonel Joseph Thacher, who departed this life June 17th, 1763, in the 64th year of his age.

"All you that pass by pray think on me.
Think, I was once in the world like thee,
But now lie mouldering in the dust
In hopes to rise among the just."

Colonel Joseph Thacher's home was a fine house near the old church. The above narrative concerning him and his Indians was taken from the *New England Magazine* for July 1834, written by Dr. James Thacher, who in turn took it from *Alden's Epitaphs,* Vol. I, pp. 123-4. Colonel Joseph Thacher's will was dated November 4th, 1762, and was proved July 7th, 1763. He mentions "To Ruth, my wife * * * to Joseph Thacher, my gun and sword and £10 to be paid him when he is 21 by his mother * * *. To my daughter Desire Rawson * * *; and my daughter Ruth Webb. Witnesses, Seth Whelden, Simeon Taylor and Joseph Staple.

David[5] Thacher (No. 142, Hon. Judah[4] Thacher) was on January 12th, 1769, appointed guardian of Ruth (Hawes) Thacher, widow of Col. Joseph[4] Thacher, who was *non compos mentis.* There are in the records about 250 items concerning this guardianship some of which entries are very interesting, showing something of the manner of living at that time. In the settlement of her (Ruth (Hawes) Thacher's) affairs Joseph Thacher of Yarmouth is mentioned as her only son, the daughters mentioned are Desire, wife of Grindal Rawson, and Ruth, wife of Seth Whelden, Jr. The settlement was made October 8th, 1772.

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55. BENJAMIN[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., June (or July), 25th, 1701 (or 1702); he resided at Yarmouth, Barnstable and Harwich, Mass., and was at one time a sea-faring man and became sub-

sequently a tavern-keeper; he died at Harwich, Mass., date of death ——, 1768; his will was dated April 16th, 1767, and was proved August 9th, 1768. He was married at Barnstable, Mass., by Rev. Mr. Green on January 30th, 1734, to Hannah Lumbert of Barnstable, Mass., who was born at Barnstable, September 8th, 1714. She was a daughter of Benjamin Lumbert (or Lombard) of Barnstable, and his wife —— Treddeway (or Treadwell).

Children: 11 (Thacher), 4 sons and 7 daughters, all of whom except No. 1, were baptized at First Parish Church, Harwich, Mass.

+161 i. Benjamin,[5] born February 11th, 1739; died ——, 1775; married Desire Freeman.

162 ii. Hannah,[5] born ——, 1739; baptized First Parish Church, Harwich, Mass., November 25th, 1739; died April 8th, 1813, aged 73 years, at Harwich (now Brewster), Mass., and was probably buried there; not married.

+163 iii. Sarah,[5] born December 1st, 1741; died October 3rd, 1777; married Isaac Foster.

164 iv. Lydia, 1st,[5] born May 9th, 1743; baptized First Parish Church, Harwich, Mass., May 15th, 1743; died May 30th, 1743; died in infancy; no issue.

+165 v. Lydia, 2nd,[5] born September 10th, 1744; died September 5th, 1825; married Samuel Foster.

166 vi. Jonathan, 1st,[5] born April 18th, 1746; baptized at First Parish Church, Harwich, Mass., April 27th, 1746; died June ——, 1746, at Harwich, Mass., and buried there; no issue.

+167 vii. Jane,[5] born July 30th, 1747; died December 25th, 1833; married Shubael Cook.

168 viii. Jonathan, 2nd,[5] born January 22nd, 1748-9; baptized January 29th, 1748-9 at First Parish Church, Harwich, Mass.; nothing further known of him.

169 ix. Temperance, 1st,[5] born April 9th, 1750; baptized April 15th, 1750, at First Parish Church, Harwich, Mass.; died ——, previous to July 27th, 1754 (see date of birth of Temperance 2nd[5].

+170 x. Samuel,[5] born January 17th, 1752; died December 23rd, 1793; married Lucy Fessenden.

+171 xi. Temperance, 2nd,[5] born July 27th, 1754; died ——; married William Ward.

Benjamin[4] Thacher lived at one time in Barnstable, Mass., in the lane above Charles Bursley's. In his will, dated April 16th, 1767, and proved August 9th, 1768, he appoints his wife, Hannah, executrix, and mentions three sons, Jonathan, Samuel and Benjamin, and daughters Hannah, Jane and Temperance Thacher and Lydia Foster. Witnesses, Chillingworth Foster, Benjamin Freeman and William Fessenden.

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56. MERCY[4] THACHER (Hon. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., February 7th, 1702-3; died at ——; date of death——; married at ——; date of marriage ——, 1738 ("in her 36th year"), to James Harris (as his second wife). He was born at Mohegan, New London Co., Conn. (or at Colchester, Conn.), January 26th, 1699; he resided at Saybrook, Conn., where he was a merchant; he died at ——; date of death ——. He was a son of Lieut. James Harris (born April 4, 1673; died February 10th, 1757; married ——, 1696), and his wife, Sarah (Rogers) Harris (born New London, Conn., August 9th, 1676; died November 13th, 1748, age 72). Lieut. James Harris lived successively at Boston, Mass., Mohegan and Colchester, Conn.

Child: (Harris), 1 daughter.

172 i. Ann Mercy,[5] born July 14th, 1746; died May ——, 1764, aged 18 years; not married.

James Harris was the eldest son of Lieut. James Harris and he was the celebrated Saybrook merchant. He removed with his parents to Colchester, Conn. (Salem parish) in 1718, and was made a freeman there in 1722. He was Lister in 1726 and Surveyor in 1727. On February 14th, 1728, he bought land in Saybrook, Conn., and removed to that place the spring following and built a store upon what was still in 1878 called Harris' Wharf, and there he became widely known as a very extensive and successful merchant having a large export and import trade with France and the West and East Indies. He was admitted to the church in Saybrook in 1736 and his wife, Mercy, was admitted by letter in 1741. In 1744 he sold his real estate in Saybrook and removed to Mohegan, North Parish, New London Co., Conn., where he and his wife joined the church by letter. In 1747 he was living in New London and in 1748 he re-purchased his old property in Saybrook and returned there and there remained until his death, the date of which is unknown. The story of his one child, Ann Mercy Harris, is a sad one. Sole heiress of a princely fortune, of great personal beauty and loveliness of character, at the age of 18 her parents decided to send her abroad for a couple of years for higher instruction in England and for travel in Europe for the advantages of foreign and social cultivation. On the eve of her departure she was inoculated in order to guard against the danger of small-pox, then the dread of foreign travelers. The virus proved fatal and she died after a few days of extreme suffering in the pest house of Saybrook.

This sudden and tragic blow fell with crushing weight upon her parents and cast a gloom over the wide region throughout which she was known and beloved.

Prof. T. A. Thacher, of Yale College, in a letter dated March 1st, 1882, to Hon. Peter Thacher, of Newton, Mass., says:

"Some weeks ago some one left at my door for me a copy of a writing by Mercy Thacher, grand-daughter of Antony Thacher and daughter of the second wife of John Thacher who was born after the wreck off Cape Ann. She, Mercy Thacher, gives a full list of her 20 brothers and sisters (*vide Allen's Thacher Genealogy,* pp. 34-35), with day and hour of birth; tells how she was married in her 36th year in 1738 (not 1724, as Allen states); how her only daughter was born in 1746 and in 1763 by a 'stratagem of Satan' was taken to Gull Island to be inoculated for the small pox to enrich the doctors and died there. How she finished reading the Bible through the 22nd time, and there had her daughter read it with her in course, till the whirlwind of Satan came over them after the 5th reading. She tried to continue the reading afterwards but Christ's enemies came again in 1770 like bees and she could read no more in course. Her last entry is dated 1772."

James Harris' first wife was Ann Gilbert, who must have died about 1737-8. She was a daughter of Captain Samuel Gilbert and his wife, Mary Rogers. James Harris had no children by his first wife. Captain Samuel Gilbert was born in 1663 and died August 5th, 1733; he married, October 2nd, 1684. He was a son of Jonathan and Mary (Wells) Gilbert. His wife, Mary Rogers, was born April 17th, 1667, at New London, Conn., and died September 30th, 1756, at Salem, Conn. Captain Samuel Gilbert was a cornet in the Pequot War under Major John Mason, an ensign in train band at Hartford, Conn., July, 1678. He was one of the patentees of Colchester, Conn., in 1707. He commanded a company on the Expedition against Canada in 1711. He was Marshall of Connecticut Colony. His father was one of the first proprietors of Hartford, Conn.

Amos Otis, in his *Barnstable Families,* incorrectly states that this Mercy[4] Thacher married Joshua Sears, and S. P. May's *Sears' Genealogy* makes the same error. Joshua Sears in reality married Mary[5] Thacher, daughter of Deacon Josiah[4] Thacher, of Yarmouth, by his wife, Mary (Hedge) Thacher.

The place and exact date of marriage of Mercy[4] Thacher to James Harris has never been discovered. It has seemed likely to me that it probably occurred at Colchester, Conn., as Mercy[4] Thacher's sister, Hannah[4] Thacher, was in 1738 living in Colchester, Conn., as the wife of Nathaniel Otis and it is not unlikely that Mercy[4] Thacher was at the time of her marriage in 1738 visiting her sister in Colchester, where her husband, James Harris, was then a resident.

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History of Montville, Conn. p. 178.

57. THOMAS[4] THACHER (Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., April 2nd, 1705; he was a mariner and resided at Yarmouth, Mass.; he died at Annapolis (Nova Scotia, probably), on December 20th, 1746, and was probably buried there, as there is no gravestone to his memory in the Yarmouth cemetery. He was married at ——, February ——, 1730-1 (or July 11th, 1730, according to *Baxter Genealogy,* p. 35), to Thankful Baxter, of Barnstable, Mass. She was born at Barnstable, Mass., July 29th, 1711-12, and died at Barnstable, Mass., April 9th, 1786, and was buried probably there in Lothrop's Hill Burying Ground; no gravestone. She was a daughter of Shubael Baxter by his wife, the widow Elizabeth Downs, who resided at Barnstable, Mass. Shubael Baxter died April 12th, 1741, and his widow died April 17th, 1746.

Children: 4 (Thacher), 1 son and 3 daughters, all probably born at Yarmouth.

173 i. Lydia,[5] born August 31st, 1736; died September 10th, 1736, aged 10 days; buried at Yarmouth, Mass., Old Cemetery; gravestone; no issue.

174 ii. Thomas,[5] born August 13th (or 30th), 1740; died ——; beyond the record of his birth I have been unable to find any further record of this child and conclude he must have died young or unmarried, without issue.

+175 iii. Elizabeth,[5] born March 28th, 1741-2; died December 23rd, 1768; married Thomas Palmer.

+176 iv. Thankful,[5] born November 8th, 1744; died ——; married Zacheus (or Zachariah) Allen.

Administration on the estate of Thomas[4] Thacher of Yarmouth, mariner, was granted unto his widow, Thankful, on March 24th, 1746. Inventory was taken May 13th, 1747, by Jonathan Hallett, John Miller and Peter Thacher, all of Yarmouth, yeomen.

Thankful Baxter-Thacher, widow of Thomas[4] Thacher, married, second time, at Yarmouth, Mass., probably (intention was published at Barnstable, January 28th, 1747-8) on January 28th, 1747-8, to Captain Samuel (or Lemuel) Lumbert as his second wife. He was born at Barnstable, September 15th, 1691; he resided at Barnstable, where he was presumably from his title a sea-captain; he died at Barnstable, November 12th, 1759, and was buried presumably at Lothrop's Hill Burying Ground, Barnstable, although no stone marks his grave. He was a son of Benjamin Lumbert by his second wife, Sarah (Walker) Lumbert, who resided at Barnstable. Samuel (or Lemuel) Lumbert's first wife was Anna

Baker, whom he married at Barnstable, October 17th, 1717. She died May 19th, 1747, and was buried at Lothrop's Hill Burying Ground, Barnstable, Mass. The record of deaths at Barnstable, Mass., by Hinckley, on file at the N. E. Hist. Gen. Library, Boston, Mass., says that Thankful, wife of Lm[le] Lumbert died April 9th, 1786, and it is recorded as Lemuel. *Allen's Thacher Genealogy* says that Thankful, widow of Thomas[4] Thacher, married, a second time, to Captain Samuel Lumbert, from which it would appear that Thankful (Baxter) Thacher's second husband was either Samuel or Lemuel Lumbert.

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58. ELIZABETH[4] THACHER (Judah,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., October ——, 1667; died at ——; date of death —— (subsequent to August 12, 1727). She married, first, at Boston, Mass., probably, although we have no record as to place of marriage (her mother was living in Boston as early as 1691); date of marriage ——, not later than September 10th, 1696 (see date of birth of her first child), to Joshua Gee, as his second wife (his first wife was Elizabeth Harris, who died about 1696). He was born in Boston, date of birth ——, probably about 1667; he resided in Boston; he was a mariner in early life, and was held in slavery by the Moors in Morocco for some time previous to September 20th, 1687; afterwards, on his return to Boston, he was a shipwright, and owned and operated a shipyard on the southwest side of Prince Street. He died at Boston, between January 15th, 1722-3 (date of his will), and March 11th, 1722-3 (date of probate of his will), and was buried in Boston, Mass. He was a son of Peter Gee and Grace (——) Gee, who was Peter Gee's wife in 1668 and who in 1681 was spoken of "as his then wife." Peter Gee resided in Boston and was a fisherman.

Children: 5 (Gee), 4 sons and 1 daughter, all born in Boston.

177 i. Samuel,[5] born June 10th, 1697; died previous to January 15th, 1722-3, as he was not mentioned in his father's will made on that date; not married.

+178 ii. Joshua,[5] born June 29th, 1698; baptized July 3rd, 1698; died ——, 1748; married first Sarah Rogers; second Anna Appleton; third Sarah Gardner.

179 iii. John,[5] born February 27th, 1699; died ——, previous to January 15th, 1722-3, as he was not mentioned in his father's will made in that date; not married.

180 iv. Ebenezer,[5] born December 22nd, 1702; died ——, 1730; he was appointed and qualified as one of the

executors of his father's will on March 11th, 1722-3; not married.

181 v. Elizabeth,[5] born June 14th, 1704; died ——, previous to January 15th, 1722-3; as she is not mentioned in her father's will of that date; not married.

Elizabeth[4] Thacher-Gee, widow of Joshua Gee, married a second time, at Boston, Mass., probably, date of marriage ——, intention of marriage was published at Boston, Mass., August 12th, 1727, to Rev. Peter[4] Thacher (Rev. Thomas,[3] Rev. Peter,[2] of Salisbury, England, Rev. Peter,[1] of Queen Camel, England), as his third wife. He was born at Salem, Mass., July 18th, 1651, graduated at Harvard College 1671; he resided at Milton, Mass., where he was pastor of the First Church from June 1st, 1681, until his death; he died at Milton, Mass., December 17th, 1727, and was buried at Milton. He was a son of Rev. Thomas[3] Thacher, of Old South Church, Boston, by his first wife, Elizabeth Partridge-Kemp (widow of William Kemp and daughter of Rev. Ralph Partridge). Rev. Thomas[3] Thacher was pastor of the church of Weymouth, Mass., during his first wife's lifetime, and subsequently settled in Boston, where he died. A full record of Rev. Peter[4] Thacher will be found under the record of the descendants of Rev. Thomas[3] Thacher, which will follow the record of descendants of Antony[2] Thacher with which we are now occupied. There were no children by the marriage of Elizabeth[4] Thacher-Gee and Rev. Peter[4] Thacher.

Joshua Gee married, first, at Boston, Mass., on September 25th, 1688, by the Rev. Joshua Moody, to Elizabeth Harris, of Boston. She was born at Boston, Mass., September 7th, 1669, and died at Boston ——, subsequent to January 25th, 1693-4, and was probably buried in Boston. She was a daughter of John Harris and his wife Elizabeth (——) Harris, of Boston.

Children: 4 (Gee), 2 sons and 2 daughters, all born in Boston. *Not in Thacher line.*

1. Peter, born December 16th, 1689.
2. Eliza, born November 22nd, 1690; baptized December 28th, 1690.
3. Joshua, born August 18th, 1692; died August 18th, 1692; buried August 21st, 1692.
4. Mary, born January 25th, 1693-4; baptized January 28th, 1693-4.

Of these children Peter, Eliza and Mary probably died before their father or else were provided for by *ante mortem* settlements, as they are none of them mentioned in their father's will, dated January 15th, 1722-3.

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Savage's Gen. Dic., Vols. II, p. 241; III, p. 623.
History of Milton, Mass., p. 245

NOTE REFERRING TO ELIZABETH[4] THACHER (JUDAH[3]) WHO MARRIED 1st JOSHUA GEE AND 2nd REV. PETER[4] THACHER OF MILTON, MASS.

As much confusion seems to exist on the part of the various old genealogical authorities as to who was the wife of Joshua Gee (son of Peter Gee, fisherman, of Boston, Mass.,) I deem it proper here to give my analysis of the facts as presented in full, as authority for the record I have here before given of Elizabeth[4] Thacher and her husband Joshua Gee.

Referring to the subject matter under the head of the record of Judah[3] Thacher (No. 35) we see that in the list of the children of Rev. Thomas Thornton of Yarmouth and Boston which was compiled by Freeman from the best authorities obtainable, there is no mention made of Rev. Thomas Thornton having had a daughter Elizabeth; and we assume that in giving this list, Freeman, in his *History of Cape Cod*, did not think that he ever had a daughter Elizabeth for if he had so thought, he would have mentioned her.

Savage in his *Genealogical Dictionary*, vol. iv., p. 292, says as follows, viz:

"Thomas Thorton came over in 1662; he went to Yarmouth, as early as June 18th, 1662. He removed to Boston and joined Mather's Church; his children were :

1. Ann, who married Nathaniel Hall of Yarmouth.
2. Mary, who married Judah Thacher and died November 30th, 1708, aged 68.
3. *Elizabeth who married Joshua Gee* of Boston and *afterwards Rev. Peter Thacher of Milton, Mass.*
4. Thomas.
5. Theophilus.
6. Priscilla, who died aged 11.
7. Timothy, born ——, 1647."

This list of children agrees with that given by Freeman, vol. ii, p. 200, with the exception that Savage gives as we see a daughter Elizabeth (not given by Freeman) whom he says married 1st Joshua Gee and 2nd Rev. Peter Thacher of Milton.

Bond's Watertown, p. 602, probably quoting directly from Savage says that "Elizabeth Thornton, daughter of Rev. Thomas Thornton, married 1st Joshua Gee and 2nd Rev. Peter Thacher of Boston."

In volume 28 of the *Boston Record Commission Reports*, p. 10 we get the following extract, viz :

"Joshua Gee married to Elizabeth Thornton by Rev. Cotton Mather, December 7th, 1705."

It is this last quoted record that has given rise to all this confusion and mis-statement by Savage and Bond.

Freeman's Cape Cod, vol. ii, p. 194, states that "Elizabeth, daughter of Judah Thacher became the 2nd wife of Mr. Joshua Gee of Boston."

By a careful consideration of each of the above quoted authorities we see that there is a distinct difference amongst them in their statements as to who was the wife of Joshua Gee; and we are forced to the conclusion that either one or the other of the authorities is wrong, or that there were in fact two (2) Joshua Gees whom they have confused, one of whom did marry Elizabeth[4] Thacher and the other of whom did marry an Elizabeth Thornton.

The most authoritative statement of those quoted above is that from p. 10, of vol. 28, of the *Boston Record Commission Report*, which specifically states that a Joshua Gee married on December 7, 1705, an Elizabeth Thornton, but note carefully that this record does not state that this Elizabeth Thornton was a daughter of Rev. Thomas Thornton, nor does it state this particular Joshua Gee was the son of Peter Gee of Boston. The question naturally arises; "What Joshua Gee and what Elizabeth Thornton was it who were married, December 7th, 1705 ?"

Hon. George Thacher in his MSS. Thacher Genealogy, states that Elizabeth[4] Thacher, daughter of Judah[3] Thacher (Antony[2]) married Mr. Joshua Gee; and as Hon. George Thacher died in 1824 aged 70, and was all during his life a faithful and indefatigable student of Thacher Genealogy, I feel certain that his statement is correct.

In the *Heraldic Journal*, vol. i, p. 129, as before quoted in these articles, we find a record of the quartering of the Gee Arms with those of the Thacher's

and a distinct statement given that these arms so quartered were the arms of Joshua Gee of Boston. No other intermarriage of a Gee or a Thacher is ever quoted or known of; and these arms thus referred to were the arms of Rev. Joshua[5] Gee and of his brother Ebenezer[5] Gee who were children of Joshua[4] Gee by his 2nd wife Elizabeth[4] Thacher.

In the *Mass. Hist. Soc. Collections*, vol. i, series vi, we have a reprint of Sewall's letters; and beginning with October 30th, 1695, we find there a series of letters from Sewall to John Ive (located probably then in London, Eng.) relating to the endeavor then being made to obtain the liberation from slavery in Mequinez, Morocco, of Thomas[5] Thacher of Boston (Thomas[4], Rev. Thomas[3]) and of Thomas[4] Thacher of Yarmouth (Judah[3]). From one of these letters, (pp. 206–7) dated November 4th, 1698, from Sewall to Ive Joshua Gee is quoted as speaking of Thomas[4] Thacher of Yarmouth as his (Joshua Gee's) wife's brother.

Now if Joshua Gee's wife was a sister of Thomas[4] Thacher of Yarmouth in 1698, Joshua Gee must have married this sister of Thomas[4] Thacher previous to the date of this letter which was November 4th, 1698, and this sister whom he married was Elizabeth[4] Thacher (Judah[3]) as we have above stated. Rev. Joshua[5] Gee (i. e. 5th generation in the Thacher line) son of Joshua[4] Gee and his 2nd wife Elizabeth[4] Thacher-Gee, who was born June 29th, 1698, and was baptized July 3rd, 1698, speaks in later life (subsequent to 1727) of his respected father-in-law, Rev. Peter[4] Thacher of Milton (Rev. Thomas[3]), showing that his mother must have married a 2nd time to Rev. Peter[4] Thacher of Milton. The term mother-in-law used in this instance was employed to mean step-mother undoubtedly as Rev. Joshua[5] Gee's actual mothers-in-law were none of the three of them of Thacher blood, but bore the names of Rogers, Appleton and Gardner respectively. Now as Rev. Joshua[5] Gee was born in 1698 and his father Joshua[4] Gee did not die (as we know) until subsequent to January 15, 1722–3 (see date of his will), and his mother married a 2nd time, August 12th, 1727, to Rev. Peter[4] Thacher of Milton, she (Rev. Joshua[5] Gee's mother) must have been alive from 1698 to 1727; and as Joshua[4] Gee did not die until 1722–3, the Joshua Gee who is recorded as having married on December 7th, 1705, to Elizabeth Thornton could not have been Joshua[4] Gee, father of Rev. Joshua[5] Gee, whose mother was Elizabeth[4] Thacher who survived her husband Joshua[4] Gee and in 1727 became the wife of Rev. Peter[4] Thacher of Milton.

In order to make this still more clear, I will here give a full and complete resumé of all Gee and Thornton items taken from the *Boston Record Commission Reports*, vols. ix, xxiv, and xxviii, in so far as they may in any way refer to the question under discussion, "BR" being the reference mark used to refer to these reports, viz :

Family No. 1.

B R, vol ix, p. 84, Gee, John; son of John and Hazelponah, b. May 27th, 1662. Town Records.
" " " " p. 121, Gee, Hazelponi, baptised 19th day of 9th month, 1671; 1st Church Records.

It is quite evident that the record as given of this family can have no bearing whatever on the case in question.

Family No. 2.

B R, vol. ix, p. 145, Gee, Thomas, son of John and Joane, b. May 15th, 1678. Town Records.
" " " " p. 148, Gee, Grace, dau. of John and Joane, b. May 26th, 1679. Town Records.
" " " " p. 151, Gee, Joshua, son of John and Joane, b. January 19th, 1680. Town Records.
" " " " p. 160, Gee, Mary, dau. of John and Joane, b. April 11th, 1683. Town Records.
" " " " p. 165, Gee, Grace, dau. of John and Joane, b. September 4th, 1685. Town Records.
" " " " p. 174, Gee, Lately, son of John and Joane, b. February 4th, 1687. Town Records.
" " " " p. 201, Gee, Ann, dau. of John and Joane, b. April 27th, 1692. Town Records.
" " " " p. 211, Gee, John, died July 25th, 1693.
" " " " p. 211, Gee, Joan, wife of John, died July 17th, 1693.

Note the fact that in the above Family No. 2 there was a Joshua Gee, born January 19th, 1680, who would on December 7th, 1705, have been about the marriageable age, and hence may very likely have been the Joshua Gee who on that date married an Elizabeth Thornton.

CORRECTION:

Vol. XLII, p. 154, top line, "1681" should read "1581."

(*To be continued.*)

MARRIAGES AND BAPTISMS PERFORMED BY THE REV. JOSHUA HARTT, OF SMITHTOWN, LONG ISLAND, WITH A SKETCH OF HIS LIFE.

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1804

Jan. 10. Samuel Johnson & Mary Hartt.
Jan. 18. Ebenezer Smith & Mary Bunce.
Feb. 8. Isaac Gildersleeve & Elizabeth Davidson.
Feb. 25. Mordica Taylor & Jerusha Griffis.
Feb. 29. John Gildersleeve & Elizabeth Ketcham.
June 18. Daniel Brown & Mary Wicks.
Dec. 12. John Gardener & Abigal Scidmor.

1805

Jan. 9. Ebenezer Bryant & Sarah Smith.
Feb. 23. Smith Bryant & Phebe Briant.
March 16. David Conkling & Nancy Wicks.
Aug. 11. Peleg Ketcham & Lutisha Oakerly.
Aug. 31. Havens Kelsy & Deborah Scudder.

1806

Jan. 19. Azel Lewis & Phebe Scudder.
Jan. 25. John Ketcham & Hannah Hudson.
April 26. Henry Gildersleeve & Mary Ketcham.
May 17. Jonathan Gildersleeve & Deborah Rogers.
Sept. — John Mulford & Carline Smith.
Oct. 11. Melancton Wheeler & Deborah Vail.

1807

Feb. 14. John Scidmore & Mary Wood.
Aug. 16. Seth Durling & Keturah Soper.
Aug. 16. Nathan Buffet & Ruth Durling.

1808

Jan. 19. Gabriel Jayne & Mary Campfield.
Oct. — John Arthur & Charity Smith.

1808

Nov. 11. Alex'dr Roberson & Anna Smith.
Nov. 12. Obediah Smith & Rebecca Smith.

1809

March 9. Isaac Arthur & Hannah Smith.
June 17. Frarderick Smith & Mary Robins.
Oct. 23. Moses B. Ketcham & Keturah Kelsy.
Dec. 12. Jonah Baldwin & Sarah Oakes.
Dec. 16. Richard Sneeden & Elizabeth Wood.

1810

Jan. 4. Zophar Sammis & Clarrisa Burr.
Sept. 3. Fithen Conkling & Sarah Totten.
Dec. 22. Gilbert Fleet & Esther Jarvis.

1811

Jan. 11. Francis Pelterau (Pelletreau) & Mary Conklin.
Feb. 27. Jesse Scidmore & Fanny Higby.
April 9. Girden King & Mary Gardener.
April 6. Jarvis Rogers & Marier Wicks.
Nov. 9. John Baldwin & Phebe Smith.
Nov. 23. Thadeus Carter & Susanna Ketcham.
Dec. 14. Simon Haft & Abiah Griffis.

1812

Feb. 15. John Burr & Sibel Arthur.
July 5. Alison Post & Elizabeth Floyd.
Aug. 16. Samuel Fleet & Keturah Baldwin.
Nov. 1. Joseph Shadbolt & Ketura Soper.
Nov. 21. Philetus Vail & Abigal Godard.

1813

Jan. 11. Smith Bryan & Maria Smith.
Feb. 17. George Semon & Harriot Carll.
Feb. 28. Royal Butler & Ruth Wood.
March 11. Philetus Bertow & Nancy Bishop.
March 27. William B. Hobert & Jain Nicols.
May 1. Ezra Smith & Dorcas Jarvis.
June 16. Sam'l. Mulford & Fairrena Rogers.
June 24. Augustin Jarvis & Phebe Oakes.
July 11. John Crum & Lette Smith.
Aug. 14. Ire Gildersleeve & Else Gildersleeve.
Sept. 17. William Smith & Rachel Baly.
Nov. 7. Azel Lewis & Jerusha Gardener.

1814

Jan. 15. John Akerly & Idna Scidmor.
Jan. 15. Hugh Polamus & Jerusha Ruland.
Jan. 19. Rich'd Scudder & Harriot Scidmore.
Jan. 22. Isaac Higgings & Nancy Arthur.
Jan. 22. Joseph Darling & July Soper.
Jan. 26. Charles B —— & Hetty C ——, blacks.
Jan. 26. Israel Vaulentine & Juleaner Ketcham.

1814

Jan. 29. Isaac Scidmor & Mary Roberson.
Feb. 16. Jarvis Dennis & Ruth Jarvis.
Feb. 19. Micah Brown & Hannah Wood.
March 6. Phinehas Davis & Mary Fleet.
March 19. John Velser & Pene Ketcham.
March 26. Gilbert Carll & Fanny Carll.
April 2. Isaac Starkings & Hannah Bond.
May 9. Benjamin Ketcham & Abigail Hartt.
May 21. Joel Scudder & Charity Lewis.
Sept. 14. Oliver Conkling & Phebe Hendrickson.
Nov. 5. William Enoch & Nancy Baly.
Dec. 24. James Wood & Phebe Soper.
Dec. 31. Silas Strong & Abigail Scudder.

1815

Jan. 23. Willlam Woodhull & Phebe Carll.
Feb. 15. Epenetus Griffis & Elizabeth Vail.
March 26. John Harned & Eunice Bishop.
April 2. Phillip Jarvise & Elizabeth Wicks.
April 19. Gamaliel Taylor & Triphene Smith.
May 7. Jonah Arthur & Jula Ireland.
May 20. John Oaks & Sarah Scidmor.
July 2. Thomas Havens & Lorry Ned (Blacks).
Oct. 23. John Curtis & Elizabeth Brown.
Dec. 14. James Shearly & Ann Semon.

1816

Jan. 2. Platt Vail & Hannah Smith.
Jan. 6. Charles Bur & Keturah Sammis.
Jan. 10. Hustick Straton & Elizabeth Ketcham.
Jan. 25. Richard Taylor & Elizabeth Hudson.
Feb. 5. Samuel Jayn & Phebe Curtis.
Feb. 7. Wickham Conkling & Frances Nicoll.
March 19. Samuel Brown & Sarah Arthur.
April 25. Moses Smith & Hannah Taylor.
May 16. Epenetus Ketcham & Abigail Ketcham.
Aug. 18. Abraham Miller & Elizabeth Oaks.
Aug. 28. Benjamin Connant & Catherine Roads.
Aug. 31. Conklin Ketcham & Catharine Smith.
Nov. 30. Stephen Riche & Maria Jarvis.
Nov. 30. Isaac Arthur & Gloriana Hartt.
Dec. 31. Selah Gildersleeve & Eliza Brown.

1817

Jan. 12. Willet Coon & Amy Right.
April 23. Wm. Hoiat & Frances Bryan.
April 26. Silas Tooker & Phebe Dow.
May 11. Elkana Rogers & Jula Hawkings.
May 31. Samuel Newy & July Darling (or Durling).
June 24. John Van Cot & Rachel Wood.
Sept. 13. Strong Robins & Phebe Wood.
Oct. 5. Amos Smith & Sarah Smith.

1817

Nov. 8. Joel Harned & Mary Blatchly.
Nov. 9. Jonas Higby & Maria Smith.
Nov. 22. Rhuphus Jarvis & Ona Gildersleeve.
Nov. 29. Timothy Scudder & Sarah Arthur.
Dec. 18. Edmon Sands & Elizabeth Smith.
Dec. 21. Jacob Williams & Mary Bond.
Dec. 31. James Smith & Mary Jarvis.
Thus ended ye year 1817 in which 15 couples have been joined by me: J. H.

1818

Jan. 7. Smith Woodhull & Hannah Scidmor.
Jan. 31. Aguston Jarvis & Phebe Platt.
April 18. Nathan Baly & Martha Massura (or Manara.)
Oct. 8. Ezra Vail & Metilda Arthur.
Dec. 23. T. W. Gildersleeve & Doritha Conkling.
Dec. 30. Tredwell Carll & Hannah Jarvis.
Thus ended ye year 1818.

1819

Jan. 26. Platt Ketcham & Phebe Gildersleeve.
Feb. 2. Albert Smith & Sarah S. Scidmor.
April 23. Ruben Miles & Sarah Hallock.
April 29. Emmory Shadbolt & Naony Smith.
May 1. Samuel Akerly & Henrita Oaks.
July 17. Richard Smith & Hannah Burr.
Sept. 26. Peter McGuivene & Elizabeth Soper.
Sept. 27. David Lamberson & Charity Ketcham.
Dec. 19. Noah Hallock & July Ann Hartt.

1820

Jan. 22. Josiah Smith & Rhoda Vail.
Feb. 10. Ebenezer S. Blydenburgh & Mereim Smith.
Feb. 15. Richard Blydenburgh & Ruth Smith.
Feb. 21. Joel Scidmor & Mary Arthur.
Feb. 22. Platt Lewis & Eminetia Scudder.
April 27. Joel Gardner & Fanny Smith.
May 13. Isaac Wood & Angeline Valuntine.
June 13. Plato Black & Rachel Black.
June 30. Jesse Baldwin & Sarah Brush.
Aug. 9. John Daick (or Duick) & Ann Philips.
Aug. 20. Isaac Person & Ann Smith.
Sept. 16. Barned Ruland & Almenea Doxy.
Sept. 23. Abraham Ketcham & Hannah Bryan.
Oct. 9. Lewis Sammis & Sarah Platt.
Nov. 11. Theodorus Smith & Elizabeth Conkling.
Nov. 15. Gilbert Wood & Ann Totten.

1821

Jan. 3. Tredwell Fleet & Hannah S. Semon.
Jan. 6. John Ireland & Hannah Whitman.
Jan. 10. Medad Smith & Hannah Scudder.

1821

April 9. Joseph Lewis & Sarah Scudder.
April 14. Charles Wood & Eliza Hulsehart.
May 26. Alexander Lewis & Ruth Ann Scudder.
June 10. William Dauston & Anna Miller (Blacks)
June 17. Alford Ketcham & Phebe Bryan.
Oct. 27. William Wicks Esq. & Ketura Burr.
Dec. 20. Jesse Scudder & Sarah Scidmor.

1822

Jan. 7. Mike & Nancy P (Blacks).
April 17. Shallum Street & Naomy Scudder.
June 15. Jesse Griffis & Hannah Bishop.
July 19. Oliver Ketcham & Eliza Scidmor.
Aug. 18. Eliphalet Smith & Rebecca Vail.
Aug. 22. Henry Bishop & Clarissa Soper.
Nov. 7. Orlander H. Gardner & Hannah Bryan.

1823

Jan. 26. Benjamin Tillotson & Temperance Pain.
Feb. 5. Samuel Hartt & Abigail Scudder.
March 24. Timothy Gildersleeve & Caty Derey?
July 5. Scudder Ketcham & Julia Finch.
Oct. 30. J. Scudder Smith & Sarah Taylor.
Dec. 7. Augustin Fleet & Nancy Samis.

1824

Jan. 1. Wicam (or William) Dason & Margaret Carll (Blacks)
Jan. 31. John Brown & Clarry Kellum.
June 26. Jesse Bunce & Esther Smith.
Aug. 25. John Baly & Mehitable Udel.
Aug. 31. John Kelsey & Fanny Platt.

1825

Jan. 29. Lemuel Carll & Elizabeth Laton.
April 1. Oliver Ketcham & Mary Pierson.
May 7. Elias Lake & Elizabeth Wicks.
May 15. Robert Shadbolt & Hannah Halle (or Hulle)
Sept. 30. Peter Griffis & Susan Oakes.

1826

Oct. 25. Samuel Scidmor & Jerusha Taylor.

Baptisms Solemnized by the Rev. Joshua Hartt.

1772

May 31. Mary Timoson.
Oct. 4. Hannah Stilwell
Oct. 18. Mary Dingy (Huntington South.)
Nov. 15. Jean Smith.

1773

Feb. 14. Sarah Jessup (N. H.)
July 18. Susana Smith (Smithtown.)

1774

Jan. 30. Mary Strong.
Feb. 27. Elizabeth Catharine Hartt.
May 1. Anna Nuton.
—— Henrietta Pain (possibly Dain.)
Aug. —. Rebeca Platt.
Dec. 11. Hannah Smith.

1775

March 12. Hannah Mills.
March —. Tabitha Smith.
June 25. Francis Hartt.
Nov. 27. Epenetus Griffith.
Nov. 27. Phebe Platt.
Nov. 27. Elizabeth Platt.
Nov. 27. Anna Fleet.

1776

Feb. 25. Isaac Blydenburgh.
March 3. Hannah Tredwell.
March 17. John Stratton.
March 31. George Phillips Brush.
April 28. Isaac Saxton.
July 5. Daniel Tillitson, Adult P.
July 7. Mary Pain.
July 7. Hannah Whelor.
July 21. Enoch Smith (Huntington.)
July 21. Thomas Bunce Lewis (Huntington.)
Sept. 15. Temperance Smith.
Sept. 22. Mary Ketcham.

1777

Jan. 12. Elizabeth Smith.
Jan. 15. Jonathan Baker.
Jan. 26. Henry Stratton.
Feb. 17. Elkanah Whelor.
March 23. Ebenezar Brush.
March 30. Rachel Rodgers.
March 30. Thomas Scidmore.
April 13. Isabella Terry.
April 27. Elizabeth Smith.
April 27. Susanah Smith.
April 27. John Jarvise.

1778

March 8. Amos Smith.
March 8. Wm. Howell.
March 8. Oliver Post.
March 8. Epenetus Brush.
March 8. Sarah Ketcham.
March 8. Sarah Bryan.
March 8. Freelove Valentine.
March 8. Rebecca Gildersleeve.
—— —. Christian Carll.
—— —. Ruth Stratton.
—— —. Mary Bower.

1778

—— —. Jemima Jarvise.
—— —. Mary Brian.
—— —. —— Ketcham.
April 15. Caleb Rogers.
April 19. John Carll.
April 19. Gideon Smith.
Adril 19. David Rimp.
April 19. Jemimah Bishop.
April 19. Triphene Smith.
April 19. Charlote Jarvis.
April 19. Elizabeth Jarvis.
April 19. Sarah Scudder.
April 19. Phebe Veal.
April 26. Phebe Hedges.
May 3. Epenetus Whelor.
May 3. Phebe Paine.
May 17. Seve Rodgers (Sagg) Harbor.
May 17. Elizabeth Howell.
June 14. Abigal Halsy.
June 14. Jonathan Rodgers (Sagg) Harbor.
June 29. Jonas Sames.
June 29. Elizabeth Hartt.
June 29. Mary Carman.
June 29. Rachel Rodgers.
June 29. Sarah Valentine.
June 29. Elizabeth Wickes.
June 29. Miriam Wickes.
June 29. Amy Smith (daughter of Zechariah.)
—— —. John Edwards.
—— —. John Griffith.
—— —. Henry Scudder.
—— —. Scudder Smith.
July 5. Susannah Blachly.
July 12. Azariah Wicks (son of John Wicks.)
July 19. Epenetus Mills.
July 26. Experience Kilsy.
Aug. 17. Joseph Darling (P).
Aug. 17. Mary Jean P. (?)
Oct. 3. Elizabeth Jean P. (?)
Oct. 18. Oney Smith.

1779

April 11. John Wicks.
April 11. Daniel Lewis.
May 16. John Lock Hartt.
May 16. Jesse Jarvise.
May 16. George Scidmore.

1779

May 30. Menlancton Rogers.
June 2. Ezekiel Smith (Huntington.)
June 2. Jesse Smith (Huntington.)
June 2. John Oakerly (Huntington.)
June 2. Daniel Oakerly (Huntington.)
June 2. David Ketcham (Huntington.)
June 2. John Hourd, sons (Huntington)
June 2. Rebeca Ketchim (Huntington)
June* 2. Hannah Ketchim (Huntington.)
June 2. Hannah Platt (Huntington.)
June 2. Phebe Oakerly (Huntington.)
June 6. Elizabeth Wheler.
June 10. Elisha Howell (Quagg) Quogue.
June 13. Isaac Scudder.
June 13. Sarah Scudder.
June 20. James Morris Terry.
July 6. Rebeca Chichester.
July 6. Ebenezer Brush.
July 11. John Brush.
July 11. Zepheniah Ketcham.
Aug. 16. John Mills.
Aug. 22. Joel Stratton.
Aug. 22. Elizabeth Carll.
Aug. 29. Isaac Brush.
Sept. 3. Mary Carll.

1780

Jan. 30. Arnold Rogers.
Jan. 30. Sarah Blachle.
Feb. 13. Jacob Wheler.
March 8. Phebe Bryan.
March 19. Israel Jarvis.
March 30. Daniel Turner.
May 7. Deborah Mills.
May 15. Enoch Weeks.
May 28. David Hartt.
May 28. Ananias Carll.
June 4. Silas Woodruff (Sagg Harbor.)

1780

June 4. Martha Hedges (Sagg Harbor.)
June 4. Mary Rogers (Sagg Harbor.)
June 4. Experience Howell (Sagg Harbor.)
June 4. Clary Osband.
June 11. Deborah Rogers.
June 11. Keturah Kelsy.
June 11. Wm. Alberson Platt.
June 14. John Lake—Coram (son of J. L.)
June 25. Ananias Mot (Huntington.)
June 25. John Rimp (Huntington.)
June 25. Cornelius Conkling Burtis (Huntington.)
June 25. Phebe Denton.
July 5. Moses Samis.
July 5. Isaac Livet.
July 5. —— Begal.
July 5. —— Begal.
July 5. Nathan Valentine.
July 6. Ebenezer Samis.
July 6. Sukey Oakerly.
July 6. Sarah Samis.
July 9. John Rogers.
July 16. Jonas Mills Smith.
Aug. 6. Israel Scudder.
Sept. 17. Isaac Brush.
Oct. 8. Richard Wheler P.
Oct. 12. Jesse Conkling (Huntington.)
Oct. 12. Joseph Conkling (Huntington.)
Oct. 12. Platt Conkling (Huntington.)
Oct. 12. Lester Samis (Huntington.)
Oct. 12. Sarah Platt Conkling (Huntington.)
Oct. 12. Mary Conkling (Huntington.)
Oct. 12. Sarah Conkling (Huntington.)
Oct. 12. Mary Wheler (Huntington.)
Oct. 12. Sarah Gold (Huntington.)

1780

Oct. 12, Abigail Samis (Huntington.)
Oct. 19. Mathew Bunce Wigans.
Nov. 5. James Rogers.
Nov. 5. Hezekiah Rogers.
Nov. 5. Daniel Conkling.
Dec. 14. Abigail Smith P. B.

1781

Feb. 19. Mary Resco.
Feb. 26. John Mills.
March 4. Philetus Conkling.
March 25. Frederick Wheeler.
April 8. Mary Mobery.
April 29. David Smith.
April 29. Jacob Platt.
May 27. Walter Smith (Huntington.)
May 27. Joseph Chichester (Huntington.)
May 27. Israel Smith (Huntington.)
May 27. John Samis (Huntington.)
May 27. Elizabeth Denton (Huntington.)
May 27. Rebecca Samis (Huntington.)
June 14. Elizabeth Smith.
June 14. Richard Dean Ketcham.
June 15. Elkanah Brush (Huntington.)
June 15. Isaac Brush (Huntington.)
June 15. Ebby Jarvis (Huntington.)
June 15. Richard Samis (Huntington.)
June 15. Philip Vallentine (Huntington.)
June 15. Ruth Brush (Huntington.)
June 15. Fanny Brush (Huntington.)
June 15. Ruth Ketcham (Huntington.)
June 24. Titus Smith.
June 24. Hannah Stratton.
—— —. Elizabeth Smith.

1781

—— —. Mary Jarvise.
July 1. Margret Long.
July 2. Stephan Nicol, adult.
July 8. Samuel Carman, adult.
July 8. Jacob Oakes, adult.
July 8. Jeremiah Oaks.
July 8. Mary Carman.
July 8. Hannah Carman.
July 8. Sarah Carman.
July 8. Elizabeth Carman.
July 8. Rachel Oakes.
Aug. 5. Abigail Hartt.
Aug. 19. Abigail Scidmore.
Sept. 2. Abigail Ketcham.
Sept. 2. Sarah Veal.
Sept. 9. Selah Wickes.
Sept. 16. Jeremiah Griffith.
Sept. 16. John Lewis.
Sept. 21. Levinah Rodgers.
Oct. 2. Wm. Mervin.
Nov. 24. Hubbert Scidmore.
Nov. 24. John Scidmore.
Nov. 24. Zopher Scidmore.
Nov. 24. Samuel Scidmore.
Nov. 24. Elizabeth Scidmore.
Nov. 24. Susannah Scidmore.
Nov. 24. Mary Scidmore.
Nov. —. Job Smith.
Dec. 12. Thomas Strong Smith.
Dec. 12. Charitha Smith.
Dec. 19. Anna Bartlet (Middle Island.)
Dec. 19. Selah Smith (Middle Island.)
Dec. 19. David Smith (Middle Island.)
Dec. 19. Thomas Smith (Middle Island.)

1782

Feb. 17. Henry Jarvis Brush.
March 3. Jemima Gildersleeve.
March 10. Richard Whealer.
March 24. Lydia Rogers.
March 31. Nancy Bryan.
April 14. Joel Scudder Hartt.
April 24. Stephan Bradford Nicol.
April 28. Platt Conkling.

1782

May 12. Nathaniel Resco.
May 12. Philetus Conkling.
May 12. Ruth Wheeler.
May 12. Amy Brush.
May 12. Anna Brush.
May 12. Elizabeth Conkling.
May 12. Kiturah Rogers.
May 12. Abigail Kilsy.
May 12. Prudence Jarvis.
May 26. Elizabeth Gildersleeve.
May 26. Phebe Gildersleeve.
May 26. Hannah Gildersleeve.
May 26. Nancy Kellom (Huntington.
June 9. Phebe Scudder (Half Way Hollow.)
June 23. David Oakes.
July 30. Jesse Rogers.
July 30. Jemima Rogers(Half Way Hollow.)
July 30. Sarah Valentine. (Half Way Hollow.)
July 30. Mary Oakerly (Half Way Hollow.)
July 30. Elizabeth Oakerly (Half Way Hollow.)
July 30. Nancy Oakerly (Half Way Hollow.)
July 30. Fanny Oakerly (Half Way Hollow.)
July 30. Ruth Oakerly (Half Way Hollow.)
July 30. Keturah Ketcham (Half Way Hollow.)
July 30. Mary Right.
July 30. Pebe (wd.) Smith.
Aug. 17. Susannah Mannen.
Aug. 18. Mary Stratton.
Sept. 18. Elizabeth Terry (Coram.)

1783

Feb. 2. Hannah Smith.
Feb. 16. Jeremiah Burnet.
March 30. Harly Scudder.
March —. Ebenezer Jayne.
April 6. Ebenezer Smith.
April 13. Zophar Nicols.
April 13. Elizabeth Nicols.

1783

April 27. Elizabeth Rimp.
May —. Fredrick Wheeler.
June 8. Joseph Platt.
June 8. Samuel Brush.
June 8. Mary Smith.
July 6. Jonathan Sammis, son to David S.
July 27. Sarah Hartt.
July 27. Phebe Whitman.
Aug. 3. Hannah Brush.
Aug. 10. Isaac Blachly, son Ebenr.
Aug. 10. Isaac Carman.
Aug. 17. Bridget Wood.
Aug. 24. Ebenezer Smith.
Aug. 24. Jerusha Smith, A. D.
Oct. 26. Moses Veal.
Oct. 26. Hannah Smith.
Oct. 26. —— Veal.
Oct. 26. —— Veal.
Oct. 31. Anna Hubbs.
Oct. 31. Experience Samis.
Nov. 2. Jonah Titus Scidmore.

1784

Jan. 17. Joshua Rogers.
Jan. 25. Mary Smith, dau. Ebenezer Smith.
Feb. 8. Phebe Wheeler.
Feb. 15. Hannah Jarvis.
March —. Samuel Brush.
March —. Juliana Brush.
March —. Fanny Brush.
May 2. Elnathan Wicks.
May 16. Amelia Mills.
June 20. Jonah Scidmore.
June 20. Zophar Platt.
June 20. Rachel Smith.
June 20. Elizabeth Scidmore.
June 24. Phebe Conkling.
June 24. Samuel Scidmore.
June 24. John Scidmore.
June 24. David Carll.
June 24. Phinehas Kellom.
June 24. Jesse Vaullentine.
July 8. ThomasGildersleeve.
July 8. Mary Pederick.
July 8. Hannah Smith.
July 18. John Ketcham.

1784

Aug. 1. Platt Rogers (Huntington.)
Aug. 1. Ezra Rogers (Huntington.)
Aug 1. Jonathan Smith (Huntington.)
Aug. 1. Ebenezer Chichester (Huntington.)
Aug. 1. Esther Rogers (Huntington.)
Aug. 1. Mary Rogers (Huntington.)
Aug. 1. Experience Rogers (Huntington.)
Aug. 1. Sarah Brush (Huntington.)
Aug. 1. Naomy Conkling (Huntington.)
Aug. 4. Elizabeth Wood.
Sept. 5. Amos Platt Buffet.
Sept. 5. Daniel Blatchly.
Aug. 5. Alexander Rogers.
Sept. 5. Azel Lewis.
Sept. 5. Azel Conkling.
Sept. 5. Elizabeth Buffet.
Sept. 5. Phebe Buffet.
Sept. 5. Sarah Buffet.
Sept. 5. Lucinda Buffet.
Sept. 5. Elizabeth Veal.
Sept. 19. Mary Smith.
Sept. 26. Mary Veal.
Sept. 26. Susannah Veal.
Sept. 26. John Veal.
Nov. 7. Azra Rogers.
Nov. 26. Rebecah Mills.
Nov. 28. Mary Mills.
Nov. 28. Julyaner Mills.
Nov. 28. Esther Smith.
Nov. 28. Sarah Smith.
Nov. 28. John Smith, adult.
Dec. 5. Jeremiah Hartt.
Dec. 5. Henry Gildersleeve.
Dec. 12. Samuel Mills.
Dec. 26. William Mills.

1785

Jan. 6. Aaron Oakerly, son of Sam[l].
Jan. 9. Jonathan Mills, adult.

1785

March 27. Whitehead Ketcham Samis.
March 27. Jesse Ketcham.
April 3. Nathaniel Smith.
May —. Jeremiah Havens Kelsy.
May —. Mary Scudder.
June 5. —— Rogers, son of Zopher.
June 5. Mary Rogers.
July 3. Ollaony Carll.
July 3. Israel Veal.
July 17. John Burnet.
July 17. Hannah Straton.
July 24. Susannah Woodhull.
July 24. Sarah Arthur.
July 24. Mary Arthur.
July 24. Anna Smith.
July 24. John Woodhull.
July 24. Joshua Smith.
Aug. 21. Anna Smith.
Aug. 21. Juliana Smith.
Aug. 21. Mary Smith.
Nov. 13. Mary Hartt.
Nov. 13. Elizabeth Smith.
Dec. 11. Thomas Smith.
Dec. 11. ——.

1786

Jan. 4. Nathaniel Taylor, adult.
Jan. 4. William Taylor.
Jan. 4. George Taylor.
Jan. 4. Gemaliel Taylor.
Jan. 4. Sarah Taylor.
Feb. 19. Caritha Wheeler.
Feb. 19. Nathaniel Smith, E. D. S.
Feb. 21. John Smith, C. S.
Feb. 21. Charlote Smith, C. S.
Feb. 21. Esther Smith, C. S.
March 19. Mary Mills.
March 19. Dorcas Smith.
June 24. Josiah Smith.
July 28. Alexander Sammis.
July 28. Jacob Oakes.
July 28. Rebecah Sammis, adult.
July 28. Anna Sammis.
July 28. Ruth Sammis.
July 28. Chartha Sammis.

1786

July 28. Abigail Sammis.
July 30. Joshua Wheeler.
Aug. 6. Lukus Voores.
Aug. 6. John Ludlow.
Aug. 20. Thomas Mills.
Aug. 20. Isaac Mills.
Aug. 27. William Taylor, Ad.
Aug. 27. Jonas Taylor.
Aug. 27. Mordica Taylor.
Aug. 27. Edmond Bryan.
Sept. 24. Elizabeth Cheeseman (Hempstead.)
Oct. 1. Prudence Haft. (Huft?)
Oct. 8. Abigail Eldard (Hempstead.)
Oct. 8, John Muncy (Hempstead.)
Dec. 17. Jesse Nicolls.
Dec. 17. Nezar Nicolls.
Dec. 17. Susannah Nicolls.
Dec. 17. Caty Nicolls.
Dec. 31. Hannah Mills (Hempstead.)

1787

Jan. 7. Daniel Brush.
Jan. 14. Israel Sammis.
Jan. 14. Moses Smith.
Jan. 14. Anna Bryant.
Jan. 14. Lydia Ketcham.
Feb. 19. Theodorus Bunce Wheeler.
Feb. 22. Benaga Strong.
Feb. 22. William Strong.
Feb. 22. Anna Strong.
Feb. 22. Elizabeth Strong.
Feb. 22. Sarah Wheeler.
March 1. Nathaniel Smith (Hempstead.)
March 7. Dorcas Platt.
March 7. Phebe Smith (Hempstead.)
March 7. Miriam Smith (Hempstead.)
March 7. Anna Smith (Hempstead.)
April 8. Isaac Smith.
April 15. James Smith (Hempstead.)

1787

April 15. Thomas Smith (Hempstead.)
April 15. Ruben Shaw (Hempstead.
April 27. Nathan Smith.
May 6. Alexander Rogers.
May 6. Rachel Smith.
May 6. Olliona Hubbart.
May 6. Charitha Hubbart.
May 6. Elizabeth Hubbart.
May 13. Samuel Denton.
Aug. 5. Abraham Devine (Newtown.)
Aug. 5. Elizabeth Edsell (Newtown.)
Aug. 5. Sally Street (Newtown.)
Aug. 19. Elizabeth Pettit (Hempstead.)
Aug. 19. Charlotte Pine (Hempstead.)
Aug. 19. George Pettit.
Sept. 16. James Hendrickson.
Nov. 4, Platt Lewis.
Nov. 4. Philetus Veal.
Nov. 4. Hannah Smith.
Nov. 4. Susannah Kilsy.
Nov. 11. David Brush (Hempstead.)
Nov. 15. Isaac Bunce Arthur.
Nov. 15. Seth Rogers.
Nov. 18. Jesse Scidmore.
Nov. 20. Hannah Nicols.
Dec. 13. Hannah Blydenburgh.
Dec. 13. Henry Blydenburgh.
Dec. 13. William Blydenburgh.
Dec. 16. Richard Fleet Long.
Dec. 23. Samuel Hicks.
Dec. 23. Samuel Hicks. (father and son.)
Dec. 23. Margret Hicks.
Dec. 30. Lehomidue Mills.

1788

Feb. 13. B. Havens Smith.
Feb. 13. Selah Smith.
Feb. 13. Thomas Smith.
Feb. 13. —— Smith.
Feb. 13. Elizabeth Totten.

1788

Feb. 13. Juliana Smith.
March 2. Elizabeth Mills (Hempstead.)
March 2. Ruth Mills (Hempstead.)
March 23. Mary Rushmore.
March 30. John Beedle.
March 30. Isaac Beedle.
March 30. Elias Beedle.
May 18. Anna Carll.
May 25. Rebecca Smith.
May —. George Phillips Mills.
May —. Isaac Ludle.
June 29. Ebenezer Ketcham.
July 13. Charles Joshua Hartt.
July 20. Daniel Smith.
July 20. Elias Rider.
Aug. 24. Samuel Nicolls.
Aug. 24. Isaac Nicolls.
Aug. 24. Edmund Totten.
Aug. 24. Sarah Totten.
Aug. 24. Elizabeth Totten.
Sept. 25. Hannah Smith.
Nov. 2. Sarah Brush.
Nov. 7. Mary Totten.
Nov. 7. Hannah Taylor.
Nov. 7. Phebe Smith.
Nov. 16. John Fleet Hendrickson.
Nov. —. Bryant Grice.
Nov. —. —— Grice.
Nov. —. Charls Grice.
Dec. 1. Sarah Carll A. D.
Dec. 1. Sarah Carll.

1789

Jan. 4. Gideon Smith Mills.
Feb. 9. Daniel Tuttle Kelsy.
March 4. Elizabeth Smith, A. D. Daniel S. D.
March 29. Mary Burtis.
April 5. Almediah Wheeler.
April 5. Clarissa Wheeler.
April 12. Mary Sammis.
April 12. Henry Jarvis.
May 10. Mary Almana Wood.
June —. Namhy Burtis.
June —. Thomas Everit.
June —. Wm. Talman Hendrickson.

1789

June —. Abraham Smith Pine.
June 19. Rachel Smith.
June 19. Temmy Smith.
Aug. 2. John Conkling Smith (Hun^{n}.)
Aug. 30. Bernardus Stadge.
Aug. 30. Caty Smith.
Aug. 30. Hannah Scidmore.
Aug. 30. Sarah Mills.
Sept. 13. Timothy Smith Wheeler.
Sept. 13. Debe Ann Wheeler.
Sept. 13. Sarah Wheeler.
Sept. 20. Jane Golder.
Dec. 6. Abigail Wheeler.
Dec. 6. Prudence Mills.
Dec. 13. Rufus Rogers.
Dec. 13. Nathaniel Samis.
Dec. 13. William Platt Bunce.
Dec. 13. Ebenezer Hubbart.

1790

March 7. Prudence Mills.
March 7. Phebe Stadge.
March 21. Keturah Blydenburgh.
April 11. Ebenezer Bryant.
April 25. Thomas Skilman.
May 2. Selah Smith Carll.
May 2. Richard Smith.
May 9. —— Rogers (Huntington.
May 9. Phebe Carll (Huntington.
May 9. Sarah Hartt, John Hartt's daug^{r} (Huntington.)
May 16. Freelove Wood.
May 16. —— Barnet (Burnet?)
June 20. Lydia Rogers.
June 20. David Platt.
June 21. Ann Floyed.
July, Aug., Sept. } Baptized 18 persons on my mission to ye North-ward and Westward.
Oct. 17. —— Vail.
Oct. 31. Nemiah Smith.
Nov. 7. John Carll.
Nov. 7. Elizabeth Smith.
Dec. 14. Jerimiah Smith.

1790

Dec. 14. Israel Smith.
Dec. 24. Selah Mills.
Dec. 24. Abial Conkling Mills.
Dec. —. Deborah Smith, A.D.
Dec. —. Hannah Smith.

1791

Feb. 13. Abraham Scribner.
Feb. 27. Hannah Strong (Islip.)
Feb. 27. Keziah Willets.
March 6. David Howell Hartt.
May 1. David Willets Smith.
May 1. Ruth Jarvis.
May 2. Israel White A. D.
May 2. Joel Jarvis.
May 2. Stephen White.
May 2. Ananias White.
May 2. James Harvy Smith.
May 12. John Smith, son of Wm.
June —. 4 males (Southampton.)
June —. 2 females (Southampton.)
July 7. Jesse Sammis.
July 17. Jobe Smith.
July 17. Mary Bryant.
July 31. John S. Skilman.
July 31. E. Samis.

1792 or 1793

There is a break in the record here of about 20 names.

March 24. —— Briant.
May 19. Jonas Scudder Arthur.
June 16. Keziah Stagge.
June 16. Thirsy Scribner.
June 23. William Platt Buffet.
June 23. Zebediah Bunce Jarvis.
June 24. Nathaniel Biggs, adult.
June 24. George Whitfield Biggs.
June 24. Rachel Biggs, adult.
June —. Seraphine Rogers.
June —. Joel Ketcham.
July 14. —— Sammis.

1792 or 1793

July 14. —— Sammis.
July 21. Mary Blydenburgh.
July 21. David Samis.
July 23. Platt Jarvis.
July 28. James Smith.
July 28. Ebenezer Smith.
July 28. Hannah Smith.
Aug. 11. Hannah Biggs.
Sept. 8. Isaac Vaile.
Sept. 8. Thomas Skilman.
Nov. —. Elizabeth Smith (Smithtown.)
Dec. 15. Gloriana Hartt.

1794

June 15. Abel Ketcham.
June 15. Phinehas Ketcham.
June 15. Susannah Ketcham A. D.
Oct. —. Rebeckah Sills A. D.
Oct. —. Rebeccah Sills.
Oct. —. Hunke Stagg.
Dec. 28. Richard Scudder.
Dec. 28. Timothy Scudder.
Dec. 28. Charls Scudder.
Dec. 28. Josiah Skillman.
Dec. 28. Hannah Scudder.
Dec. 28. Deborah Scudder.

1795

Sept. 27. Ruth Smith, daughter of Charles Smith.
Sept. 27. Mary Arthur.

1796

Jan. 18. Elizabeth Scudder, daughter of Moses.
Feb. 14. Hannah Smith?
May 3. Israel Scudder, son of John Scudder.

There is a portion of the record missing here between. 1796 and 1816.

1816

Feb. 15. Benjamin Franklin Gardener.
Feb. 15. Phebe Carline Gardner.
Feb. 15. Sarah Ann Scidmor Gardener.

1817

Nothing recorded for 1817.

1818

Feb. 7. —— S. Hartt.
Feb. 7. John Permenio Smith.
Feb. 7. Jonathan Wells Youngs.
March 8. Isaac Bunce Arthur
March 8. Richard Hartt Arthur.
March 8. Sarah Emeline Arthur.
March 8. Marietta Arthur.
March 8. Sarah Taylor.
March 8. Semantha Taylor.
March 8. Eliza Taylor.
March 13. Elizabeth Gracie Gardener.
March 13. Fanny Peck Gardener.
July 5. Phillip Tiqua.
July 5. Thomas Tiqua.
July 5. Rhoda Tiqua.
Sept. 27. Mary Elizabeth Lewis.
Sept. 27. John Gardener Lewis.
Sept. 27. Platt Lewis.

1819

July —. Jacob Platt Carll.
July —. Phebe Amelia Carll.
Sept. 9. Timothy Carll Smith.
Sept. 9. Richard Smith.
Nov. —. Sarah Scudder.
Dec. —. Abigal Scudder.
Dec. —. Julyanna Scudder.

1819

Dec. —. Elizabeth Scudder.
Dec. —. Jonah Scudder.
Dec. —. Harly Scudder. (Harly was baptized before his death.)

1820

March —. George Conklin Gardner.

1821

Nothing recorded.

1822

Jan. 3. Ebenezer Hudson Ketcham.
Jan. 3. Eliza Gildersleeve A. D.
Jan. 3. Mary Gildersleeve.
Jan. 3. Phebe Frances Mulford.

1823

Dec. —. Joel Scidmore, A. D.
Dec. —. Eliphalet Arthur Scidmore.
Dec. —. Ann Maria Scidmore.

1824

Nothing recorded.

1825

June 19. Charles Lewis.
June 26. Henry Scudder Lewis.
June 26. Phebe Lewis.
June 26. Glorianna Lewis.

Record of Baptisms performed by the Rev. Joshua Hartt as extracted from his Daily Journal. This Journal is in the handwriting of Rev. Joshua Hartt, and is now in the possession of his great grand-daughter, Miss M. L. Brown, of Northport, L. I. The extracts were made by Evelyn Briggs Baldwin on November 5th and 6th, 1910, and they supplement the Record of Baptisms contained in his Record of Marriages and Baptisms in his own handwriting which is now in the possession of his great grand-daughter, Mrs. Martha Hartt Collas, of 1652 Tenth Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y. The original record of the Rev. Joshua Hartt's Marriages and Baptisms was used in preparing the records of this article.

Baptisms Extracted from Daily Journal.

1796

Oct. 16. Sammis, Fanny.
Oct. 23. Gildersleeve, Josiah Hempstead.

1797

May —. Bunce, Abigail Catherine.
June 25. Skillman, Sarah.
June 25. Kilsy, Pemilia.
July 9. Hartt, James Fordice.
July 23. Buffet, Mary.
July 23. Bunce, Jerusha.
July 23. Bunce, Phebe Smith.
Aug. 4. Griffith, Sarah.
Aug. 4. Griffith, Jerusha.
Aug. 4. Griffith, Abia.
Aug. 4. Griffith, Jesse.
Aug. 4. Griffith, William.
Aug. 4. Griffith, Peter.

1798

Feb. 6. Rogers, Lemuel Bryan.
Feb. 11. Bond, Willet.
Feb. 12. Smith, Richard, Hempstead.
Feb. 12. Smith, Margret, Hempstead.
Feb. 12. Smith, Maria, Hempstead.
Feb. 12. Smith, Phebe, Hempstead.
Feb. 11. Simonson, Lydia.
Feb. 11. Simonson, John.
Feb. 11. Davis, Thomas.
Feb. 11. Davis, David.
Feb. 11. Davis, Robert.
Feb. 11. Davis, Nanty.
Feb. 11. Davis, Alexander.
Feb. 11. Davis, Phebe.
June —. Jarvis, William Willets.
June —. Ketcham, Daniel.
July 1. Rushmore, Carman.
July 1. Waite, David.
July 8. Stagg, Ezra Coles.
July 20. Jayn, Hannah.
July 20. Cole, (or Cob?) Mary.

1798

July 22. Bunce, Elizabeth Ann.
July 22. Jarvis, Caty.
Sept. 2. Scudder, Joseph.
Sept. 2. Sammis, Mary Ketcham.
Sept. 16. Bryant, Keturah.
Dec. 2. Hendrickson, Elijah.
Dec. 2. Hendrickson, Abigal.
Dec. 2. Hendrickson, John.
Dec. 2. Hendrickson, Mary.
Dec. 2. Hendrickson, Stephan.
Dec. 2. Shaw, Mary,
Dec. 2. Shaw, Sarah,
Dec. 2. Shaw, Jacob.
Dec. 2. Pine, Sarah.
Dec. 2. Surdam, (Suydam?) Abraham Simonson.

1799

Feb. 17. Bunce, Mathew.
Feb. 17. Bunce, Martha Sarah.
Feb. 17. Burtis, Elizabeth.
April 14. Rogers, Whited Gildersleeve.
May 5. Pine, Susannah.
May 22. Ketcham, Hannah.
May 22. Ketcham, John May.
May 22. Ketcham, Jesse.
May 26. Bryant, Hannah.
June 9. Ketcham, Anna.
June 16. Eldurd, Mary Annar.
June 16. Van Osdaul, Maria.
June 23. Jarvis, Maria.
June 23. Burtis, Abraham.
June 23. Burtis, Hannah.
June 23. Burtis, Walter.
June 23. Pine, James.

1800

Jan. 19. Smith, Hannah Ketcham.

1801

June 28. Wood, Gilbert.
Oct. 5. Bunce, John.
Nov. 2. Stagg, Mary.

1801

Jan. 11. Pine, Benjn. Pettit.
Jan. 11. Gildersleeve, Else.
Feb. 24. Darling, Mary.
Feb. 24. Darling, Nancy.
Feb. 24. Darling, Peter.
April 5. Briant, Sarah Ann.
April 8. Nichols, William Brush.
May 17. Bryant, Abigail Frances.
June 21. Hendrickson, Phebe Rumson.
July 26. Brush, Asa.
July 26. Ketcham, David.
Aug. 23. Scudder, John.

1802

April 25. Lamberson, Maria.
May 2. Rogers, Ruben.
May 2. Ketcham, Elizabeth.
May 2. Beadle, Wm.
May 16. Briant, Thearon H.
Aug. 15. Rushmor, John.
Sept. 13. Covert, Ann, A. D.
Sept. 13. Covert, Richard Dikeman.
Sept. 19. Jarvis, Sarah, A. D.
Sept. 19. Jarvis, Platt Wheeler.
Dec. —. Simonson, Latun.
Dec. —. Smith, Nancy Denton.
Dec. —. Smith, Annanias Post.
Dec. —. Tredwell, Hannah Simonson.

1803

March —. Arthur, Joshua.
April 3. Rogers, Lovina.
April 3. Jarvice, Robert.
April 23. Pine, William Hartt.
April 23. Pine, Sarah.
June —. Bunce, Jacob Jarvis.
July 3. Scidmor, Sally.
July 10. Ketcham, Nathaniel.
Sept. 25. Pine, Maria.
Dec. 11. Ketcham, Abraham Mulford.

1804

Jan. 8. Ketcham, Henry.
Jan. 8. Ketcham, Jeremiah.
March 18. Tigna, Phebe, A. D.
March 18. Tigna, William.
April —. Briant, Isaac.
April —. Briant, Sarah.
April —. Briant, George.
April —. Briant, Phebe.
April —. Briant, Mary.
June 24. Bunce, Angeline.
Aug. 26. Jarvis, Jesse Nichols.
Oct. 14. Smith, Thomas Bunce.
Nov. 3. Hartt, Sophia.

1805

April 7. Lewis Solomon Carll.
April 7. Miller, Eliza Ann.
May 4. Hudson, Hannah.
May 4. Hudson, Elizabeth.
May 4. Hudson, Mary Ann.
May 4. Hudson, John Leveret.
May 4. Ketcham, Albirt.
May 4. Brian, Lemuel.
June 2. Tigner, Elizabeth.
June 16. Bunce, Elkanah.
June 16. Bunce, Levina.
Dec. 15. Jarvis, Eliza.

1806

June 8. Ketcham, Anna
June 8. Ketcham, Abia.
June 8. Ketcham, Loviah.
June 14. Rogers, Rufus P. B.
July 18. Nichols, Elizabeth.

1807

Sept. —. Samuel Miller.
Sept. —. Brian, Melancton.
Oct. 11. Cutting, Linard Mark.
Oct. 11. Cutting, Frances Ann.
Nov. 15. Jarvis, Hendrikson.

1806

Sept. 3. Scidmor, Sarah Scudder.
Sept. 3. Bunce, Fanny.

1809

March 12. Ketcham, Lewis.
Aug. —. Ketcham, Barnard.
Nov. 15. Dearing, Lodiwick Fausdick.

1810

Jan. 28. Scudder, Joel.
Jan. 28. Scudder, Israel.
Jan. 28. Scudder Samuel Scidmor.
Jan. 28. Scudder, Ruth Ann.
Jan. 28. Scudder, Sarah.
Jan. 28. Smith, Caroline.
Feb. 1. Kitcham, Scudder.
Feb. 1. Kitchen, Cherrity.
Feb. 1. Kitcham, Salomy.
Feb. 1. Kitcham, Epenetus Smith.
Feb. 1. Kitcham, George Hallock.
Feb. 1. Smith, Ester Rogers.
Feb. 1. Smith, Phebe.
Feb. 1. Smith, Asaph.
Feb. 1. Smith, Ruth.
Feb. 1. Smith, Rebecca.
Feb. 1. Griffis, Hannah Smith.
Feb. 1. Griffis, Frances Bunce.
Feb. 1. Hartt, Joshua Smith.
Feb. 11. Scudder, Hannah.
Feb. 11. Scudder, Sarah.
Feb. 11. Wood, Hannah, A.D.
Feb. 14. Bryan, Phebe.
Feb. 15. Lewis, July Ann Addaline.
Feb. 15. Lewis, Hannah Carll.
April 8. Platt, Joseph Fordice.

1811

Jan. 13. Scudder, Wilmot.
Jan. 13. Gould, Elizabeth Susan.
July —. Gildersleeve, Elizabeth, A. D.
July —. Scudder, Azel.
Aug. 18. Kelsy, Hannah.
Aug. 18. Kelsy, John Budd.

1811

Aug. 18. Kelsy, Jayne Maria.
Aug. 18. Jarvis, Joseph.
Aug. 18. Ketcham, Phebe Ann.
Aug. 18. Platt, Jayne Rebeca.

1812

June 15. Fleet, Naomy.
June 15. Johnson, Mary, A.D.
June 15. Fleet, John.
June 15. Fleet, Hannah Carll.
June 15. Seleck, William Bates.
June 15. Seleck, Mary.
June 15. Johnson, Deborah Ann.
June 15. Johnson, Enoch.
June 15. Johnson, Abiather.
June 15. Johnson, Alexander Smith.
June 15. Hartt, Iantha.
June 21. Ketcham, ——.
June 28. Bryan, Charles Joshua.
July 11. Griffis, Mary Elizabeth.

1813

July —. Ketcham, Kezia.

1815

—— Jarvice, Ruth Ann.

1822

May 12. Mulford, Elizabeth.
May 12. Mulford, Jerusha.
May 12. Mulford, Maria Mason.
May 12. Mulford, Albert Gardener.
May 22. Mulford, Nathaniel Smith.
May 12. Mulford, Zurviah Conkling.
May 12. Mulford, Ebenezer Conkling.
May 12. Mulford, Mary Margret.

CLUES FROM ENGLISH ARCHIVES

Contributory to American Genealogy.

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(Continued from Vol. XLII, p. 176, of The Record.)

Will Nuncupative of Thomas Mayo of Evenly, co. Northampton, shepherd, declared 28 Sept., 1638. Son William 50s. Daughter Alice 50s. Daughter Mary the elder 50s. Daughter Judith 50s. Daughter Mary the younger £10. To my son John, who hath been gone I know not whither these three or four years, if he return within three years after my death, 20s.; otherwise I give it to my daughter Judith. Rest to Alice my wife, whom Executrix, and I desire Mr Holbrooke to be a friend to my wife and children. Proved 5 Oct., 1638, by Alice the executrix.
(Northants Wills, S. 2, 1638–42. fol. 21.)

This could not have been the John Mayo of Barnstable, Mass., minister, who came in 1638, was ordained 15 April, 1641, and brought from England children Hannah, Samuel, John, Nathaniel and perhaps Elizabeth; removed to Eastham 1646, and to Boston 1655; returned to Barnstable in 1673, and died at Yarmouth in 1676, leaving widow Thomasine, nor the John Mayo of Roxbury, who was brought over by Robert Gamblin, Jr., in 1633, as son of his then wife by a former husband.*

Will of John Dunckley of Daventry, laborer, dated 13 Dec., 1640. Legacies to daughter Agnes Rose, wife of John Rose, my grandchild Anne Rose her daughter, and to my grandchildren William Rose, Thomas Rose, Margaret Rose, and John Rose the younger; and to my daughter Elizabeth Jackson. I give unto my grandchild Alexander Lovell one joined bed in case he shall come to demand it; if not, then to his mother Elizabeth Jackson aforesaid. I give to my grandchild Thomas Lovell 20s. if he come to demand it. Legacies to my grandchildren Nathaniel Lovell, Elizabeth Jackson, Agnes Jackson, Mary Jackson and Richard Jackson. Executor, John Lovell. Witnesses: Richard Allen, Richard Jackson, Edward Wilson. Proved 16 March, 1640–41. (Northants Wills, S. 2, 1631–7, f. 122.)

Alexander Lovell of Westfield, Mass., in 1649, married 30 October, 1658, Lydia, danghter of Benjamin Albee of the same place, identical with the Alexander *Lovett* whose house was burned by the Indians in 1676. He died in 1709, his will, made in 1701, states that he was, at that time, eighty-two years of age.† He left sons Alexander and Nathaniel besides other children by two wives.

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* *Savage* iii, 187; *Pope's Pioneers*, pp. 308–9.
† *Savage*, iii, 123. *Tilden's Hist. Medfield*, p. 424.

4 February, 1686–7, I William Taylor of Revells within the parish of Buckland Newton, co. Dorset, gent., being weake of body . . . devise and bequeath unto my kinsman Oliver Lawrence, sonne of Rawleigh Lawrence of Revells, gent., all my messuages, burgages and dwelling houses in Somerton, co. Somerset, to have and to hold unto the said Oliver and the heirs males of his body, with successive contingent remainders in tail male to Rawleigh Lawrence, second sonne of the said Rawleigh, to every other sonne or sonnes of the said Rawleigh the father and Elizabeth his nowe wife, to my kinsman John Cole late of Chiselborough, co. Somerset, clerk, to my cozen Walter Frampton of Buckland Newton, gent., and to my own right heirs for ever. I give and devise unto the said Rawleigh Lawrence the father and Elizabeth his wife my kinswoman, all my lands and tenements lying in Revells and known by the name of Revells, which descended to me from my father, as also all my lands and tenements at Napshill in Buckland Newton, called Vincents, which I purchased of Daniel Proctor, Esq., to have and to hold to them the said Rawleigh and Elizabeth for the term of their naturall lives and for the life of the longer liver of them, with remainder to the said Oliver Lawrence and his heirs males, charged with one yearly rent of £8 payable to my kinsman John Cole, clerk, during his life. Poor of Buckland Newton 40s. Cozen Mr William Lyde one shilling and my little house clock. Kinsman Mr. John Myhill (having heretofore had a small portion belonging to him, in lieu whereof I bred him up) £50. Kinsman Mr Walter Frampton, his wife, sons and daughters, each 12d. Cozen Mrs Anna Somers of Froome St. Quintin, widow, 2s., and her son (my godson) Mr William Somers 2s. Kinswoman Elizabeth Lawrence all my sheepe at Revells. Oliver Lawrence all my books and household furniture. Cozen Elizabeth Bartlett of Sturton Candle widow, and her sons and daughters, 12d. each. Cozen Mr Thomas Langdon of the City of Exon 40s. Godson Mr Robert Somerton of Yeovile five pence and noe more. And whereas I have in my hands £40, the money of my kinsman Mr John Cole, heretofore of Dublin in Ireland and nowe in one of the Western Islands in America (as is supposed), my desire is that my executor pay the said sum to the said John Cole upon demand. Residuary Legatee and Executor: Rawleigh Lawrence, husband of my kinswoman Elizabeth Lawrence. Overseers: my friend Mr John Fisher of Sherburne and my kinsman Mr Robert Somerton. Witnesses: Robert Coker, Will: Frampton, Rob: Oxenbrigge, John Bludworth, Samuell Dunninge, Nathaniel Ryall. Proved 6 Aug., 1688, by the executor named. (P. C. C. Exton, 112.)

27 Nov., 1679, I Richard White of the Cliffe near Lewis in Sussex, brasier, being aged and weak in body, do make this my last will: Whereas I have already given to my daughter Rebecca Gumfield in New England the sum of fourteen pounds which I have sent her in goods, I do hereby give her £10 more; and whereas I have already given to my daughter Hannah Glover £75 in money and goods, I do hereby give her £45 more to make

her portion equal to my daughter Harman's. I give to my son in law Robert Dormer 10s.; to my grandson Richard Dormer, son of the said Richard, £5; to my grandson William White, son of my son Samuel White deceased, 20s.; to my grandson Richard Tyler 1s.; to my grandchild John Tyler 1s.; to my granddaughter Mary More and her husband John More 10s. apiece; to my grandson Samuel Tyler £30, and if I die before he hath learned his trade of me, my executrix shall put him out apprentice; to my grandson Samuel Glover £30; to my grandchildren Benjamin, Susanna, Richard, Hannah and Elizabeth Harman, and to my daughter Harman's last child not yet baptized, £25 between them; to such children of my daughter Rebecca Gumfield as shall be living at the time of my decease 20s. apiece; to my son in law John Plawe and Elizabeth his wife 12d. apiece; to poor widows in the parish of St Thomas in the Cliffe 20s.; to the poor of Brighthelmstone 20s.; and to my brother in law Overy Page 20s. The rest of my goods I give to my daughters Hannah Glover and Susannah Harman. Executors: my daughter Hannah Glover and my friend John Homard of the Cliffe. Overseers: Mr William Russell of Lewes, apothecary, and my brother in law Overy Page. Witnesses: John Prior, Richard Paine, John Crouch. Proved 13 July, 1680, by Hannah Glover, power reserved to John Homard. (P. C. C. Bath, 101.)

I Mary Martin of Hargrave, co. Northampton, widow, being infirm in body, do make this my last will: I give unto my son Halton Easton £50, to Halton his son £6, to Mary his daughter 20s.; and to my daughter in law Anne his wife 10s. I give unto the five children of my son Oliver, viz., to John Easton £9; to Oliver the son of my son Oliver (who is beyond the seas) five shillings if ever he come into England; to Peter son of my son Oliver, £9; to Mary Eston, daughter of my son Oliver, £27; and to Philadelphia, daughter of my son Oliver, £9. I give unto Philadelphia my daughter in law, mother of these five children, £9; and to the five children of my son John Cotchett, viz., to Thomas Cotchett £9, to Oliver and Richard Cotchett £9 apiece, to John Cotchett, £18, and to Mary Cotchett £22-10-0. The residue of all my goods I give to my son in law John Cotchett, whom executor. Dated 17 Jan., 1680-81. Witnesses: Tho: Thorowgood, Isaac Quick, Jonathan Heacock, Proved 20 June, 1681, by the executor. (P. C. C. North, 96.)

I Joseph Ingram being now bound for Virginia. My father and mother each of them mourning. Mourning to my sister Anne Smith, my brother Thomas Ingram, my brother Robert Ingram and Mary his wife, my brother John Ingram, my sister Hester Ingram, and my brother William Ingram. Poor of my native town of St. Ives 40s. Residuary legatee: Anne Smith, daughter of my sister Anne Smith, at 18 or marriage; but if she die "before either of them," I give two-thirds to my sister Anne Smith, and the other third to my brothers and sisters. Executor: my father Robert Ingram. Dated 6 October, 1651. Witnesses:

Robert Ingram, junior, John Ingram, John Blyhton. Proved 22 Sept., 1653, by the executor named. (P. C. C. Brent, 367.)

Edw. Ingram, aged 18, came in the *Blessing* from London, 1635.*

We have interesting information regarding Richard Ingram who came over in July, 1634, and who founded a New York family to the direct descendants of whom *only* we should be pleased to communicate the facts which are strictly of a confidential nature.

22 Februarie, 1627–8, I Symon Bradstreete, Cittizin and Grocer of London, beinge weake in bodie . . . First to declare to the world howe largely and bountifullie I have dealt with my daughter Margaret the nowe wief of Edmund Slater, Cittizen and Mercer of London, I hereby assuredlie affirme that the said Margaret (notwithstanding she married the said Edmond Slater without my love leave or consent) hath hadd and received at sundrie times out of my owne proper estate . . . in freehold land coppihould land, lease land, plate, rings, jewells, househould stuffe, choice childbedd lynnen and other lynnen to the value of ffive hundred poundes as is menconed in one deede of guift made unto my nephewe Samuell Bradstreete bearing date the one and twentith daie of this instant month Nevertheless I give unto my my said daughter one little white silver cupp and one great silver and guilt salt. All the rest of my estate I give unto my said nephew Samuell Baadstreete whom I make sole Executor. Witnesses: James Beckett, Robert Weston, Mathew Tarlton, John Leaves sr., Robert Hanson his servant, Henry Dugard, Thomas Allan. Proved 28 Feb., 1627–8, by the executor named.
(P. C. C. Barrington, 14.)

1625, May 23, Edmund Slater of St. Magnus, London, Mercer, and Margaret Bredstreete, of Bishop Stortford, Herts., spinster, dau. of Simon Bredstreete of Brainford, co. Middlesex, Brewer: at Lamborne or Birchanger, co. Essex.
(Licence in Court of Bishop of London.)†

26th July, 1598, I William Burroughe Esquier being at this present sicke in body . . . And wheresoever it shall please God to call me . . . yf it be at Lymehouse or neare London and not far dostant of it or at the seas I will that my bodie shalbe buried in the parishe churche of Stebenhethe neare unto the place where my first wief Judith lyeth or in the Chauncell Whereas I covenaunted before marriage betweene me and the Lady Jane Wentworthe nowe my wiefe to assure to her for terme of her liefe as for her ioyneture & in leuve of her dower somuche lande as should be of the yearelie value of fourescore poundes And whereas I have by my deede conveyed to my said wiefe my farme at Mileende in the parishe of Stebunheth called Mewes otherwise the White Horse with the lands to the same belonging nowe in the occupacon of John Robinson and Stephen Howton

* *Hotten*, p. 108.
† Harl. Soc., xxvi, 153.

And also my howse in London neare unto Roodchurche at the upperend of Tower streete nowe in the tenure of Martin Archdale My will is that my wiefe shall have and enioye all the said landes and tenements dureinge her lief Also I give unto my said wiefe all such plate jewells leases etc. as was hers before I married her £200 in money one of my standinge cupps silver and guilt the chaine of gould she usuallie weareth one ring with a mount Turkes and one other ring with a blewe saphire in it And whereas I have entered into bond (by the perswason of my said wiefe before I married her) unto Jane Wentworthe neece and goddaughter to my said wiefe (which Jane is nowe in my howse) (*to give her*) the somme of two hundred pounds at her marriage my will is that it shalbe performed according to my said bond To my wiefe the two coache horses and the coache Yf my daughter Mary be not preferred by me in marriage dureinge my liefe then I give unto her £1000 and if she doe marry with the likeinge of my executors then I give unto her £1000 more and my will is that she have yearely towards her maintenaunce vntill she be married threescore poundes. To my sonne Walter Borroughe £200. To my three sisters Agnes, Margery and Jane to everie of them £20. To my sister Borroughe, widdowe of my brother Stephen, deceased, £20 and to her three daughters vnmarried viz Mary, Anne and Elizabeth to everie of them £30. To Judith wief of John Bassall and Susan wief of William Kinge, being my said brother's daughters £20 apeece. To George Laryman £10. To the Companie at the Trynity Howse for a dynner £10. To the widdowe of Preator late bot (*swain*) of H. M. shippe the Swallowe £10. Poore of Stepney £20. Poore of Northam, co. Devon £20 to be ymployed as my cosen Thomas Leighe and some others of the said parishe shall thinke best Executors: Sir Henry Palmer Knighte, my cosen Mr Thomas Leighe and my nephewe John Bassall who shall dispose of the rest of my goods according to my wrightinge indented committed to the custody of the overseers of my will and others. Overseers my wiefe the Lady Elizabeth Countess Dowgar of Rutlande and Mr John Brewster to everie of whom twentie marks Witnesses: William Jones, Joseph Pett, William Bygatt, Richard Nottingham. Proved 28 Nov., 1598, by Thomas Browne, Not. Pub., proctor for Sir Henry Palmer, Knt., Thomas Leighe and John Vassall (*sic*), the executors named. (P. C. C. Lewyn, 89.)

Will of Henry Maniford of Long Burton in the county of Dorset, gentleman, dated 23 April, 1642. My farm, capital messuage and lands called Woodbridge, my lands purchased of Raynold Hutchins, and all other my lands in Woodbridge and Hollwall, co. Somerset, I give to my executrix and overseers, they paying to my son John Maniford £35 yearly until he attain the age of 26 years, and to his wife, if he marry after the age of 21 years with the consent of my executrix and overseers, £60 by the year from the death of my said son. Daughters Elizabeth, Hannah and Marie £400 each. Sons Samuel and Henry. Brother William Dunning, clerk. Friends Mr William Derby

and Mr James Mewe. Lands in Brockhampton in the parish of Buckland, called Chaston. Wife Johan the rent of the leasehold ground which I bought of Mr Chafyn and Mr Ralph FitzJames. Sister Johan Maniford, widow, £5, and her daughter Johan £5. Henry and Josiah Maniford, sons of my brother William Maniford, deceased, £10 apiece. Item I doe give my parte of all such cattle and other things as I and others with whome I have adventured have or shall have by our said adventure in Newe England in America to my said sonne Samuel, and I desire my said overseers and such other of my friends that joyned in that adventure with mee to have a care that the same be preserved for his vse untill my said sonne Samuell shall come to years of discretion to manage those affaires himselfe. Samuel, son of my brother William Dunning, a silver bowle. God-daughter Elizabeth Derby a silver bowle when she is married. Residuary Legatee and Executrix: Johan my wife. John and Hannah Luffe, my daughter Luffe's children, £50 apiece, and her two other children a silver bowl apiece. Overseers: my brother Mr William Dunning, clerk, William Derby, and my son in law William Luffe. Witnesses: Benjamin Walter, William Luffe, William Derbie, Joan Luffe, Joseph Derbie. Proved 20 Nov., 1647, by the executrix. (P. C. C. Fines, 240.)

A Captain John Maniford who occurs 1647 to 1651 as of Barbodoes trading to Boston, Mass., having dealings in tobacco and other commodities,* and probably a shipmaster, is no doubt the son John of the will, but the son Samuel seems to have left no trace here and probably he either died without issue or returned to England.

8 September, 1653, I Nicholas Sellecke of Clatworthy in the Countye of Sommersett, yeoman, being sicke of body . . . doe give to the poore of Clatworthye 2s.; to my sonne John Sellecke £5 and £3 I must pay his brother William for his debte; to my daughter Charity Upton 50s. which she oweth me; to my sonne Robert Sellecke 3s. 4d.; to my sonne David Sellecke 3s. 4d.; to my daughter Merab Eames 3s. 4d.; to my sonne Simon Sellecke 3s. 4d.; to my sonne William Sellecke the beddstedd which was brought from Clatworthye to his howse; and all the rest of my goodes to my sonne Nicholas Sellecke, whome I make my whole Executor. Witnesses: Sarah Blinman, John Venson, John Welsh. Proved 17 Feb., 1653–4, by the executor named. (P. C. C. Alchin, 383.)

Daniel Sellick of Boston, Mass., soapboiler, had wife Susan, daughter of Henry Kebby,† and sons David, born 1638, Jonathan 1641, John 1643, Nathaniel 1645, and daughters, Joanna 1647, Elizabeth 1652, and Susanna 1653. He died at Accomac in Virginia 1654.‡

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* Aspenwall's Note Book, pp. 120, 260. Suff., Mass., Deeds, Lib. i, 293.

† See will of John Kebby, brother of Henry Kebby, in *Waters' Gleanings*, i, 406.

‡ *Savage*, iv, 50; *N. E. Register*, xliv, 194; *Waters' Gleanings*, 1, 442.

Will of WILLIAM CURTYS of Towcester, gent, dated 17 Nov., 1637. I give to my son William 12d. To my son Thomas (yf he be living) 12d. To my daughter Locksmith 12d. To my daughter Howse 12d. To my wife's children 12d. apiece. Rest to Audry my wife, whom Executrix, and Robert Roote and Richard Bridges the elder Overseers. Proved 17 March, 1637–8, by the executrix. (Northants Wills, S. 2., 1636–40, f, 69.)

Thomas Curtis, aged 24, (in 1624) of Wariscoyack, Va., servant of Mr. Daniel Gookine, came in the *Flyinge Harte* to Virginia in 1621 and in 1623 was living at Elizabeth City.*

As Daniel Gookin left Virginia to take up his final residence in New England, it is quite possible that this Thomas Curtis of Virginia was identical with Thomas Curtis of Wethersfield, Conn., in 1639† or earlier and who died at Hartford‡ in 1681, aged 83, making his birth accord very closely with the above. But the Thomas of Wethersfield had a brother not named in the will.

Will of FRANCIS FOSTER of Grafton Regis, co. Northampton, dated 10 Jan., 1640–41. Being very sick and weak in body. To be buried in Grafton churchyard. To the poor of the parish 10s. To Mr. Stilton of Potterspury 10s. for a sermon. To my mother Anne Foster and my sister Margaret Foster my wine licence belonging to Grafton Regis. To my sister Margaret Foster £20 at marriage or one and twenty. I give unto my loving brother William Foster§ ten pounds when he returns from beyond sea; but if in case he should not return, then it is my will that the ten pounds be equally divided betwixt my brother Edward Foster and my sister Margaret Foster. To my brother Edward Foster all my tools and timber, sawed or unsawed. To Christopher Rawlin my father's servant 10s. William Brayfield 5s. Joan Clarke 2s. 6d. Elizabeth Chambers 2s. 6d. Executor and Residuary Legatee: my father Edward Foster. Witnesses: Richard Lee, Francis Wright, Peter Browne. Proved 13 Feb., 1640–41, Inventory taken 1 Feb., 1640–41, by Francis Butler, Francis Wright and Richard Lee. Sum total, £89–10–0.
(Northants Wills, S. 2., 1636–40, f. 285.)

I WILLIAM DEANE of Great Missenden in the county of Bucks, yeoman, being sick and weak in body, do make and ordain this my last will and testament: Whereas I have surrendered into the hands of Thomas Ives the elder, gent, and John Judge, now lords of the part of the Manor of Peterly, Stone, Netherbury and Great Missenden, all that messuage or tenement wherein I now dwell, situate in great Missenden, together with 15 acres of land, to the use of my last will, now I do hereby bequeath the said messuage and lands to my brother Thomas Deane of Great Missenden, yeoman, and his heirs. I give and bequeath unto my

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* *Hotten*, pp. 184, 243, 254.
† *Stile's Wethersfield*, ii, 262; *Savage*, i, 487.
‡ Savage states erroneously that he died in Wallingford. *loc., cit. supra.*
§ William, son of William Foster baptized 15 Oct., 1678, at St. Jas, Barbadoes. *Hotten*, p. 497.

said brother Thomas and his heirs all that close of arable land called Boddy Croft, situate in Great Missenden, containing 4 acres. I do give and bequeath unto my loving brother Mathew Deane the sum of twenty pounds, to be paid to him within one month after his arrival in England, but in case he never come into England again, then his legacy to be void; and in case he shall come into England again, and my executor shall not pay him his legacy, then my will is that my brother Mathew Deane shall enter into the close called Boddy Croft and enjoy the same. The rest of my goods I give to my brother Thomas Deane, whom Executor. Dated 26 March, 1684–5. Witnesses: Thomas Ives, John Judge, Wm Hakewell, junior, John Hoare, Henry Harris. Proved 8 July, 1704, by the executor named in the will.

(Arch: Bucks, 1704–5, No. 41.)

Matthew Deane, with wife and two children, two servants and two slaves, were living at St. Michaels, Barbadoes, in 1680.*

(*To be continued.*)

DESCENDANTS OF EDWARD TRE(A)DWELL THROUGH HIS SON JOHN.

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Continued from Vol. XLII, p. 193 of the Record.

By deed dated the 15th of April, 1696, and recorded the next day in the office of the county clerk of Queens county, New York, John Kissam of Madnan's Neck, Hempstead, conveyed to John[2] Tredwell, gentleman, his dwelling, barns, lands, etc., on said Neck, bounded, westerly, by Mill Creek; northerly, by the bay; easterly, by a creek and highway running southerly; then, westerly, to Mill River brook.† John Smith (Rock) evidently had some interest in this property at the time, for, on the same date, he quitclaimed all his rights therein to John[2] Tredwell through John Kissam.‡ Both of these deeds are now in the possession of Mr. Henry Hewlett Tredwell of East Williston, New York. This farm appears to be the one on which John[2] Tredwell was living at the time of his decease, and the same one which was occupied as a homestead during the next one hundred years by hs son and grandson, in turn, and whereon were buried many of the Tredwells and their connections.

On the records in the office of the county clerk of Queens county is a memorandum bearing date the 7th of June, 1697, that

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* *Hotten*, p. 445.
† Liber B, No. 1, of Conveyances, p. 277.
‡ *Ib.*, p. 276.

"Justice Tredwell" was given certain liberties in connection with the land he had bought of Studwell.* This, doubtless, refers to John[2] Tredwell. From this time on, many allusions to a John Tredwell as a justice of the peace can be found on the public records, but, until the 25th of January, 1719–20, when it is clear that John[2] Tredwell was deceased, the data, in many instances, is too uncertain to enable one to decide to which of the two John Tredwells then living these records relate, as it is a fact that both of them held this office sometime during their life. A like difficulty is experienced in settling the question as to which one was the incumbent of certain town offices during the same time.

By deed (unrecorded) dated the 31st of July, 1710, the trustees of the town of Hempstead, viz., William Nicoll, Thomas Hickes, and John Jackson, released to John[2] Tredwell all the town's interest in a certain tract of land on Madnan's Neck, bounded by the sound or creek and said Tredwell's fence; also nearly one acre of undivided land running from the Red brook westerly to the elbow of said Tredwell's fence on the top of the hill. This instrument was witnessed by William Willis and Andrew Gibb and was acknowledged on the 22nd of January, 1713–14.†

In one of the Hempstead town books are found the entries of several undated patents which, doubtless, were laid out to John[2] Tredwell. (See Note 9.)

John[2] Tredwell resided in the town of Hempstead, New York, which, in his time, comprised not only the present town of the same name, but also the existing town of North Hempstead. Just whereabouts in the town he dwelt, however, is uncertain; but the compiler's impression is that, until as late as April, 1696, his home was in "the town spot," or that part which is now the present village of Hempstead; while, at the time of his demise, as already stated, it is believed that he was living on Great Neck, which is in that part now North Hempstead.

His decease must have occurred between the 12th of January, 1712, and the 25th of January, 1719–20, for, on the former date, John[2] Tredwell united in executing a deed as one of the proprietors and trustees of the town of Hempstead to a John Monfort‡ (but see deed, Symon Searing to John Tredwell, Jr., described under John[3] Tredwell); while, in a deed of the latter date between his two sons set out further on in more detail, it is recited that their father was then deceased.

It is probable that John[2] Tredwell, if not also his second wife, Hannah, was buried in the old Tredwell burial ground on Great Neck. This yard is described under Thomas[3] Tredwell.

Tredwell Children:

Direct evidence is lacking, but it seems certain that Elizabeth (Starre) Tredwell was the mother of both of the children named

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* Liber A of Conveyances, p. 134.

† Papers in possession of Henry H. Tredwell.

‡ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 453.

below, the facts in the case of the son, Thomas, being almost conclusive. The following order of birth may be incorrect:

4. i. John[3].
5. ii. Thomas[3].

3. Rebecca[2] Tredwell (Edward[1]) died in Middletown, Connecticut, before 1st March, 1707–8; married in Middletown, 1st May, 1679, John Higby,* born about 1658, died probably in 1688, (before 28th December), son of Edward and (?) Lydia Higby, of New London and Middletown, Connecticut, Huntington and Jamaica, New York. John Higby resided in Middletown, Connecticut.

Two inventories of the estate of John Higby are found on the records in the probate office of the district of Hartford, Connecticut, the first dated the 28th of December, 1688, and the second, the 4th of December, 1693. His widow, Rebecca, had been granted letters of administration upon his estate, but, upon her death, letters were issued to their son, Edward, bearing date the 1st of March, 1707–8.†

Edward Higby, Sr.,‡ left a will dated the 27th of October, 1694, and probated the 21st of September, 1699, in which he gave twelve shillings "to Rebecca Higbie, relict of John Higbee."§

Higby Children:

The probate records of the Hartford district referred to show that John and Rebecca (Tredwell) Higby had more than one son, but the name of only the following child has been found:

i. Edward,[3] bapt. in Middletown, Conn., 24th Aug., 1684, d. in Westfield, Conn., 21st Nov., 1775; mar. 29th Nov., 1706,‖ Rebecca Wheeler d. in Middletown, 22nd Oct., 1771.‖ Both were of Stratfield, now Bridgeport, Conn., at time of marriage. In 1700, he chose his uncle Samuel Tredwell of Fairfield Village as his guardian.¶ He and wife joined the church in Middletown on the 26th April, 1713. Residence, Middletown and Westfield, Conn. 8 children.‖

Notes Referring to Second Generation.

Note 1. "Desembar the: 7 ANo. 1665 Sooeld by John Tredwall of Hampsteed Twoo Nathanall Coles of oistarbay two Loatas att matinacocke the one that wase John ashmans and the othar hise one propar davadant the one in numbar: 21: contaneing: 44: ackars ore thare aboutes more ore Lace the othar in numbar 28 ore ther aboutes Conttaining 33 ackers ore thare a boutes." *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. i, p. 202.

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* *Middletown, Conn., Vital Records.*

† *A Digest of the Early Connecticut Probate Records*, by Charles W. Manwaring, 1904, vol. ii, p. 77.

‡ For a pedigree of this family, see *The Whitney Family of Connecticut*, by S. Whitney Phoenix, 1878, vol. i, p. 370.

§ Liber A of Conveyances, p. 145, Office of County Clerk of Queens County, New York.

‖ *N. E. Historical and Genealogical Register*, vol. xiv, pp. 66–67.

¶ *Fairfield, Conn., Probate Records.*

NOTE 2. "Dr. Thomas Starr, . . . Children . . . A. Elizabeth, b. 1646. On the records of Queens county, Long Island, N. Y., is the marriage, March 6, 1666-7, of Elizabeth Starr and John Treadwell, of Hempstead; it is presumed that it was this Elizabeth, for her brother Josiah first settled there, but there is no other evidence of it." *A History of the Starr Family, of New England, &c.*, by Burgis Pratt Starr, 1879, p. 5.

NOTE 3. "At a Cort of Constable and oversers the 5 of July 1682 Held in hempsted by his maijistis athoryty . . . The testimony of John Tredwell in the case betwen richard valintin plaintive and abraham smith defendant this deponant testifieth that last mayday Abraham smith being at my hous promised richard valintin that he would pay to him the note of seven and fifty shilings an six pence richard valintin asked him when he would pay it and in what and abraham sayd he would pay it in a month in a beast and if thay could not agre of the price of the beast thay would put it to indeferant men to prize it the not above said was barears note and farther sayth not.

The testimony of hanah Tredwell this deponant testifieth that she heard abraham promis that he would pay to richard valintine a beast within a ten days or a very short time upon the acount of a note that Mr. barcar sent to abraham smith and farther saith not." *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. i, pp.393-394.

NOTE 4. "to all Christian People to whome these wrighting may or shall come Greeting Know ye yt I John Smith Rock Senr of hempsted in quens County of Long Island in ye Province of new yorcke in america and in ye forth yeare of ye Reigne of oure Soverrigne Lord Jeams ye second by ye grace of god of Ingland scotland france and Irland Kinge Defender of ye faith and I ye sd Smith have freely and absolutely given and bequethed a small adition of meddo land Lying and being upon a necke commonly called Coes greate necke ye sd meddo Lying and bounding on ye south side by a lott yt was formerly thomas Ellisons and on ye north side by a lott yt was first laid oute to ambros suttons and on ye west side by ye Cricke and on ye East side by ye woods I do freely give ye adition of meddo unto my son in Law John tredwell of ye above sd towne and county to him ye said tredwell his heires exsecetors administrators or asignes to have and to hould for Ever. . . . I have set to my hand and fixed my sele ys twentyeth day of febewary in ye yeare of oure Lord god one thousand six hundred and Eaighty Eaight

Signed seled and delivered in — made his
Presence of us — John : O : Smith (s.)
ffrances Chappell — Marcke
Martha Chappell
This deed owned before mee — John Smith
Justis of ye Peace."

Hempstead Town Records (printed), vol. viii, p. 251.

NOTE 5. "John Tredwel, Plt: v/s Jurian de Kouper, deft. the deft: 1 defaut. . . . John Tredwell, plt: v/s Jurian de Kouper, deft: the deft: 2 defaut. . . . John Tredwell, Plt: v/s Jurian de Kouper, deft. The Plt: declareth that the deft: is Indebted unto him for a Cow, the quantity of 14 ells of duffles, for wch he prayeth Judgem^t^ of this Court, ag^st^ this deft: With Cost. The deft: ownes that he bought the Cow for 10 ells of dufflles & one blancoat, wch blancoat he saith he paid to the Plt: and the paiment of the duffles was to be made in this month. The Worshipp^ll^ Court ordered that Judgem^t^ should be entred ag^st^ the deft: & and ordered that the deft: makes paiment of the s^d^ 10 ell of duffles within the space of 6 Weekes next ensuing together with Cost of Suit

1671. 22 April Execution Issued out uppon this Judgem^t^." *The Records of New Amsterdam from 1653 to 1674*, printed 1897, vol. vi, pp. 213-220.

NOTE 6. "At a cort in Hempsted by the Cunstable an Overseres this 5 day of Jenewary 1675 . . . The testimony of John tredwell this deponant testifis that last sumer Abraham smith and he had sume discors Consarning tobaco that Cornelus was a weeding of an Abraham smith said the tobaco was betwen timothy and Cornelus and further saith Nott." *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. i, pp. 346-347.

NOTE 7. "An Account of ye vallvation of the Estates of thee Inhabbitants of ye towne of Hampsted on Long Island: is as followeth October 11th 1683 . . . . . .

These underwritten are ye Remaindr of ye Inhabitants of ye said Towne which having not Brought in their valluations are Guest att by ye Cunstable and overseirs of ye Towne Aforesd . . . . . .
John Tredwell £250: 00s: 00d." *The Documentary History of the State of New York*, by E. B. O'Callaghan, 1849, vol. ii, pp. 523–528.

NOTE 8. "April 14, 1691. . . . John Jackson, High Sheriff of Queens County, returned Daniel Whitehead and John Tradwell, Assembly Men for said County, to sit and act in this Assembly. . . . Die Mercurij, 8 ho. A. M. April 15th, 1691. The Role of the House being called over, Daniel Whitehead, who was returned Yesterday, together with John Tradwell, to serve in this House as Representatives for Queen's County, was ordered to go to Colonel Smith, and Mr. Brook, who were appointed by his Excellency to administer the Oaths usually taken, says, That his Coleague John Tradwell, was interrupted in that Service by being seized or arrested, by one Thomas Clark, who officiates as Under-Sheriff, for the City and County of New York.

Resolved, Nemine Contradicente, That the seizure or arresting of John Tradwell, by Thomas Clark, Under-Sheriff, who was returned to serve as a Member in this House for Queen's County, is a Violence and Breach of the Rights and Privileges of this House.

Ordered, that the Speaker issue out his Warrant to the Serjeant at Arms that attends this House, to the Sheriff of this City and County of New York, for the returning of Thomas Clark to this House, to answer the Contempt as above." (Then follows copy of the Warrant to fetch Tho. Clark, dated the 15th day of April, 1691.)

"Ordered. That John Tradwell aforesaid come and appear, and attend the Service of this House. . . . . .

Ordered, That the Serjeant at Arms go and require John Tradwell, a Member of this House, to come and attend the Service of this House immediately.

Ordered, the farther Consideration for the Manner of raising the Money appointed for the defraying the Charge at Albany be referred until 2 o'Clock P. M. . . . . .

Wednesday the 16th of April, 1691. . . . Upon Examination of the Commitment of John Tradwell, and the Cause thereof brought to this House, We do find, that the Allegation charged upon him, to be of such a scandalous Nature, that he cannot be capable to serve as a Member in this House; but in Regard that his coming to this Town, was in Obedience to their Majesties Writ, being returned by the High-Sheriff and Freeholders of Queen's County, to serve as a Burgess for that County in this House; it is ordered, that he be discharged from this Commitment, paying the Serjeant at Arms, Clerk of the Assembly, and Under-Sheriff, their Fees.

Ordered, That the Speaker of this House do issue out his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for the electing a new Member for Queen's County, in Room of Tradwell dismissed." *Journal of the Votes and Proceedings of the General-Assembly of the Colony of New York*, printed 1764, vol. i, p. 4, et seq.

NOTE 9. "Laid out to the Patent Right of John Tredwell the Following Parcells of Land viz.,

To John Tredwell Sen, and John Tredwell Jur, Twenty one acres of Land, Valued at Ninteen Shillings and Six pence per acre, Lying in the South woods above Coes Neck, Being part of a fifty acre Lott, ye other part Entered in folio 52

To John Tredwell Sen. four acres and One hundred and Eleven Sqr Rods, Valued at Eight Shillings an acre, Lying above Hickes Neck in ye South woods

To Ditto, Seventeen Acres of Land, Valued at Twenty Two Shillings pur acre, Lying in ye South woods ye East Side of Merrock path Eastward of Jonathan Rocks Land." *Hempstead Town Records*, (printed), vol. viii, pp. 352–3.

"Laid out to the Patent Right of John Tredwell the following Parcells of Land, viz.,

To John Tredwell, Twenty three Acres and three quarters of Land Near ye East Meadow, part whereof Being Cleared, so running from the East Meadow

To the land that Richard Southard sold Coleman Combs, thence northwardly to Contain ye Quantity Valued at 7 pounds 2 Shillings 6 pence

To John Tredwell, five acres and thirty Seven Sqr Rods Lying near Herricks, ye West Side of the path that Leads from Richard Williams his house to Cowneck, Being part of a Card of 16 acres 44 rods, Valued at 6 pounds 5 Shillings" *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. viii, p. 450.

THIRD GENERATION.

4. John[3] Tredwell (John[2], Edward[1]) born probably in Hempstead, New York, between December, 1667, and 4th June, 1668, died probably in Hempstead, testate, November, 1747, (after 11th); married before 12th January, 1696–7, Phebe Platt, born 19th March, 1669,* died between 30th August and 21st October, 1748, daughter of Epenetus and Phebe (Wood) Platt of Huntington, New York. Residence, Town of Hempstead, New York. Where John[3] Tredwell and wife were buried, is unknown.

John[3] Tredwell was a colonel in the militia. In the civil list he appears as a justice of the peace, and as filling several local offices, such as a trustee of his town, supervisor, constable, collector, and assessor, besides serving his town in other minor capacities, such as looking after the town's lands, laying out and taking care of the highways and fences, running the town's lines, keeping the town's moneys, adjusting its accounts, and letting out its sheep. He was also one of the vestrymen and wardens of St. George's Church, Hempstead. His business is unknown, but was, doubtless, farming. Upon the records he is variously described as "junior," "captain," "colonel," "justice," "esquire," and "gentleman."

The earliest record of John[3] Tredwell found bears date the 4th of June, 1689, when he registered his cattle mark as "a Latch in ye fore Side of Each Eare and a half peny under ye neare Eare."† This same mark was entered as John Jackson's on the 12th of February, 1710–11,‡ at or about which time John[3] Tredwell took the mark of Jonathan Smith (black), which was "a latch marke on the uper side of the Right Ear."§

As John[3] Tredwell was, doubtless, not under twenty-one years of age when he registered his first cattle mark, the time of his birth, therefore, can be placed within six months, showing that he was the elder child.

In the three records mentioned John[3] Tredwell is described as *junior*.

Phebe Plat, widow of Epenetus Plat of Huntington, New York, left a will dated the 12th of January, 1696–7, which was probated the 24th of July, 1697, and in it she bequeathed her "own bible" to her "well beloved daughter Phebe Tredwell," adding that the said daughter had received more than a double portion at the time of her marriage and by her father's will.‖

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* *The Platt Lineage*, by G. Lewis Platt, 1891, p. 43.

† *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 66.

‡ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 161. § *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 225.

‖ *Early Long Island Wills of Suffolk County, 1691–1703*, by William S. Pelletreau, 1897, pp. 143–7.

Her father's will, dated the 1st of September, 1693, was probated the 13th of November, 1693, and in it his daughters are mentioned only by their first names.* On the 12th of March, 1697, Phebe (Platt) Tredwell, by making her mark, and her husband, by writing his name, acknowledged the receipt of £43. 9s. from Epenetus Platt in full of the legacy bequeathed to her in her father's will.†

It was probably John[3] Tredwell to whom the oaths of supremacy and objuration were to be administered under the "Dedimus potestatem" issued the 15th of July, 1703, under Governor Cornbury;‡ and to whom the test oath was administered as a justice of Queens county the 2nd of August, 1704.§

At a town meeting held in Hempstead the 14th of January, 1706–7, John[3] Tredwell was chosen a vestryman of St. George's Church in Hempstead for the current year.‖ And, at the parish meeting held a year thereafter, he was again chosen as such for the ensuing year.¶ He also appears in the list of wardens and vestrymen of that parish for the years 1720, 1722, and 1728–9.** He was one of the subscribers who held a meeting on the 11th of October, 1733, to provide for the construction of a new church in Hempstead.†† An entry on the Hempstead town books, dated the 8th of the following April, shows that ½ an acre was laid out for that purpose, "the first Bounds being 15 foot west from ye old Church or meeting house by the side of Collonel John Tredwels fence & thence westward along the side of said Tredwels fence 18 rods which comes to the south west corner of said Collonel Tredwells Lott," &c.‡‡ The survey was made on the order of John[3] Tredwell.

By deed (unrecorded) dated the 28th of November, 1706, Thomas Pearsall, Jr., of Hempstead, in consideration of £127, conveyed to John Tredwell, Jr., the grantor's homestead of 4 acres in Hempstead, situate on the south side of the highway running west between John Marvin's house and said homestead, bounded, on the east, north, and west, by highways and by Justice Smith's and Abram Southward's lands; also three other tracts, respectively consisting of 2½ acres, 6 acres "in the folly," and 3 acres. The witnesses were William Willis and John Rushmur.§§

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* *Early Long Island Wills of Suffolk County, 1691–1703*, by William S. Pelletreau, 1897, pp. 93–96.

† *Huntington Town Records, including Babylon, Long Island, N. Y., 1688–1705*, printed 1888, p. 202.

‡ *New York Calendar of Historical Manuscripts*, part ii, English, 1664–1776, by E. B. O'Callaghan, 1866, p. 314.

§ *Ib.*, p. 330.

‖ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, pp. 309–310.

¶ *Ib.*, vol. ii, pp. 318–319.

** *The Annals of Hempstead; 1643 to 1832, &c.*, by Henry Onderdonk, Jr., 1878, p. 80.

†† *History of St. George's Church, Hempstead, Long Island*, by Rev. W. H. Moore, 1881, pp. 47–48.

‡‡ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iii, p. 155; see also p. 154.

§§ Papers in possession of Henry H. Tredwell.

At the town meeting held the 1st of April, 1708, John[3] Tredwell was chosen to take care of all highways in Hempstead and also to keep a pound for the term of seven years.* Each year thereafter, he was chosen to look after the highways and fences, until, in 1711, he asked to be excused from serving longer.† The records also show that he was the keeper of a pound for the years 1716,‡ 1738,§ 1739,‖ 1744,¶ 1745,** and 1747.††

By deed (unrecorded) dated the 13th of May, 1709, Adam Mott of Hempstead conveyed to John Tredwell, Jr., gentleman, 10 acres of woodland to be laid out in Hempstead, the witnesses being Joseph Smith and Andrew Gibb.‡‡

By deed (unrecorded) dated the 20th of March, 1710–11, Abraham Smith of Hempstead, in consideration of £11, conveyed to John Tredwell, Jr., about 6 acres of meadow land on the south side of Hempstead, "at a neck called hayebridg," bounded, westerly, by Justice Tredwell's meadows. Obadiah Volantine, Isaac Smith, and Jacob Smith were the witnesses.‡‡

At the town meeting held the 1st of April, 1712, John[3] Tredwell was chosen a supervisor of Hempstead,§§ and also to look after the town's commons.‖‖ He was chosen again to the former office for the years 1713,¶¶ 1715,*** 1716,††† 1717,‡‡‡ 1719,§§§ 1720,‖‖‖ 1721,¶¶¶ 1722,**** 1723,†††† 1724,‡‡‡‡, 1725,§§§§ 1727.‖‖‖‖

By deed (unrecorded) dated the 29th of June, 1713, Moses Embree of Hempstead conveyed to John[3] Tredwell, Jr., 6–7 acres of meadow land on the south side, on "hay bridge necke," bounded, westerly, by said John[3] Tredwell's meadow bought of Isaac Smith. The witnesses were Jonathan Smith, Mordecai Lester, and (name not legible.)‡‡

Thomas Jones of Fort Neck, in the township of Oyster Bay, New York, named his "well beloved" friend, John[3] Tredwell, as one of the overseers of his last will dated the 7th of December, 1713, and probated the 2nd of February, 1713–14.¶¶¶¶

In 1715, John[3] Tredwell appears as lieutenant in Capt. Timothy Bagley's company of Horse in Queen's county.*****

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 325.
† *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 424.
‡ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 481.
§ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 259.
‖ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 261.
‡‡ Papers in possession of Henry H. Tredwell.
§§ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 430.
‖‖ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 433–434.
¶¶ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 445.
*** *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 470.
††† *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 481.
‡‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 487.
§§§ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 5.
‖‖‖ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 15.
¶ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 270.
** *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 271.
†† *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 474.
¶¶¶ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 25.
**** *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 34.
†††† *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 39.
‡‡‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 71.
§§§§ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 76.
‖‖‖‖ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 89.
¶¶¶¶ *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1893, pp. 127–128.
***** *New York State Historian's Report*, 1896, Colonial Series, vol. i, p. 488.

At the town meeting held the 3rd of April, 1716, John[3] Tredwell was also chosen a constable and a collector for that year,* as well as to look after the town's land laid out for firewood and grazing.†

The Hempstead town records contain a copy of a deed dated the 12th of August, 1717, from Symon Searing of Hempstead to John Tredwell, junior, yeoman, conveying 34 acres at Herricks; also 8½ acres on the hills above the head of Cow Neck.‡ It is not certain whether this grantee was John[3] Tredwell or was his nephew; but, at least, a part of the land conveyed by this deed appears to be the same which was later devised by John[3] Tredwell to Sarah Lawrence and Tredwell Waters. If so, it follows that John[2] Tredwell was still living as late as the 12th of August, 1717.

At the town meeting held the 10th of March, 1717–18, it was voted that "Cap. John Tredwell" with others represent the town in running its lines and boundaries.§ He was chosen again for that purpose in 1721‖ and 1727.¶

It is not known when John[3] Tredwell became a captain in the militia, but the earliest mention of him as such is found in the preceding record for the year 1718. From this time until the 31st of July, 1725,** he is frequently referred to by that rank. Between the latter date and the 13th of November, 1727, he was advanced to the rank of colonel.††

At the town meeting held the 1st of April, 1718, he was chosen an assessor,‡‡ but three months thereafter, Thomas Carman was elected in his place.§§

By indenture (unrecorded) dated the 1st of May, 1718, John Smith of Hempstead conveyed certain lands to Dennis Wright and endorsed thereon is the transfer of the grantee's interest to Capt. John Tredwell.‖‖

By a deed dated the 30th of March, 1719, John Searing and Jeams Searing of Hempstead and another quitclaimed to Jonathan Searing of Hempstead land near "Hearicks" in Hempstead, bounded, southerly, by lands partly of John[3] Tredwell and partly of Isaac Smith; also another parcel, bounded, westerly, by land of John[3] Tredwell.¶¶

By deed (unrecorded) dated the 15th of May, 1719, Joseph Pine of Hempstead, in consideration of £60, conveyed to Capt. John Tredwell, gentleman, salt medow on Haybridge Neck on the south side of Hempstead, bounded, westerly, by said John[2] Tredwell's meadow. Mordecai Lester, James Searing, William Willis, Samuel Pine, and John Smith were the witnesses.‖‖

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 481.

† *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 482.

‡ *Ib.*, vol. iii, pp. 453–455.

§ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 490.

‖ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 26.

¶ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 90.

‖‖ Papers in possession of Henry H. Tredwell.

¶¶ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iii, p. 32.

** *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 78.

†† *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 84.

‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 490.

§§ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 491.

By a deed dated the 25th of January, 1719–20, Capt. John Tredwell quitclaimed to his brother, Capt. Thomas Tredwell, his interest in certain lands of which their father, John[2] Tredwell, died seized. The original document is now owned by Mr. Henry Hewlett Tredwell. (See note 1.)

In 1721, John[3] Tredwell was one of the trustees representing the town of Hempstead.*

Just when John[3] Tredwell was first commissioned a justice of the peace cannot be determined, for the reasons already explained under John[2] Tredwell, but the justice mentioned in a record of the 3rd of April, 1722, certainly refers to the former.* After this date, his name often appears as "Justice John Tredwell" or "Justice Tredwell."

On the said last mentioned date, the freeholders of the town of Hempstead voted to John[3] Tredwell 3 acres that were given for a school at the rear of Joseph Pettes "Seners Lott."†

At the town meeting held the 6th of August, 1722, John[3] Tredwell was chosen to let out the town's sheep.‡ Again he was chosen for that purpose in 1724;§ also in the years 1725 (when he was directed to receive the money for them),‖ 1730,¶ and 1732.** Two persons were appointed at the meeting held the 2nd of April, 1723, to adjust an account with "Justes" John Tredwell for folding the sheep;†† while, at the meeting held the 9th of August, 1726, he with others was chosen to prevent the town's sheep being folded.‡‡

The Hempstead town records show that John[3] Tredwell was one of the commissioners for laying out highways as early as the the 20th of September, 1722;§§ and that he so served his town for the years, 1725,‖‖ 1726,¶¶ 1727,*** 1729,††† 1731,‡‡‡ 1732,§§§ 1733,‖‖‖ and 1734.¶¶¶

At the town meeting held the 30th of April, 1723, John[3] Tredwell was chosen to take account of the town's lands.****

The Hempstead town books show that the town's money, on the 14th of October, 1723, was lodged in John[3] Tredwell's hands;†††† and that, at a town meeting in 1725, he was chosen to see about granting the town's lands for a mill.‡‡‡‡

John[3] Tredwell was one of the executors named in the last will of John Jackson of Hempstead. This testament bears date the 26th of August, 1724, and was probated the 6th of December,

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iii, p. 26.
† *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 34.
‡ *Ib.*, vol. iii, pp. 34–35.
§ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 64.
‖ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 78.
¶ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 114.
** *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 124.
†† *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 39.
‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 83.
§§ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 127.
‖‖ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 97.
¶¶ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 85.
*** *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 84.
††† *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 100.
‡‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 104.
§§§ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 124.
‖‖‖ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 152.
¶¶¶ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 155.
**** *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 40.
†††† *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 67.
‡‡‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 77.

1725.* He was also one of the executors designated in the last will of John Thomas, Rector of St. George's Church in Hempstead, which bears date the 17th of March, 1724–5, and was probated the 3rd of December, 1726.†

By a deed dated the 7th of June, 1725, John[3] Tredwell and others conveyed to Capt. Jacob Hicks of Rockaway in Hempstead all their interest in a certain beach at Rockaway.‡

The record of the town meeting held in Hempstead the 20th of January, 1726–7, mentions, among other things, the "patin rate that is in the hands of Justice John Tredwel."§

Samuel Embree of Hempstead named his "trusty and loving" friend, Col. John Tredwell, one of the executors of his last will (unrecorded) dated the 11th of January, 1727–8, and probated the 4th of August, 1729.‖

The records of St. George's Church in Hempstead contain the entries of baptisms from the 9th of March, 1730–1, to 1747, of several slaves belonging to John[3] Tredwell.

At the town meeting held in Hempstead the 7th of April, 1730, John[3] Tredwell was given the liberty "to fence in and stop the way that was known by the name of Southards Lain;"¶ and, at the meeting held the 21st of July, that year, he and others were also granted the liberty "to fence in the Lains folowing first the Laine betwen the buring Pase and Collo'n John Treadwell Lott."**

At the town meeting held the 4th of April, 1732, the town school lot was let to John[3] Tredwell.††

According to an early number of the *New York Gazette*, on Wednesday, the 23rd of April, 1735, the Governor of the Colony of New York was entertained in a splendid manner by Col. Tredwell, commander of the regiment.‡‡

By deed dated the 30th of December, 1736, and witnessed by John Tredwell, Jr., Isaac Germond, Sr., of Hempstead, conveyed to John[3] Tredwell, land on Hick's Neck.§§ This land was later devised by said grantee to his nephew, Benjamin[4] Tredwell.

At the town meeting held the 5th of April, 1737, it was voted that John Thuston have the town's old sheep-pens on the south side of "Collonels Treadwells Land."‖‖

By deed dated the 2nd of May, 1739, John Lester and wife, Phebe, of Hempstead, conveyed to his creditors land in the "Town Spot" of Hempstead, bounded, westerly, by lands of John[3]

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* *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1893, pp. 324–326.

† *Ib.*, p. 340.

‡ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iii, pp. 340–342.

§ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 88.

‖ *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1902, pp. 135–136.

¶ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iii, p. 107.

** *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 115.

†† *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 120.

‡‡ *Queens County in Olden Times*, by H. Onderdonk, Jr., 1865, pp. 20–21.

§§ Papers in possession of Henry H. Tredwell.

‖‖ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iii, p. 257.

Tredwell.* And by indenture (unrecorded) dated the 19th of July, 1744, the surviving creditors of John Lester, seventeen in number, conveyed to John[3] Tredwell 7 acres "in town spot of Hempstead."†

By deed dated the 29th of March, 1744, John Pine and wife, Grace, of Cow Neck, Hempstead, conveyed to Minne Schenck of the same place, land on Cow Neck, bounded, northerly, by "Coll." Tredwell's land.‡

By deed dated the 10th of May, 1745, John Smith of Hempstead conveyed to Valentine Hewlett Peters of the same place land in Hempstead, bounded, westerly, by a lot belonging to Col. Tredwell.§

By deed dated the 6th of August, 1747, Joseph Latham and William Latham of Cow Neck, Hempstead, conveyed to Joseph Kissam of the same place land on Cow Neck, bounded, easterly, by lands of Nath'l Pearsall, of John[3] Tredwell, and of Lewes Hewlett.‖ The land of John[3] Tredwell therein referred to is again mentioned in a deed dated the 20th of March, 1759, from Thomas Pearsall, Israll Pearsall of Oyster Bay, and Samuel Latham of Cow Neck to James Hewlett of Cow Neck.¶

By deed dated the 11th of November, 1747, John[3] Tredwell, "in ye Consideration of ye perternal Love & affection which I Do Bear towards My Nephew Benjamin Tredwell," conveyed to his said nephew all his right to lands on Madnan's Neck and all other rights of lands he then had excepting "in the Township of Hempstead besides . . . Madnan's Neck." The execution of this deed was proved on the 11th of January, 1748–9, by Valentine Hewlett Peters, one of the subscribing witnesses.** The original instrument has been preserved and is now among the papers of Mr. Henry H. Tredwell.

On the Hempstead town records are entered the following undated patent rights which were laid out to John[3] Tredwell:

22 acres in the South Woods above Coes Neck, in the proprietary right of Timothy Wood.††

10 acres and 45 square rods in the South Woods, above Hick's Neck, between Hick's Neck Path and Coes Neck Swamp, in the proprietary right of William Thorne.‡‡

29 acres above Coes Neck, in the South Woods, part of 50 acre lot, the remainder under the patent right of John Tredwell in folio 47, valued at £30, in the patent right of Samuel Denton.§§

12 acres at south end of Samuel Bedel's farm, part of the north end of a card of 47¾ acres, valued at £6.‖‖

John[3] Tredwell left a last will dated the 23rd of July, 1745, which was probated the 2nd of December, 1747, and recorded in

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iv, p. 155.

† Papers in possession of Henry H. Tredwell.

‡ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. vi, p. 206.

§ *Ib.*, vol. iv, p. 29.

‖ *Ib.*, vol. iii, pp. 435–439.

¶ *Ib.*, vol. iv, p. 482.

** *Ib.*, vol. iii, pp. 449–450.

†† *Ib.*, vol. viii, p. 312.

‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. viii, p. 328.

§§ *Ib.*, vol. viii, p. 363.

‖‖ *Ib.*, vol. viii, p. 450.

Liber 16 of Wills, page 210, in the office of the Surrogate of the county of New York.* The original will is still to be seen on file in the Surrogate's office, while the original letters testamentary issued thereon, dated the 2nd of December, 1747, have been preserved among the papers that have come down to Mr. Henry H. Tredwell.

In his will John[3] Tredwell mentioned his wife, Phebe, to whom he gave the use of his lands for life; his nephew, Samuel Tredel, to whom he devised lands on Cow Neck and on Hicks Neck, formerly his father's; his nephew, Benjamin Tredel, to whom he devised his lands, houses, and barns in the "Town-Spott" of Hempstead, lands on Hick's Neck, lands between Daniel Pine's river and Carman's river, and all rights in the undivided lands of the town of Hempstead, besides leaving his military arms; his kinsman, Thomas Tredel, son of his nephew, John Tredel, to whom he devised his right of land between the Merrick river and Daniel Pine's river; his kinswoman, Mary Tredel, daughter of his said nephew, John Tredel, to whom he bequeathed his silver punch bowl; Sarah Lawrence, wife of Adam Lawrence, Esq., and Tredel Waters, son of his friend, Anthony Waters, to whom he devised jointly land at Searingtown; William Totten, Hannah Bedle, daughter of his friend, Jeremiah Bedle of Hempstead, and his friend, Jacob Smith of Herricks in Hempstead. His wife, nephew, Samuel Tredwell, and friend, David Jones, were named the executors.

His widow, Phebe, subsequently released to these two nephews her interest in the lands thus devised to them, as appears by two deeds, one, dated the 31st of December, 1747, and signed by the said Phebe Tredwell by a mark;† the other, a quitclaim to the widow and heirs of the said Samuel[4] Tredwell, dated the 12th of April, 1748, and signed in the same manner as the preceding deed.‡ In consideration of the latter release, the executors of of Samuel[4] Tredwell's estate executed a bond to pay the said Phebe Tredwell £26. 10s., yearly, during her lifetime.‡

Phebe Tredwell, the widow of John[3] Tredwell, left a last will dated the 30th of August, 1748, which was probated the 21st of October, 1748, and recorded in Liber 16 of Wills, page 352, in the office of the Surrogate of the county of New York.§ The original testament can still be found on file in that office.

The will of Phebe Tredwell, "widow of Colonel John Tredwell of Hempstead," shows that she was ill at the time it was made. It reads, in part, as follows: "If Collonell Benjaman Tredwell shall pay the Sum of £14 in lew of a mare which he detains from me, and . . . £6 which my attorneys paid him . . . which . . . ought not to have been paid . . . then . . . his wife Sarah Tredwell shall have my silver tea pot." £10

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* *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1895, pp. 150–1.

† Papers in possession of Henry H. Tredwell.

‡ Papers in possesion of late Mrs. Joseph Augustus Tredwell of Jamaica, Queens County, New York.

§ *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1895, pp. 196–197.

was left for the repair of the Presbyterian meeting house at Hempstead. All the other legacies mentioned in her will seem to have been given to her own blood relatives or friends. Adam Lawrence and Jacob Smith were named the executors.

The place where John[3] Tredwell resided in Hempstead remains unsettled, but it was, probably, in "the town spot," that part now the village of Hempstead.

John[3] Tredwell must have died between the time he executed the deed to his nephew, Benjamin[4] Tredwell, already described, and, at least, a couple of days before his will was probated; while his wife's death must have occurred the year following, between the time she made her will and the date of its probate.

It is not known where John[3] Tredwell or his wife was buried, but it was, probably, either in the old town cemetery, which is now covered over and forms the park in the present village of Hempstead, or nearby, within St. George's church-yard.

John[3] Tredwell left no issue.

5. Thomas[3] Tredwell (John[2], Edward[1]) died intestate, 1722, (before 25th May); married before 1698, Hannah Denton, died 17th August, 1748, aged 75 years, buried Sunk Meadow (Fort Salonga), Smithtown, New York, daughter of Samuel Denton of Hempstead, New York. Thomas[3] Tredwell resided on Madnan's Neck (Great Neck), town of Hempstead. His place of burial is uncertain. His widow moved to Smithtown, where she resided with her son, Timothy[4] Tredwell, until her decease.

Thomas[3] Tredwell was a captain in the militia of his county. Besides the title "capt.," he is frequently mentioned upon the public records as "gentleman" and "esquire." Apparently he did not seek political office like his brother, for he is found holding but one or two minor local town offices, such as surveyor of highways, and to take account of the town's money. He was one of the vestrymen and wardens of St. George's Church, Hempstead. His business was probably farming, as he was described as "yeoman."

The earliest record of Thomas[3] Tredwell discovered is as a witness with a John Tredwell to a deed from Thomas Lester and wife, Dorcis, of Hempstead, to Samuel Denton, Jr., of the same place, dated the 25th of May, 1691.*

The next time his name appears, is as a witness on two deeds to Peter Titus of Hempstead, each bearing date the 28th of May, 1695, one from Hope Willis of Hempstead,† and the other from Thomas Rushmore of Madnan's Neck.‡

On the 25th of January, 1697, the Governor of the Province of New York appointed Thomas[3] Tredwell to the captaincy of a Company of Foot in Col. Thomas Willet's regiment, *vice* Capt. John Jackson, who had been made a major. Mr. Herman E. Platt of Albany, New York, has the original commission. (See note 2.) It is in bad condition and immediate steps should be

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. viii, p. 128.

† *Ib.*, vol. viii, pp. 179–180. ‡ *Ib.*, vol. viii, pp. 180–181.

taken to minimize, as far as possible, through photographic copies, the loss of this valuable and interesting document, of which there is no record in the state archives.

In a Queen's county regiment, in 1700, commanded by Lieut. Col. John Jackson, Thomas[3] Tredwell is given as the captain of the Company of Foot in Hempstead.*

On the 19th of March, 1702–3, Thomas[3] Tredwell took the required oath as captain of a company of foot in the militia in the town of Hempstead;† and, on the 2nd of December, 1703, the oath of abjuration was administered to him as such officer.‡

In the archives of the State of New York in the State Library at Albany, before the fire, was a muster-roll "of the train Souldiers" under the command of Thomas[3] Tredwell dated at Hempstead the 17th of September, 1715.§

On the 28th of June, 1722, Joseph Thorn was commissioned a captain of militia for Hempstead in the place of Thomas[3] Tredwell.‖

As it is not likely that the rank of captain was given to a man under twenty-one years of age, it is evident that Thomas[3] Tredwell was born before the year 1676.

As stated under John[2] Tredwell, (page 186,) Thomas[3] Tredwell's name appears on the Hempstead census dated the 31st of August, 1698, together with the names of his wife, Hannah, and two children. Papers on file in the office of the clerk of the Court of Appeals in Albany, New York, in connection with the settlement of the estate of Samuel Denton of Hempstead, who died intestate, mention his daughter, Hannah Tredwell, wife of Thomas Tredwell. She was the granddaughter of the Rev. Richard Denton.

Thomas[3] Tredwell was one of the witnesses to the deed of conveyance from John Lingninton of Hempstead to Timothy Carele of the same place dated the 15th of March, 1699–1700;¶ also, to the deed from Richard Totten, Sr., of Hempstead to his son, William Totten, of the same place dated the 6th of March, 1702–3.**

On the 17th of January, 1706–7, Thomas[3] Tredwell entered the following on the Hempstead town records as his ear-mark: "a latch one ye fore sid of ye left eare and a slip one ye under sid ye right eare."††

He was one of the subscribing witnesses to the last will of Richard Smith of Hempstead, dated the 23rd of March, 1710–11, and probated the 17th of May, 1711.‡‡

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* *New York State Historian's Report*, 1896, Colonial Series, vol. i, p. 422.

† Office of the County Clerk of Queens county, N. Y., Liber A of Deeds, p. 217.

‡ *Ib.*, Liber B, No. 2 of Deeds, p. 11.

§ For a copy see *New York State Historian's Report, 1896, Colonial Series*, vol. i, p. 497.

‖ *New York Calendar of Historical Manuscripts*, part ii, English, printed 1866, p. 470.

¶ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 322.

** *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 436.

†† *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 261.

‡‡ *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1893, p. 79.

He was also one of the witnesses to the release of land on Madnan's Neck executed by John Tredwell, Esq., (which one?) and others as trustees of Hempstead to John Monfort of Madnan's Neck by deed dated the 12th of January, 1712.*

According to a memorandum on the Hempstead town records dated the 18th of February, 1712–13, there was laid out to "Justis John Tredwell Samuel Embry Captt Thomas Tredwell and John Rushmor" a "Parsel of Swomp lying to Pine mill with the upland A Joining to it."†

Capt. Thomas Tredwell is given by Onderdonk as a warden and vestryman of St. George's church, Hempstead, for the years 1713–32. "32" is doubtless an error for 22, the year when Thomas[3] Tredwell died.‡

At the town meeting held in Hempstead the 2nd of April, 1717, Thomas[3] Tredwell was chosen a surveyor of the highways for the ensuing year;§ and, the next year, he was again chosen to the office.‖

As already seen, John[3] Tredwell, by deed dated the 25th of January, 1719–20, quitclaimed to his brother, Thomas[3] Tredwell, the interest he had in certain property left by their father. (See Note 1.)

On the next day, Thomas[3] Tredwell of Hempstead, "Esqr," in consideration of "paternall Love . . . unto his beloved Eldest Son John Tredwell Junor of the Town . . . aforesaid Yeoman," and for other considerations, conveyed to his said son the farm he owned at "Fanefield," in the southeastern part of Hempstead; also, all the land he had on Coes Great Neck and the half part of all proprietary and patent rights of land in the South Woods and the Plains that Justice John Tredwell, late of Hempstead, deceased, died seized of; also, salt and fresh meadow on Haybridge Neck, bounded, easterly, by the meadow possessed by Capt. John Tredwell.¶

At the town meeting held the 5th of April, 1720, "Cap" Thomas Tredwell was chosen to take account of the town's money.**

In the office of the city clerk of Portchester, New York, is a copy of a deed bearing the date last mentioned from Silas Titus and wife, Sarah, to Thomas[3] Tredwell, conveying 151½ acres of land in the township of Rye, Harrison's Purchase, Westchester county, New York, bounded, westerly, by Mamaroneck River, southerly and easterly, by land of Richard Griffin, and, northerly, by lands of David Eustace.††

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* *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol, ii, p. 453.

† *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 449.

‡ *The Annals of Hempstead; 1643 to 1832, &c.*, p. 80.

§ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. ii, p. 487.

‖ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 490.

¶ *Ib.*, vol. v, pp. 489–492.

** *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 15.

†† *Rye Town Records*, vol. marked "D, 1723 to 1832," p. 147.

Soon thereafter, David Eustace and wife, Mary, by deed dated the 20th of May, 1720, conveyed to Thomas[3] Tredwell 170 acres in the said town of Rye, bounded, northerly, by Rye Pond, easterly, by lands of Richard Griffin, southerly, by the land conveyed by the said Titus deed, and, westerly, by Mamaroneck River.*

Thomas[3] Tredwell died intestate before the 25th of May, 1722, as appears by the inventory of his estate, which still exists in fair condition among the family papers which have descended to Henry Hewlett Tredwell. (See note 3.) Probably he died in May, that year, and was buried on his homestead, in one of the graves marked by field stones in the old Tredwell burial ground mentioned in the description which follows below.

The records in the office of the Surrogate of the county of New York show that letters of administration on his estate were granted to his widow, Hannah Tredwell, on the 23rd of August, 1722.† The memorandum of her oath, taken on the same day in qualifying as administratrix, is on file in the office of the clerk of the Court of Appeals at Albany, New York.

By an instrument (unrecorded), Hannah Tredwell, widow of Thomas[3] Tredwell, released to her son, Benjamin[4] Tredwell, her interest in the property on Great Neck whereon her husband was residing at the time of his decease. (See Note 4.)

This homestead comprised 250 acres lying in the northeasterly part of Great Neck (formerly Madnan's Neck) in the present town of North Hempstead and running along the westerly side of Manhasset Bay, overlooking which, to the north, is a view of Long Island Sound and the distant shores of Connecticut. A part of this farm is now owned and occupied by Alphonse H. Alker, Esq.

A few paces back of the present Alker mansion, in an open field near the meadow and the shore of the bay, is the old Tredwell burying ground, a square shaped plot consisting of not more than ¼ acre, if that.

At the time of the compiler's last visit to this spot, on the 13th of October, 1905, it was so overgrown with briers, vines, bushes, and trees, that the gravestones were hardly discernable from the fence line. Probably it was due to the protection thus afforded that these stones were so well preserved.

Forty-three head-stones were found, twenty-two of Tredwells, fifteen of Kissams, two of Platts, two of Woolleys, one of Townsend, and one of Verity. Besides these, there were in the row of the oldest stones, at least two graves marked only by rough field stones, without inscription.

The oldest stone was slate, the most recent ones were marble, the others, brown stone. One was badly broken and crumbling. Several had already fallen. Some of the latter (of the Kissams) seemed to have been purposely levelled and buried.

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* *Rye Town Records*, vol. marked "D, 1723 to 1832," p. 145.

† Liber 9 of Wills, p. 325. See *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1893, p. 254.

This plot had once been inclosed by a wooden fence, but, at the time of the visit mentioned, it was down, apparently having fallen through decay.

This sacred spot should receive attention from the descendants of those buried there, or, in the course of a few more years, it may be ruthlessly obliterated in the same manner as other private burial grounds in that section.

Probably it was about the time Hannah Tredwell executed the above mentioned release that she went to Smithtown, Long Island, to live with her son, Timothy[4] Tredwell, with whom she was living when she died.

Hannah Tredwell left a last will dated the 20th of December, 1744, which was probated in the City of New York on the 26th of August, 1748, and recorded in Liber 16 of Wills, page 308, in the office of the Surrogate of the county of New York.* The original remains on file in the Surrogate's office. Throughout the name is spelled *Treadwell.* The will, signed by her by making a mark, recites that the testatrix is the widow of Thomas Treadwell and that she is "now of Smithtown," living with her son, Timothy Treadwell, to whom she devises all her interest in the buildings on the farm where he lives at Sunken Meadow. It mentions her eldest daughter, Elizabeth Halstead; Phebe Treadwell, the child of her daughter, Charity; her granddaughter, Mary Smith, the other daughter of her said daughter, Charity; her daughter, Hannah Sands; her son, Thomas Star Treadwell; her sons, Benjamin and Samuel Treadwell; her grandchildren, Thomas, John, Samuel, and Mary Treadwell, children of her son, John Treadwell, deceased; her son-in-law, Benjamin Smith. The executors named are her two sons, Benjamin and Timothy.

The farm mentioned, whereon she lived at Sunken Meadow, was, in 1905, owned by Mr. Edward Thompson of Northport, Long Island, and, before him, by a Mr. Bryant.

A few steps northwest of the barn on this place, away from the road, and on the top of a hill commanding a superb view of Long Island Sound and the surrounding county, but unprotected against the wintry blasts, is a small, unfenced burial plot containing several graves marked only with rough, unlettered field stones. One grave, however, has a head and a foot stone of thin slate. This head stone, rounded at the top, with the customary Death's head and wings of that period, beneath which is a square border surrounding an inscription, the right edge being somewhat broken off, was, on the 14th of August, 1910, found broken in half, the upper part, containing the full inscription, lying on the ground face downward. On being raised, the following was disclosed:

Here Lyes Buried | The Body of | Mrs. Hannah Tredwell | who Died Augt ye 17th | 1748. In the 75th year | of Her Age.

(*To be continued.*)

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* *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1895, pp. 182–183.

A DIGEST OF ESSEX WILLS.

With Particular Reference to Names of Importance in the American Colonies.

By William Gilbert,
Corresponding Member of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society, Member of the Essex Archaeological Society, etc.

(Continued from Vol. XLII, p. 201, of the Record.)

204. Carter, Johan, of Audley End, Essex, widow, 16 Jany 29 Eliz. To be bur. in Walden churchyard. To son Thomas household articles. To Susan the daughter of Bennet Carter my son 10/– at age 12. To Margaret and Elizabeth Mathew daughters of my son in law Martin Mathew various household articles at ages 21. My son Martyns servant Jane Croft. To Adam and Thomas sons of my son Martyn Mathew 10/– each at ages 18. Res. & Ex. Martyn Mathew. Wit: Thomas ffrancklyn, John Hennyngton, John Reade. Testator makes mark. Probate not mentioned. (Not registered, original will examined.) Archdeaconry of Colchester.

205. Carter, Robert, senior, of Earls Colne, Essex, 6 April 7 Jac I, Husbandman, To my wife Johan my cottage and garden in Earls Colne called Clovers for her life she to bring up Robert and Mary Carter my grandchildren till their ages of 21 years. After her death the said cottage to go to my grandchild Robert Carter. Res. & Ex. wife Johan. Supervisor, Rober Rookes senior. Wit. Robert Rookes William Dashe. (seal a talbot passant) Proved 29 Nov., 1610. (Not registered, original will examined.) Archdeaconry of Colchester.

206. Cole, Humphrey, of Tillingham, Essex, Clerk, 4 November, 1623. To be buried in the Chancel. To poor 4 marks. To son Robert (Student of Emanuel College Cambridge) books, wearing apparel etc. To wife Hester corn etc. My perpetual advowson of the Rectory of Great Oakley Essex to be sold and the money divided between my sons. My freehold land in Tillingham commonly called Hodgwatts to be sold and the money divided as follows: my wife Hester to have the use of £80 for her life and the residue and also the £80 after wife's death to be equally divided between my sons William, Thomas, Robert and John Cole, or such of them as are living. To William Cole now in Virginia (if he be living) my three acres of freehold land with a new barn built upon it called Sewders Head in Tillingham and next adjoining to a cottage and two acres of copyhold land called Finches which doth belong to his brother Robert Cole, and if my said son William be not living at the time of my decease I bequeath the said land and barn to my second son Thomas. My wife to have for her life all my plate, household stuff etc. by virtue of a deed of gift made by me to Sir John Sams Knight and Mr. Blunt gent. Sole Ex. wife, if she refuse then son Thomas to

to be ex. Overseers my two sonnes in law Micaiah Wood parson of Great Oakley and John George yeoman of Writtle. Wit: John Draske, John Moody. Proved 17 May, 1624, by relict. (Dean & Chapter of St. Pauls, D. fo. 232.)

207. HALL, RICHARD, of Ardleigh, Essex, 9 May, 1590, Tailor. To Ann my wife my land in Merse Street Lane by estimation four acres for life and after to my cousin Robert Hall of Ardleigh for his life and after to his son Samuel Hall and his heirs for ever. Res. to wife An for her life and after to be divided between my brother Downes and his children, the said Robert Hall, and the two John Bondes ye younger. Ex. wife. Supervisor, Brother William Downes. Witness Lawrence Lyde, William Downes. Probate not mentioned. (Not registered.) Original will examined. Archdeaconry of Colchester.

208. KINGE, THOMAS, of Heybridge, Essex, Yeoman, 8 March, 1609. To my daughters Mary and Grace £15 each at their ages of 15 years, also to them certain household articles, after decease of my wife. Res. and Ex. wife Grace Kinge. Overseers: Richard Freshwater and Thomas Wells of Maldon baker. Wit: William Bennett, John Townesin, Thomas Wells. Proved 28 May, 1610, by relict. (Dean & Chapter of St. Pauls, D. fo. 25.)

209. MAULE, GEORGE, Rector of Vange, county Essex, 23 Sept., 1667. To be buried with or close to my wife Mary in the chancel. Bequests to poor of Vange and Fobbing. To Clerk or Sexton of Vange five shillings a year till the year 1700 to keep the memorial to wife clean.* House and land in Vange called Lunsees alias Mopses. House and land in Canvey. Mentions brothers (in law) Richard Champneis† (now or late of Biddenden Kent clothier), Samuel Hare of Leigh (and Elizabeth his wife) Richard Hare (Jane & Elizabeth his daughters) Justin Hare. Mentions sisters, Susan Emerson, Mary Jones, (John Jerome and Mary her children), sister Drywood of Brentwood, Elizabeth & Anne Hare of Leigh singlewomen sisters of my late wife Mentions cousins, Mary Hewit and Justinian Champneis her brother, Robert Tucker and Susan his of Stanford le Hope, Samuel Brett of Romford. The ring my mother Camden gave me. Library to be sold to defray expenses of funeral which is not to exceed £50. To Mr. Rogers rector of Laindon Hils a gown and other vestments. To Mr. Gale Vicar of Horndon £20, and vest-

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* When I visited this Church in 1908 I noted this memorial which is of black marble in a frame embedded in the North wall of the Chancel, Arms above: Champneis impaling Darell. It states she died 4 Sept., 1659, and was the daughter of Justinian Champneis of Wrotham, and Sarah, daughter of John Darell of Calehill Kent. She had an only child Charles, who died an infant.

Near this memorial is one to George Maule, S. T. B., for 33 years rector of Vange, died 1667, aged 64. This has the Arms of Maule viz: Argent on a bend sable three dolphins naiant embowed or.

The will of Elizabeth, widow of Francis Scott, rector of Fobbing (an adjoining parish) mentions her brother George Maule clerk. (Arch. Essex, 1660.)

† John Champneis, clerk of Digswell, Herts., in his will dated 1645, mentions his "loving brother in law Mr. George Male of ffange Essex clarke." (P. C. C. 130 Rivers.)

ments. To his son my godson Andrew Gale 20/-. Sole Ex: my kinsman, Justinian Champneis. Wit: Joane Hearde, Clemence Stoners, Thomas Wakefield. Proved 28 Feby., 1667-8. (P. C. C. Hene 10.)

210. QUYNBY, JOHN, of London, servant with Thomas Goodman of the same City, 28 July, 1556. To poor 40/- To Jane Goodman £20, three rings, my chest etc. To the five children of my brother Roberd 20/- each and ditto to the four children of my sister Catherine, and ditto to the child of my sister Elizabeth. To my sister Audrey a pearl set in gold etc. To my brother Anthony 40/- etc. Various articles to my brother Roberts wife, my sister Katherine; my sister Elizabeth. To my mother £4 to buy her a gown etc. I forgive Thomas Champion 20/- of the 40/- he oweth me, the other 20/- he to pay to my father. To Joane Stell in Farnham four nobles. To Robert Bell my crossbow. To my master and mistress my two chests of apparell as well in Spain as here. To Alice Mathew 10/- To Ursula Godman my signet of gold. Res. & Ex, my father and he to have my two lewtes. Witnesses not named. Proved 3 May, 1557, by John Quynby of Farnham. On 1 December, 1557, administration granted to Jane Quynby, John Quynby being dead. (P. C. C. 12, Wrastley.

211. WARNER, WILLIAM, of Great Horkesley, Essex, Yeoman, 11 Sept., 1612. To be buried in the churchyard. To the poor of Great Horkesley 40/- To do. of Stondon, 20/- To Hellen my wife my house and land in Stondon for her life in lieu of Dower. After her death the house and lands to pass to Steven the son of my brother Steven Warner he to to pay his sister Agnes Warner £10. and also to give £6. 13. 4. unto two sons of my brother Samuel viz: Samuel and William Warner. To John son of my brother Samuel Warner £10. To the children (not named) of my brother John Warner 20 nobles each. Ex. my brother John and I give him all my houses both free and copy in Great Horkesley. Wit: William Ball, Thomas Dynes. Proved 21 October, 1612, by John Warner, brother and executor named in will. (Consistory, London. Hamer folio, 192.)

212. WRIGHT, JOHN, the son of George Wright of Hornchurch, Essex, 24 April, 16 Eliz. My brothers William and George Wright and my sister Margery Wright (all under 21) To my brother Thomas Gill 20/- at age 21. To my brother William one acre of land in Havering Marsh. Ex: Thomas Gill "my father" Wit: Ralph Wreight and William Awlger. Proved 9 June, 1574. (Arch. Essex. Gyll, 53.)

213. WRIGHT, JOHN, of Hornchurch, Essex, 20 Decr., 1582, Husbandman. Sons: John and William. Wife Angis. My sister Thornedon and her two children (not named) Brothers, William and George Wright Res. to wife. Ex: wife and brother George. Overseers: Henry Humfrey, William Augar. Wit: Henry Humfrey, Thomas Gill, William Awger, Richard Harroware and John Hodsonne. Proved 23 March, 1582. (Arch. Essex. Brewer, 286.)

RECORDS OF THE MARRIAGES AND BAPTISMS AS CONTAINED IN THE FIRST BOOK OF THE RECORDS OF CHRIST CHURCH, 71ST ST. AND BOULEVARD, NEW YORK CITY.

CONTRIBUTED BY MARIA D. B. COX.

On Thursday, the 6th of March, A. D. 1794, took leave of Philadelphia and on Saturday the 8th arrived in New York to take the Pastoral Charge of Christ Church in the said city.

Marriage is honorable unto all, etc.

N. B. Being on a visit in New York.
Jan'y 8st, 1791 Married Samuel Borrough and Eliza Ball.—Jos. Pilmore.

MARRIED.

1794

Sun.,	Mar. 30.	Charles McCarty and Deborah Hutchings.
Twes.,	May 27.	Bartholomew Connolly and Elenor Simon.
Wed.,	May 28.	James Lakey and Hannah Thompson.
Sat.,	June 21.	Benjamin Bartram and Frances Hetfield.
Sat.,	June 28.	John Blanden and Phebe Sill.
Sat.,	June 28.	Francis Thomas and Mary McCleish.
Thurs.,	July 31.	Charles Woodman and Catharine Phillips.
Thurs.,	Sept. 3.	John Binjes and Mary Casses.
Same day.		John Matthews and Sarah Lester.
Sat.,	Sept. 13.	William Backhouse and Ann Jones.
Sun.,	Sept. 21.	John Butler and Hannah Earle.
Sat.,	Sept. 27.	Henry Charles Jones and Mary Whipplebor-ough.
Mon.,	Sept. 29.	John D. Chalabre and Eliza Byvanck.
Mon.,	Oct. 6.	William Brown and Eliza Mansfield.
Wed.,	Oct. 8.	Timothy F. Wetmore and Susannah Anderson.
Frid.,	Oct. 29.	John Saga and Margaret Maia.
Wed.,	Oct. 29.	Hayes Pennell and Eliza Triers.
Twes.,	Nov. 4.	George Edkin and Deborah Moreley.
Thurs.,	Nov. 6.	William Jefferies and Citty Workman, (free blacks.)
Sun.,	Nov. 23.	John Burns and Ruth Simmons.
	Nov. 30.	Elkanah Conkling and Rebecca Smith.
	Dec. 2.	Moses Toolong and Hannah Mott.
	Dec. 8.	William Griffith and Lucy Myers.
	Dec. 14.	William Burkit Ogden and Mary Mott.

1795

Jan. 1.	Thomas Mozan and Esther Evans.
Jan. 2.	Charles Hassack and Mary Yard.

MARRIED BY THOMAS LYELL IN THE YEAR 1804.

Dec. 1. David Conn and Catharine Logan.
Dec. 9. George Burtsell and Ann Barney.
Dec. 27. Henry Henderson and Blair Fleming.

MARRIED BY THOS. LYELL, 1805.

Jan. 17. Robt Hardy and Mary Wood.
Jan. 19. Nathan Holden and Hannah Taylor.
Feb. 18. Wm Brown and Sarah Donally.
March 3. George Moulder and Rebecca Higgins.
April 4. Abraham Anderson and Eliza Ryers.
June 22. John Leonard and Sarah M. Halstead.
July 11. James Baker and Rebecca Patten.
July Joseph Smith and Hannah Martin.
July 28. Thomas Blake and Charlotte Seymore.
Aug. 2. Richd Hayman and Mary Hayman.
Aug. 3. John Richardson and Charlotte Harley.
Sept. 2. Joseph Cooper and Charlotte Le Brun.
Sept. 2. Blazius Rongieu and Mary Le Brun.
Nov. 9. Charley Ketchum and Patience Harley.
Nov. 10. Eli Emmons and Polly Hummell.
Nov. 12. Joseph Du Vale and Mary Buckel.
Nov. 13. John Robinson and Sylvia Jacklin.
Nov. 13. Charlie Winford and Hannah Williams.
Nov. 17. Saml Carman and Eliza Gunnell.
Nov. 20. Peter Brown and Jane Williams.
Nov. 26. Edward Millar and Mary Quin.
Dec. 3. Thomas Jones and Betsey Ogden.
Dec. 4. Samuel Liburn and Hannah Thomas.
Dec. 9. William Haliburton and Mary Gardner.
Dec. 11. Wm McLean and Isabella Weath.
Dec. 14. James Quick and Rebecca Miller.

1806

March 4. Wm G. Miller and Mary Smith.
Oct. 8. David Phippeny and Mary Sowls.
Oct. 9. Alexander M. Stewart and Susan Langley.
Oct. 10. Gerrad Hotchkipon and Betsy Van Iderstein.
Nov. 1. David Morgan and Margaret Ward.
Nov. 2. John M. Burnham and Maria Thompson.
Nov. 9. Alexander Hemphill and Agnes Van Iderstein.
Nov. 12. James Marshall and Elizabeth Elder.
Nov. 16. John Callanan and Ann Jennings.
Nov. 17. Joseph Metzler and Eliza Hamilton.
Nov. 23. Charles Benoit and Ellen Fuzis.
Nov. 30. Ephraim Whitehead and Charlotte Bell.
Dec. 6. William Dyck and Hannah Earle.

1797 BY THOMAS LYELL.

Jan. 12. John Mountjoy and Catharine Corleet.
Jan. 15. James Blair and Mary Marks.

1797

Jan. 17. Isaac Merritt and Elizabeth Ellis.
Feb. 14. George B. Smith and Joanna Vermyle.
Feb. 17. William Wales and Susannah Roseworthy.
March 7. James Wienell and Magdalene Bush.
March 5. Robert Coleman and Emily Waring.
March 14. William Cox and Margaret Rothgangal.
March 16. John Jones and Esther Bird.
April 26. Jacob Harris and Betsy Johnson.
April 29. John Holdsworth and Margaret Beauyex.
May 7. Benjamin Kissam and Mary Atkinson.
May 23. George Giffing and Eliza Beaman.
May 27. William Smith and Mercy Freelow.
May 31. Samuel Tindel and Elizabeth McPherson.
June 7. Joseph Watkins and Helen Stout.
June 13. Henry Nungezarr and Violetta Mount.
July 3. John William Turton and Sarah Simmons.
July 4. Arch. Herly and Margaret Miller.
July 4. William Johnston and Violett Beard.
July 9. James Porter and Jane Carss.
July 15. William Frazier and Ann Speering.
July 19. Jose Jaque Tatmu and Sarah Wetherby.
July 18. Thomas Scott and Margaret Sintz.
July 25. John Williams and Hagar Hariyun.
Aug. 1. Isaac Coutant and Mary Howard.
Aug. 3. Asa W. Weldon and Mary Taylor.
Aug. 4. Joseph Stabia and Mary Coleman.
Aug. 8. John Johnston and Susan R. Barrick.
Aug. 9. William McKenny and Mary Morand.
Aug. 11. William Miller and Elizabeth Newkirk.
Aug. 12. Peter Amer and Mary C. Sim.
Aug. 16. Henry Banks and Betsey Alexander.
Sept. 17. James Gill and Mary Williams.
Oct. 1. John Cummings and Ann Hughes.
Sept. 23. Andrew Yallcey and Peggy Durand.

Married by Rev. T. Lyell Since the Convention of 1807.

1807

Oct. 10. Isaac Coddington and Mary Kierstede.
Oct. 12. Israel Denny and Elizabeth Coventry.
Oct. 13. John Thomas and Hannah Slay.
Oct. 15. Henry I. Brown and Mary Hitchcock.
Oct. 22. Silas Allen and Sarah Pellington.
Oct. 29. John Hibbard and Hannah Shipley.
Nov. 1. Peter Paul and Francis Berin.
Nov. 6. Robert Ingham and Jane Foster.
Nov. 4. Thomas Kendrick and Catharine Palmer.
Nov. 6. George Duff and Clara Butler.
Nov. 22. William Campbell and Maria Connerye.
Nov. 25. Harry Louis and Mary Morrison.
Dec. 5. Robert Brown and Nancy Jackson.

1807

Dec. 15. John Allan and Mary Thomas.
Dec. 15. Robert Hawke and Nancy Couwen.
Dec. 22. James McKee and Rebecca Dennison.

1808

Jan. 1. Samuel Grace and Eleanore Wilson.
Jan. 3. Alexander Reed and Jane McConochie.
Jan. 5. Thomas Willis and Diana Jones.
Jan. 9. Daniel Johnson and Isabella Corneley.
Jan. 11. John Delauney and Eliza Ireland.
Feb. 12. Sam[l] Buckel and Ann Wylie.
March 3. Vincent Corre and Anne Labuzan.
March 11. John Haggerty and Margaret McDermot.
March 15. William G. Miller Jr. and Minugh (?)
March 21. William Black and Margaret Smith.
March 27. William Decker and Eliza Slater.
April 2. William Rogers and Martha Young.
April 3. Phineas Terry and Eliza Pellington.
April 25. Henry Ireland and Mary Sheridan.
May 8. Walter Nagel and Mary Jones.
May 14. William Gibbons and Jane Sterling.
May 18. Peter Roome and Elizabeth Cercularius.
May 23. Timothy Tredwell and Margaret Seaman.
May 24. Samuel Bonnell and Ann Thompson.
May 31. Albert Henry Koster and Mary Wilkie.
June 4. William Lovell and Rosanna Cowen.
June 4. Henry Gottlieb Hoes and Mary Smith.
June 5. Thomas Mitchell and Sarah Little.
June 9. William Thomas and Alice Salbis.
June 11. Samuel York and Catharine Selcraig.
June 16. Eliphalet Snedecor and Sarah Simmon.
June 16. Sylvestre Launey and Nancy Bargoin.
July 18. John Roach and Sara Love.
Aug. 4. Albert Journeay and Anne Walker.
Aug. 26. Pascal Magelect and Hannah Winthrop.
Sept. 4. Romeo Smith and Sarah Ticktine.
Sept. 12. John Caswell and Jane Crawford.
Sept. 18. John Washington Campbell and Catharine Hager.
Oct. 1. Alexander Horn and Rachel Lorton.

Married by the Rev'd Thomas Lyell Since the Convention of 1808.

Oct. 19. William Ward and Sarah Warner.
Nov. 12. Robert Murray and Hannah Green.
Nov. 14. Thomas Holiday and Mary Alexander.
Dec. 5. Thomas Deguilheim and Hannah Casé.
Dec. 5. Christopher Riddell and Jane Milligan.
Dec. 13. James Rikeman and Eliza Perrin.
Dec. Capt. Harriot and Mrs. Gold.
Dec. 26. James Cox and Maria Steward.
Dec. 26. John Swan and Agnes Lincoln.

A Correct Register of Persons and Children Baptized in Christ Church as taken down by me, William G. Miller, first Clerk of Christ Church.

BAPTIZED.	CHILD'S NAME.	BORN.	PARENTS.
1793. April 16.	Anne Shepherd	1793. Feb. 26.	John Shepherd, Margaret Shepherd
1795. June 10.	Humphrey Mount	1795. April 26.	John Shepherd, Margaret Shepherd
1794. Aug. 1.	William Warner	1794. March 21.	William Warner
Aug. 31.	Elizabeth Walker	July 4.	Hugh Walker, Maria Walker
Jan. 5.	Joseph Pilmore	1793. Nov. 20.	Josiah Furnam, Elizabeth Furnam
Sept. 24.	Sarah Bogart Burvois	1790. Feb. 15.	
May 7.	Sarah Palmer	1794. Sept. 13.	Nathaniel Palmer, Sarah Palmer
June 8.	Elizabeth Layn	1793. Sept. 14.	James Layn, Sarah Layn
June 16.	Elizabeth Van Sice	1794. June 3.	John Van Sice, Lydia Van Sice
July 9.	Sarah Mary	June 14.	Anthony Olliver, Elizabeth Olliver
May 17.	Isaac Young	1793. Dec. 12.	Matthias Elizabeth
July 25.	Theophilus	July 12.	Theoph. Marcellus, Catharine Marcellus. Edward Livingston, Sponsor
1794. March 19.	Margaret Ann Ryan	1769. Aug. 4.	
March 16.	Barrahury Suan Man	1794. June 21.	
April 23.	John Pryer	March 20.	Jasper Pryer, Margaret Pryer
Oct. 8.	Maria Pryer	Sept. 22.	Thomas Pryer Catharine Pryer
Oct. 7.	John Augustus	Sept. 12.	Olliver Goodwin, Sophia Goodwin. Samuel Sackett, Sponsor
Oct. 28.	Eve, Ann, Ellis	Oct. 3.	John Ellis, Polly Ellis
Nov. 26.	Sarah Nostrand	Oct. 1.	Timothy Nostrand, Garichy Nostrand

BAPTIZED.	CHILD'S NAME.	BORN.	PARENTS.
1794.		1794.	
Dec. 3.	Mary Henrietta Adams	April 28.	Anthne Adams, Mary Adams
1795.	Sarah Post	March 24.	John E. Post, Jane Post
Jan. 1.	James Davison	Dec. 6.	James Egbert, Hannah Egbert
Jan. 6.	Thomas Boyd Cox	Dec. 8.	Jameson Cox, Sarah Cox
Jan. 27.	William Smith		William Smith, Susannah Pendleton.
1794.			
Oct. 30.	Mary Lawrence Hicks	July 14.	John B. Hicks, Catherine Hicks. Benj. Hicks, Sponsor
		1787	
Baptized in St. George's Chapel, date unknown	Jeremiah Perce Percity Wood	Dec. 26. Sept. 1.	Jeremiah Wood, Rebecca Wood, Jeremiah Wood, Rebecca Wood
		1794.	
Oct. 11.	Gerardus Wood	Sept. 11.	Jeremiah Wood, Rebecca Wood
1795.			
Jan. 21.	Aeneas McKay	Nov. 24.	John McKay, Elizabeth McKay
		1795.	
Jan. 25.	Mary Louis	Jan. 3.	Andrew Louis, Mary Louis
Feb. 11.	Abigail Banker	Jan. 6.	Abraham Banker, Abigail Banker
March 4.	Margaret Funk	Jan. 25.	John Funk, Priscilla Funk
		1794.	
	James Quain	Sept. 17.	John Quain, Mary Quain
	Deborah Ritter	Nov. 14.	Peter Ritter, Catharine Ritter
		1782.	
June 29.	Hannah Conwey	March 28.	John Conway, Jane Conway
1794.		1794.	
July 21.	Esau Collard	June 25.	Thomas Collard, Catharine Collard
June 5.	Morgan Delauney	March 28.	John Smith, Catherine Smith
1795.		1795.	
March 11.	James Lee	Jan. 12.	William Lee, Jane Lee
March 11.	Joanna Waitchurch	Feb. 3.	Thos. Waitchurch Margaret Waitchurch
March	Martha Bailey	Jan. 1.	John Bailey, Mary Bailey
May 8.	Elizabeth Dommick	April 7.	Francis Dommick, Philander Dommick

BAPTIZED.	CHILD'S NAME.	BORN.	PARENTS.
1795. Feb. 24.	Richard Read	1793. Jan. 23.	John Read, Gloriana Read
1786. Aug. 19.	Hope Beardsley	1786. Aug 11. in Maryville, New Brunswick	Rev. John and Ann Beardsley
1795. July 1.	Robert Daniot	1795. April 1.	David Daniot, Elisabeth Daniot
Aug. 16.	Elizabeth Van Gelder		Abraham Van Gelder, Eliza Van Gelder
1798. Jan. 31.	Joseph Rodman	1797. Oct. 23.	Samuel Bleecker, Catharine Bleecker
April 25.	Catharine Maria Miller		Andrew R. Miller, Sarah Miller
1797. Sept. 20.	David Leroy	Sept. 9.	David Leroy, Mary Leroy
1799. Dec. 1.	Stephen Lansdown	1799. Oct. 31.	Edward Lansdown, Elizabeth Lansdown
	Thomas Seaman	1771. Sept. 14.	Richard Townsend, Rosetta Townsend
	John Richard	1802. June 22.	Thomas Townsend, Margaret Townsend
	Catharine Anne	1803. June 8.	Richard Morris, Ann Morris
	Eliza Barber	Feb. 26.	John Crooke, Elizabeth Crooke
	Theo. etc.	1805. August	Theo Bleecker, Lydia Bleecker
1798. May 16.	Elizer		Robert Blackwell, Mary Blackwell

Isaac Wyeth born 25th April, 1797.
Andrew Wyeth born 11th August, 1798.
Mary Kimble Wyeth born 12 August, 1801.
Alexander Thomas Wyeth born 14 August, 1800.
Noah Wyeth, born 28 August, 1804.
Rebecca, daughter of John and Rebecca Jay, born 11 June, 1806. bapt. September following.
Robert Anna, daughter of Thomas and Mary Vermilye, born 15th September, 1806.

No. 12. SALTONSTALL.....JOHN REYNOLDS TOTTEN

(Continued from Vol. XLII., p. 214 of the RECORD).

10. **Lucretia Christophers Mumford,** b. Aug. 10, 1785, at Salem, Conn.; d. April 6, 1871, at New London, Conn.; m. Feb. 24, 1806, at New London, Conn., to **Anthony Thatcher,** b. Jan. 7, 1782, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Dec. 26, 1844, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn, Cashier New London Bank.

Children: Nathaniel Woodbridge, Lucretia Mumford, Mary Woodbridge, John Christophers, Eloise Hardy, George Thompson, Daniel Anthony, Henry Perkins, Abby Mumford, Julia Hubbell, Elizabeth Wetmore, Mary Perkins, Anthony, Antoinette.

11. **Julia Hubbell Thatcher,** b. March 6, 1823, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 31, 1906, at New London, Conn.; m. Dec. 5, 1843, at New London, Conn., to **Gen. James Totten,** U. S. Army; b. Sept. 11, 1818, at Cincinnati, Ohio; d. Oct. 1, 1871, at Sedalia, Mo.

Res. various posts in service U. S. Army. U. S. M. A. 1841. Lieut. Col. and Inspector General U. S. A. Served Mexican and Civil Wars.

Children: William Anthony, Charles Adelle Lewis, John Reynolds.

12. **John Reynolds Totten,** b. Barrancas Barracks, Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 4, 1856; d. ....., at .....; m. Sept. 5, 1889, at Garrisons-on-Hudson, N. Y., to **Elma Smythe Preston-Van Voorhis** (wid. of Arthur Van Voorhis), b. Jan. 10, 1862, at Evansville, Ind.; d. ....., at .....

Res. various posts U. S. Army and New York City.

Children: none.

No. 13. PRESTON....ELMA SMYTHE (PRESTON) TOTTEN

1. **Roger Preston,** b. ....., 1614, at ....., Eng.; d. Jan. 20, 1666, at Lynn (or Salem), Mass.; m. ....., at ....., to **Martha** ....., b. ....., about 1622, at .....; d. March 21, 1703, at Andover, Mass.; she m. (2) May 21, 1666, at Andover, Mass., to Nicholas Holt (of Andover, Mass.), b. ....., about 1581, at .....; d. Jan. 30, 1685, aged 104 years, at Andover, Mass.

Res. He resided at Ipswich, Mass., and moved to Salem, Mass., about 1658. He came over on the *Elizabeth* from London, April 8, 1635; he was a tanner.

Children: 1st m. (Preston), Thomas, Samuel, John, Jacob, and probably also Levi, Elizabeth, Mary; 2nd m., none recorded.

2. **Samuel Preston,** b. ....., 1651, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. July 10, 1738, at Andover Mass.; m. (1) May 27, 1672, at Andover, Mass., to **Susannah Gutterson,** b. ....., at .....; d. Dec. 29, 1710, at .....; m. (2) Sept. 24, 1713, at ....., to **Mary (Rolandson) Blodget** (dau. of ..... Rolandson and wid. of ..... Blodget), b. ....., at .....; d. March 1, 1738–9, at .....

Res. Andover, Mass.

Children: 1st m., Samuel, William, Susannah, Mary, Jacob, Elizabeth, John, Joseph, Ruth, Lydia, Priscilla; 2nd m., none.

3. **John Preston,** b. May 1, 1685, at Andover, Mass.; d. July 26, 1733, at Windham, Conn.; m. Jan. 10, 1707, at Andover, Mass., to **Mary Haynes,** b. March 3, 1687, at Haverhill, Mass.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Andover, Mass., Killingly and Windham, Conn.; he was a farmer.

Children: John, Mary, Susannah, Jonathan, Joseph, Benjamin, William, Abigail, Theodore, David, Samuel, Sarah.

4. **John Preston,** b. ....., about 1708, at.....; d. ....., at .....; m. March 18, 1730–1, at Windham, Conn., to **Eleanor Stiles** (dau. of John Stiles of Boxford, Mass.), b. Feb. 17, 1703, at Boxford, Mass.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Windham, Conn., Ashford, Conn., Litchfield (Harwinton), Conn. He was a farmer.

Children: Asa, John, Anne, Stephen, Jonathan.

5. **John Preston,** b. ....., 1735 (bap. March 25, 1739–40), at Windham, Conn.; d. Nov. 14, 1805, at Harwinton, Conn.; m. ....., at ....., to **Marium Bristol,** b. ....., 1739–40 (bap. Feb. 28, 1742), in New Haven. Conn.; d. April 14, 1826, aged 84, at Harwinton, Conn.

Res. Harwinton, Conn. Farmer.

Children: Noah, Miriam, John Stiles, Garner, Lucina, Ursula.

6. **Noah Preston,*** b. Feb. 23, 1763, at Harwinton, Conn.; d. April 4, 1835, at Camden, N. Y.; m. Dec. 29, 1785, at Harwinton, Conn., to **Honor Rossiter,** b. May 28, 1766, at .....; d. Nov. 22, 1847, aged 82, at Camden, N. Y.

Res. Harwinton, Conn., and Camden, Oneida Co., N. Y. Farmer, soldier in Revolutionary War. Pensioned from Camden, N. Y.

Children: Warren, Rossiter, William Riley, Honor, Cyprian, Olive, Sabra, Lyman, John Stiles, Chandler B.....

7. **William Riley Preston,** b. Feb. 4 (or Nov. 10), 1790, at Harwinton, Conn.; d. Aug. 4, 1834, at Camden, N. Y.; m. May 19, 1812, at Camden, N. Y., to **Sarah Ann Smith,** b. June 18, 1793, at Wolcott, Conn.; d. Feb. 11, 1873, at Evansville, Ind.

Res. Harwinton, Conn., and Camden, N. Y. He was a tanner; joined the church in Camden, N. Y., by letter from Harwinton, Conn., in 1810.

Children: Helen, Catlin, William Riley, Sarah Ann, Andrew Jackson, Cyprian, Frances, George Rutledge.

8. **Cyprian Preston,** b. March 24, 1826, at Camden, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....; m. Nov. 2, 1858, at Evansville, Ind., to **Mary Hamilton Stockwell,** b. May 31, 1840, at Evansville, Ind.; d. Dec. 27, 1877, at Evansville, Ind.

Res. Evansville, Ind. Merchant, retired from active business about 1865.

Children: Stockwell Barnes, Elma Smythe.

NOTE: * Descendants eligible to Soc. Sons of Revolution.

PRESTON—*Continued.*

9. **Elma Smythe Preston,** b. Jan. 10, 1862, at Evansville, Ind.; d. ....., at .....; m. (1) Oct. 18, 1882, at New York City, to **Arthur Stoddard Van Voorhis** (son of Bartow White and Helen (Tappen) Van Voorhis), b. July 7, 1857, at New York City; d. Jan. 7, 1884, at New York City; m. (2) Sept. 5, 1889, at Garrisons-on-Hudson, N. Y., to **John Reynolds Totten,** b. Nov. 4, 1856, at Barrancas Barracks, Pensacola, Fla.; d. ....., at .....

Res. 44 West 54th Street, New York City.
Children: 1st m., none; 2nd m., none.

No. 14. PRESTON.....HENRY MALTBY PRESTON

1. **Roger Preston,** b. ....., 1614, at ....., Eng.; d. Jan. 20, 1666, at Lynn (or Salem), Mass.; m. ....., at ....., to **Martha** ....., b. ....., about 1622, at .....; d. March 21, 1703, at Andover, Mass.; she m. (2) May 21, 1666, at Andover, Mass., to Nicholas Holt (of Andover, Mass.), b. ....., about 1581, at .....; d. Jan. 30, 1685, aged 104 years, at Andover, Mass.

Res. He resided at Ipswich, Mass., and moved to Salem, Mass., about 1658. He came over on the *Elizabeth* from London, April 8, 1635; he was a tanner.
Children: 1st m. (Preston), Thomas, Samuel, John, Jacob, and probably also Levi, Elizabeth, Mary; 2nd m., none recorded.

2. **Samuel Preston,** b. ....., 1651, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. July 10, 1738, at Andover Mass.; m. (1) May 27, 1672, at Andover, Mass., to **Susannah Gutterson,** b. ....., at .....; d. Dec. 29, 1710, at .....; m. (2) Sept. 24, 1713, at ....., to **Mary (Rolandson) Blodget** (dau. of ..... Rolandson and wid. of ..... Blodget), b. ....., at .....; d. March 1, 1738–9, at .....

Res. Andover, Mass.
Children: 1st m., Samuel, William, Susannah, Mary, Jacob, Elizabeth, John, Joseph, Ruth, Lydia, Priscilla; 2nd m., none.

3. **John Preston,** b. May 1, 1685, at Andover, Mass.; d. July 26, 1733, at Windham, Conn.; m. Jan. 10, 1707, at Andover, Mass., to **Mary Haynes,** b. March 3, 1687, at Haverhill, Mass.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Andover, Mass., Killingly and Windham, Conn.; he was a farmer.
Children: John, Mary, Susannah, Jonathan, Joseph, Benjamin, William, Abigail, Theodore, David, Samuel, Sarah.

4. **John Preston,** b. ....., about 1708, at.....; d. ....., at .....; m. March 18, 1730–1, at Windham, Conn., to **Eleanor Stiles** (dau. of John Stiles of Boxford, Mass.), b. Feb. 17, 1703, at Boxford, Mass.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Windham, Conn., Ashford, Conn., Litchfield (Harwinton), Conn. He was a farmer.
Children: Asa, John, Anne, Stephen, Jonathan.

5. **John Preston,** b. ....., 1735 (bap. March 25, 1739–40), at Windham, Conn.; d. Nov. 14, 1805, at Harwinton, Conn.; m. ....., at ....., to **Marium Bristol,** b. ....., 1739–40 (bap. Feb. 28, 1742), in New Haven. Conn.; d. April 14, 1826, aged 84, at Harwinton, Conn.

Res. Harwinton, Conn. Farmer.
Children: Noah, Miriam, John Stiles, Garner, Lucina, Ursula.

6. **Noah Preston,*** b. Feb. 23, 1763, at Harwinton, Conn.; d. April 4, 1835, at Camden, N. Y.; m. Dec. 29, 1785, at Harwinton, Conn., to **Honor Rossiter,** b. May 28, 1766, at .....; d. Nov. 22, 1847, aged 82, at Camden, N. Y.

Res. Harwinton, Conn., and Camden, Oneida Co., N. Y. Farmer, soldier in Revolutionary War. Pensioned from Camden, N. Y.
Children: Warren, Rossiter, William Riley, Honor, Cyprian, Olive, Sabra, Lyman, John Stiles, Chandler B.....

7. **William Riley Preston,** b. Feb. 4 (or Nov. 10), 1790, at Harwinton, Conn.; d. Aug. 4, 1834, at Camden, N. Y.; m. May 19, 1812, at Camden, N. Y., to **Sarah Ann Smith,** b. June 18, 1793, at Wolcott, Conn.; d. Feb. 11, 1873, at Evansville, Ind.

Res. Harwinton, Conn., and Camden, N. Y. He was a tanner; joined the church in Camden, N. Y., by letter from Harwinton, Conn., in 1810.
Children: Helen, Catlin, William Riley, Sarah Ann, Andrew Jackson, Cyprian, Frances, George Rutledge.

8. **Catlin Preston,** b. Jan. 24, 1816, at Camden, N. Y.; d. Dec. 7, 1876, at Evansville, Ind.; m. Oct. 3, 1837, at Pulaski, N. Y., to **Juliet Cook,** b. ....., at Pulaski, N. Y.; d. Sept. 16, 1852, at York, Clark Co., Ill.

Res. Camden, N. Y., Palestine, Crawford Co., Ill., and Evansville, Ind. He was a merchant in Palestine, Ill., and member of the firm of Preston Brothers in Evansville, Ind.
Children: William Riley, Byron Dewitt, Frederick Augustus, John Dickson, Henry Maltby, Amelia Juliet.

9. **Henry Maltby Preston,** b. Aug. 7, 1845, at Palestine, Ill.; d. ....., at .....; m. Dec. 22, 1874, at New Orleans, La., to **Alice Bonford Stauffer,** b. Sept. 22, 1852, at New York City, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....

Res. New Orleans, La., since April, 1869; wholesale grocer, firm of Preston & Stauffer, retired about 1906.
Children: none.

NOTE: * Descendants eligible to Soc. Sons of Revolution.

No. 15. SALTONSTALL.....EDA (TOTTEN) ENNIS

1. **Gilbert Saltonstall,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., at ....., Eng.; m. ....., in Eng., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Halifax, Yorkshire, Eng.
Child: Samuel.

SALTONSTALL—*Continued.*

2. **Samuel Saltonstall,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. Jan. 8, 1612–13, at ....., Eng.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Anne Ramsden** (dau. of John Ramsden of Longley, Esq.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Ogden** (dau. of Thomas Ogden), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Armine** (wid. of Hugh Armine, Mayor of Hull, Eng.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Owned Rookes and Huntwicke. In 40th Elizabeth (1597), he made fine of heriot for the ancient lands in Saltonstall. In 1599 Winter-Edge Hall at Hipperholme was held of the Crown in fee by him, also Rogerthorpe in Badsworth. He died 8th of Jan., 1612–13, and was buried in Holy Trinity Church in Hull, Eng. Will dated Dec. 31, 1612, proved July 22, 1613, when he calls himself of Kingston-upon-Hull. Watson in his *History of Halifax* calls him "Sir Samuel" and thinks he was knighted.

Children: 1st m., Richard, Gilbert; 2nd m., Samuel, John, Thomas, Anne, Elizabeth, George, Mary, Margaret, Barbara; 3rd m., none recorded.

3. **Sir Richard Saltonstall,** b. March .., 1586, at Halifax, Eng.; bap. at Halifax, Eng., April 4, 1586; d. ....., about 1658, at ....., Eng.; m. (1) ....., at ....., Eng., to **Grace Kaye** (dau. of Robert Kaye of Woodsome, Esq., and aunt of Sir John Kaye; the Kayes were a very ancient family of Yorkshire), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., before 1630, at ....., Eng.; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth West** (dau. of Sir Thomas West [Lord Delaware, 1602]), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Martha Wilfred,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Came over in 1630 and settled in Watertown, Mass.; returned to Eng. in 1631. First Assistant and First Associate Massachusetts Bay Company. Original patentee of Conn. with Lord Say and Seal and Lord Brook and others.

Children: 1st m., Richard, Rosamond, Grace, Robert, Samuel, Henry, Peter(?); 2nd m., none; 3rd m., none.

4. **Hon. Richard Saltonstall,** b. ....., 1610, at Woodsome, Yorkshire, Eng.; d. April 29, 1694, at Hulme, Lancaster Co., Eng.; m. June .., 1633, at ....., Eng., to **Muriel Gurdon** (dau. of Brampton Gurdon of Assington, Suffolk, Esq., by his wife Muriel Sedley), b. ....., 1613, at ....., Eng.; d. ....., 1694, at .....

Res. He matriculated as "Mr. Fellow Commoner" at Emmanuel College, Cambridge, Eng., Dec. 14, 1627. He came with his father to New England in 1630 before taking his degree. He was admitted a Freeman, May 18, 1631. He returned to England in 1631 where he was married. He returned to New England in 1635 on the *Susan and Ellen* with his wife, then aged 22, and his daughter Muriel, aged 9 mos. Resided at Ipswich, Mass. Deputy to G. C., 1635–7; Assistant to G. C., 1637–1649, 1664 and 1680–1683.

Children: Muriel, Richard, Nathaniel, Gurdon, Abigail, Elizabeth.

5. **Col. Nathaniel Saltonstall,** b. ....., 1639, about, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. May 21, 1707, at Haverhill, Mass.; m. Dec. 28, 1663, at ....., to **Elizabeth Ward** (dau. of Rev. John and Alice (Edmunds) Ward of Haverhill, Mass.), b. April 1 (7 or 9), 1647, at Haverhill, Mass.; d. April 29 (or 19), 1714, at Haverhill, Mass.

Res. Haverhill, Mass. Harvard College, 1659. Freeman, Haverhill, 1665; Rep. G. C., 1666, 1669–1671; Town Clerk, Haverhill, 1679–1686; Col. Essex Regiment; Asst. G. C., 1679–1686 and 1689–1692; Member of the Council; Judge of Oyer and Terminer, 1692, and refused to serve on Witchcraft Trials.

Children: Gurdon, Elizabeth, Richard, Nathaniel, John.

6. **Gov. Gurdon Saltonstall,** b. March 27, 1666, at Haverhill, Mass.; d. Sept. 20, 1724, at New London, Conn.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Jerusha Richards** (dau. of James and Sarah (Gibbons) Richards of Hartford, Conn.), b. June 28, 1665, at .....; d. July 25, 1697, at Boston, Mass.; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Rosewell** (only child of William Rosewell of Branford, Conn.), b. ....., at .....; d. Sept. 12, 1710, at New London, Conn.; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Mary Whittingham-Clarke** (dau. of William Whittingham and wid. of William Clarke of Boston), b. ....., at .....; d. Jan. 23, 1729–30, at Boston, Mass.

Res. New London, Conn. Ordained Minister at New London, Nov. 25, 1691. Elected Governor of Conn., Jan. 1, 1708, and served as such until his death. Harvard College, 1684.

Children: 1st m., Elizabeth, Mary, Sarah, Jerusha, Gurdon; 2nd m., Rosewell, Katherine, Nathaniel, Gurdon, Richard; 3rd m., none.

7. **Sarah Saltonstall,** b. April 8, 1694, at New London, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. (1) May 6, 1716, at New London, Conn, to **John Gardiner,** b. ....., 1693, at .....; d. Jan. 19, 1724–5, at New London, Conn.; she m. (2) Jan. 1, 1727, at New London, Conn., to **Samuel Davis,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; she m. (3) July 4, 1737, at New London, Conn., to **Thomas Davis,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. John Gardiner resided in New London, Conn., where he was a Merchant and School Teacher. Yale College, 1711.

Children: (Gardiner) Elizabeth, Jerusha, Jerusha, John.

8. **Jerusha Gardiner,** b. Oct. 6, 1723, at .....; d. Feb. 18, 1754, at New London, Conn.; m. March 7, 1741–2, at New London, Conn., to **John Christophers,** b. Feb. 27, 1718–19, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 15, 1787, at ..... He m. (2) ....., before 1764, at ....., to **Elizabeth Manwaring** (dau. of Thomas and Esther (Christophers) Manwaring of Lyme, Conn.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) Nov. 10, 1768, at Norwich, Conn., to **Sybel (Capron) Crocker,** of Norwich, Conn. (wid. of Capt. Roswell Crocker), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New London, Black Point, and Norwich, Conn. Member First Church of Christ, New London, Conn., from which he dissented.

Children: 1st m., John, Richard, Mary, Peter, Lucretia; 2nd m., Samuel, Elizabeth; 3rd m., none that are known of.

9. **Lucretia Christophers,** b. Jan. 19, 1749–50, at New London, Conn.; d. March 19, 1825, at New London, Conn.; m. May 13, 1770, at New London, Conn., to **John Mumford, Jr.,** b. Dec. 3, 1740, at South Kingston, R. I.; d. July 14, 1825, at New London, Conn.

Res. "Elm Grove" Farm, Salem (Lyme), Conn., and New London, Conn. Large land owner in Salem, Conn.; Agent for Col. William Browne, the Tory Governor of Bermuda.

Children: Elizabeth, Mary, Lucretia, Catherine, Sarah, Lucretia Christophers.

SALTONSTALL—*Continued.*

10. **Lucretia Christophers Mumford,** b. Aug. 10, 1785, at Salem, Conn.; d. April 6, 1871, at New London, Conn.; m. Feb. 24, 1806, at New London, Conn., to **Anthony Thatcher,** b. Jan. 7, 1782, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Dec. 26, 1844, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn. Cashier New London Bank.

Children: Nathaniel Woodbridge, Lucretia Mumford, Mary Woodbridge, John Christophers, Eloise Hardy, George Thompson, Daniel Anthony, Henry Perkins, Abby Mumford, Julia Hubbell, Elizabeth Wetmore, Mary Perkins, Anthony, Antoinette.

11. **Julia Hubbell Thatcher,** b. March 6, 1823, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 31, 1906, at New London, Conn.; m. Dec. 5, 1843, at New London, Conn., to **Gen. James Totten,** U. S. Army; b. Sept. 11, 1818, at Cincinnati, Ohio; d. Oct. 1, 1871, at Sedalia, Mo.

Res. various posts in service U. S. Army. U. S. M. A. 1841. Lieut. Col. and Inspector General U. S. A. Served Mexican and Civil Wars.

Children: William Anthony, Charles Adelle Lewis, John Reynolds.

12. **Charles Adelle Lewis Totten,** b. Feb. 3, 1851, at New London, Conn.; d. April 12, 1908, at Milford, Conn.; m. (1) Aug. .., 1871, at N. Y. City; to **Eda Smith,** b. Sept. 11, 1856, at Benecia, Cal.; d. Jan. 8, 1884, at Garden City, Long Island, N. Y.; m. (2) Jan. 18, 1888, at Garden City, L. I.; to **Mary Bunker,** b. Oct. 25, 1866, at N. Y. City; d. ....., at .....

Res. various posts U. S. Army. Settled Milford, Conn. Trinity College 1869. U. S. M. A. 1873. 1st Lieut. 4th Art., U. S. A, Resigned from U. S. A. 1893. Prof. of Mil. Science at Amherst Agricultural College and at Garden City, L. I., School for Boys, and at Sheffield Institute, Yale University. Author. Publisher of *Our Race*, Studies of Biblical Prophecy.

Children: 1st m., Eda, James, Tea Tephi; 2nd m., Muriel Gurdon Saltonstall, Denis Bunker.

13. **Eda Totten,** b. Oct. 25, 1878, at Fort Hamilton, Brooklyn, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....; m. April 25, 1903, at Fortress Monre, Va., to **William Peirce Ennis,** b. Jan. 30, 1878, at "The Presidio" of San Francisco, Cal.; d. ....., at .....

Res. various posts U. S. A. U. S. M. A., 1901. Capt. U. S. Field Artillery, U. S. A.

Child: William Peirce.

No. 16. **HEDDEN.JULIA APGAR (HEDDEN) WORTHINGTON**

1. **Edward Hedden,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Jane Jones,** b. ..... 1668, at .....; d. Feb. 23, 1773, at Newark, N. J.

Res. Newark, N. J.

Children: John, and probably Joseph, Oliver and Eleazer.

2. **John Hedden,** b. ....., about 1698, at Newark, N. J., probably; d. ....., at South Orange, N. J., m. ....., about 1723, at ....., to **Hannah Riggs,** b. ....., about 1707, at Newark (or Orange), N. J.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Newark, N. J.

Children: Abijah, Josiah (or Joseph), Zadock, Allen, Loton, Comfort, Rachel, Electa.

3. **Zadock Hedden,** b. Jan. .., 1754, at Newark, N. J.; d. April 29, 1840, at Stamford, Conn.; m. ....., at ....., to **Rachel Baldwin,** b. Jan. 26, 1755, at Connecticut Farms, N. J.; d. March 2, 1814, at New York City.

Res. ..... He was a Revolutionary soldier, part of his service being that of wagon master. He was imprisoned by the British for Revolutionary service.

Children: Mary, Sarah Glover, James, Josiah, John Allen, Frances, Robert, Jeptha.

4. **Josiah Hedden,** b. Feb. 23, 1781, at Newark, N. J.; d. Aug. 16, 1832, at New York City; m. Nov. 16, 1803, at John Street Methodist Church, New York City, to **Elizabeth June,** b. April 22, 1787, near Rye, N. Y.; bap. Fairfield, Conn., Aug. 3, 1788; d. June 17, 1863, at Stratford, Conn.

Res. New York City. Graduate Union College. Special Judge New York City, 1832; Alderman New York City, 1811, 1812, 1819, 1824-5; on Council to meet DeWitt Clinton.

Children: Samuel Penfield, Elizabeth Lewis, Sarah Ann, Harriet June, Rachel Baldwin, Mary Frances, Susan Long, Josiah, Edward Long, Robert McEwen.

5. **Edward Long Hedden,** b. Dec. 24, 1828, at New York City; d. Feb. 6, 1893, at .....; m. Jan. 17, 1855, at ....., to **Elizabeth Caroline Apgar,** b. June 12, ..., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City.

Children: Julia Apgar, Maria Louisa, Edward Long, Elizabeth Caroline, Duncan Cryder.

6. **Julia Apgar Hedden,** b. ....., at New York City; d. ....., at .....; m. April 16, 1879, at New York City, to **Charles Campbell Worthington,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. She resides in New York City. Member D. A. R.

Children: Julia Hedden, Henry Rossiter, Charles Campbell, Edward Hedden, Reginald Stuart.

No. 17. **PENFIELD..JULIA APGAR (HEDDEN) WORTHINGTON**

1. **Samuel Penfield,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (1) Nov. 30, 1675, at ....., to **Mary Lewis,** b. Jan. .., 1652-3, at .....; d. ....., before Oct. 23, 1692, at .....; m. (2) ....., before Oct. 23, 1692, at ....., to **Anne** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. He was of Lynn, Mass., in 1650, and afterwards of Bristol, R. I.

Children: 1st m., Samuel, Isaac, Mary, Sarah, Hannah, Jonathan, Rebecca, Abigail; 2nd m., Benjamin.

PENFIELD—*Continued.*

2. **Samuel Penfield,** b. Sept. 17, 1676, at Lynn, Mass.; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Hannah** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. .....
Children: Samuel, Peter, Abigail, Nathaniel.

3. **Peter Penfield,** b. July 14, 1702, at Bristol, R. I.; bap. there Aug. 1, 1708; d. ....., after 1747, at .....; m. May 28, 1730, at Fairfield, Conn., to **Mary Allen,** b. ....., bap. Aug. 8, 1708, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Bristol, R. I., and Fairfield, Conn.
Children: Mary, James, Samuel, Hannah, Sarah, Lydia, Peter, Ann, John.

4. **Lieut. Samuel Penfield,** b. Dec. 8, 1734, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. April 2, 1811, at Fairfield, Conn.; m. Sept. 2, 1757, at ....., to **Elizabeth Lewis,** b. July 21, 1737, at .....; d. Jan. 31, 1786, at Fairfield, Conn.

Res. Fairfield, Conn. Lieut. in 4th Co., 4th Regt., Conn. Troops, 1776; his house was destroyed by the British in 1779.
Children: Nathaniel, Elizabeth, Hannah, Samuel, Hannah, Josiah, Abigail, David.

5. **Elizabeth Penfield,** b. Jan. 6, 1760, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. Feb. 24, 1782, at Fairfield, Conn., to **Jacob June,** b. April 17, 1752, at Stamford, Conn.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Stamford and Rye, Conn.
Children: Jacob, Sally, Elizabeth, Harriet.

6. **Elizabeth June,** b. April 22, 1787, near Rye, N. Y.; baptized Aug. 3, 1788, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. June 17, 1863, at Stratford, Conn.; m. Nov. 16, 1803, at New York City, N. Y., to **Josiah Hedden,** b. Feb. 23, 1781, at Newark, N. J.; d. Aug. 16, 1832, at New York City, N. Y.

Res. New York City. Graduate Union College. Special Judge New York City, 1832; Alderman New York City, 1811, 1812, 1819, 1824-5; on Council to meet DeWitt Clinton.
Children: Samuel Penfield, Elizabeth Lewis, Sarah Ann, Harriet June, Rachel Baldwin, Mary Frances, Susan Long, Josiah, Edward Long, Robert McEwen.

7. **Edward Long Hedden,** b. Dec. 24, 1828, at New York City; d. Feb. 6, 1893, at .....; m. Jan. 17, 1855, at ....., to **Elizabeth Caroline Apgar,** b. June 12, ..., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City.
Children: Julia Apgar, Maria Louisa, Edward Long, Elizabeth Caroline, Duncan Cryder.

8. **Julia Apgar Hedden,** b. ....., at New York City; d. ....., at .....; m. April 16, 1879, at New York City, to **Charles Campbell Worthington,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. She resides in New York City. Member D. A. R.
Children: Julia Hedden, Henry Rossiter, Charles Campbell, Edward Hedden, Reginald Stuart.

No. 18. BALDWIN..JULIA APGAR (HEDDEN) WORTHINGTON

1. **Richard Baldwin,** b. ....., at .....; d. ..... (will dated 1552-3), at Aston Clinton, Bucks Co., Eng.; m. ....., at .....; to **Ellen** ..... (**Pooke?**), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., 1565-6, at .....

Res. "Donrigge," Parish of Aston Clinton, Bucks Co., Eng.
Child: Richard.

2. **Richard Baldwin,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ..... (will dated 1630-33), at ....., Eng.; m. ....., at ....., Eng., to **Isabell** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Cholesbury, Bucks Co., Eng.
Children: Nathaniel, Joseph, Mary, Hannah, Christian, Sarah, Timothy.

3. **Joseph Baldwin,** b. ....., at .....; d. Nov. 2, 1684, according to *Baldwin Genealogy* (or Dec. 8, 1676, according to Judd's *Hadley, Mass., Genealogies*), at .....; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Hannah** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Isabell Northan,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Warriner,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. One of the first settlers of Milford, Conn., afterwards of Hadley, Mass.
Children: Joseph, Benjamin, Hannah, Mary, Elizabeth, Martha, Jonathan, David, Sarah (all probably by 1st marriage, although it is not clear).

4. **Sergeant Jonathan Baldwin,** b. Feb. 15, 1649, at Milford, Conn.; d. Dec. 13, 1739. at Milford, Conn.; m. (1) Nov. 2, 1677, at Milford, Conn., to **Hannah Ward,** b. ....., at .....; d. June .., 1693, probably at Milford, Conn.; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Thankful Strong,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Milford, Conn. He was Sergeant of the Train Band, and a leading citizen of Milford.
Children: 1st m., Jonathan, John, Joseph, Hannah, Daniel, Joshua; 2nd m., Abigail, Hannah, Martha, Ebenezer, Noah, Phebe, Ezra.

5. **John Baldwin,** b. May 22, 1688, at Milford, Conn.; d. Jan. 20, 1773, at Connecticut Farms, N. J.; m. ....., at ....., to ..... (name not known), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Connecticut Farms, N. J.
Children: Ezekiel, Enos, Nathan, Phebe, Mary, Jemima.

BALDWIN—*Continued.*

6. **Ezekiel Baldwin,** b. Dec. 19, 1719, at ....., N. J.; d. Jan. 27, 1805, at Connecticut Farms, N. J.; m. ....., about 1739, at ....., N. J., to **Sarah Baldwin,** b. April 20, 1720, at ....., N. J.; d. Aug. 29, 1798, at ....., N. J.

Res. Connecticut Farms, N. J.

Children: Gabriel, Rachel, Jeptha, Eunice, Mary, Rachel, Caleb, Daniel, Benjamin, Israel, Jothan.

7. **Rachel Baldwin,** b. Jan. 26, 1755, at Connecticut Farms, N. J.; d. March 24, 1814, at New York City; m. ....., at ....., to **Zadock Hedden,** b. Jan. .., 1754, at Newark, N. J.; d. April 29, 1840, at Stamford, Conn.

Res. ..... He was a Revolutionary soldier, part of his service being that of wagon master. He was imprisoned by the British for Revolutionary service.

Children: Mary (Polly), Sarah Glover, James, Josiah, John Allen, Frances (Fanny), Robert, Jeptha.

8. **Josiah Hedden,** b. Feb. 23, 1781, at Newark, N. J.; d. Aug. 16, 1832, at New York City; m. Nov. 16, 1803, at John Street Methodist Church, New York City, to **Elizabeth June,** b. April 22, 1787, near Rye, N. Y.; bap. Fairfield, Conn., Aug. 3, 1788; d. June 17, 1863, at Stratford, Conn.

Res. New York City. Graduate Union College. Special Judge New York City, 1832; Alderman New York City, 1811, 1812, 1819, 1824-5; on Council to meet DeWitt Clinton.

Children: Samuel Penfield, Elizabeth Lewis, Sarah Ann, Harriet June, Rachel Baldwin, Mary Frances, Susan Long, Josiah, Edward Long, Robert McEwen.

9. **Edward Long Hedden,** b. Dec. 24, 1828, at New York City; d. Feb. 6, 1893, at New York City; m. Jan. 17, 1855, at New York City, to **Elizabeth Caroline Apgar,** b. June 12, ..., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City. Vice-President and Director of North River Bank; Collector of the Port of New York; Director of Niagara Insurance Co.; Member of City Guard and of Old Guard.

Children: Julia Apgar, Maria Louisa, Edward Long, Elizabeth Caroline, Duncan Cryder.

10. **Julia Apgar Hedden,** b. ....., at New York City; d. ....., at .....; m. April 16, 1879, at New York City, to **Charles Campbell Worthington,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at.....

Res. She resides in New York City. Member D. A. R.

Children: Julia Hedden, Henry Rossiter, Charles Campbell, Edward Hedden, Reginald Stuart.

No. 19. JUNE...JULIA APGAR (HEDDEN) WORTHINGTON

1. **Peter June,** b. ....., at .....; d. March 1, 1706–7, at Stamford, Conn.; m. ....., at ....., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Stamford, Conn.

Children: Sarah, Peter, James, Thomas, Mercy, Mary.

2. **Thomas June,** b. July 23, 1690, at Stamford, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. Feb. 17, 1714, at ....., to **Sarah (Smith) Hait** (wid. of Jonas Hait), b. ....., at .....; d. March 12, 1736–7, at .....

Res. Stamford, Conn.

Children: Hannah, Mary, Jemima, Thomas, Ezarah, Abner, Jacob.

3. **Jacob June,** b. Jan. 27, 1727–8, at Stamford, Conn.; d. May 7, 1758, at Stamford, Conn.; m. Dec. 15, 1751, at Stamford, Conn., to **Rhoda Ferris,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Stamford, Conn.

Children: Jacob, Phinehas. Benjamin, Rhoda.

4. **Jacob June,** b. April 17, 1752, at Stamford, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. Feb. 24, 1782, at Fairfield, Conn., to **Elizabeth Penfield,** b. Jan. 6, 1760, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Stamford and Rye, Conn.

Children: Jacob, Sally, Elizabeth, Harriet.

5. **Elizabeth June,** b. April 22, 1787, near Rye, N. Y.; baptized Aug. 3, 1788, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. June 17, 1863, at Stratford, Conn.; m. Nov. 16, 1803, at New York City, N. Y., to **Josiah Hedden,** b. Feb. 23, 1781, at Newark, N. J.; d. Aug. 16, 1832, at New York City, N. Y.

Res. New York City. Graduate Union College. Special Judge New York City, 1832; Alderman New York City, 1811, 1812, 1819, 1824-5; on Council to meet DeWitt Clinton.

Children: Samuel Penfield, Elizabeth Lewis, Sarah Ann, Harriet June, Rachel Baldwin, Mary Frances, Susan Long, Josiah, Edward Long, Robert McEwen.

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Res. New York City. Vice-President and Director of North River Bank; Collector of the Port of New York; Director of Niagara Insurance Co.; Member of City Guard and of Old Guard.

Children: Julia Apgar, Maria Louisa, Edward Long, Elizabeth Caroline, Duncan Cryder.

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Res. She resides in New York City. Member D. A. R.

Children: Julia Hedden, Henry Rossiter, Charles Campbell, Edward Hedden, Reginald Stuart.

No. 20. **GARDINER.** LUCRETIA THATCHER (PERRY) OSBORN

1. **Lion Gardiner,** b. ....., about 1559, at ....., Eng.; d. ....., 1663, aged 64, at Easthampton, N. Y.; m. ....., at ....., to **Mary Wilemson Deurcant,** b. ....., about 1601, at Woredon, Holland; d. ....., subsequent to 1665, aged 64, at .....

Res. Gardiner's Island, Long Island Sound, N. Y. First proprietor of Gardiner's Island.
Children: David, Mary, Elizabeth.

2. **David Gardiner,** b. April 29, 1636, at Saybrooke Fort, Conn. Colony; d. July 10, 1689, at Hartford, Conn.; m. June 4, 1657, at ....., to **Mary** (.....) **Leringham** (wid.); at the time of her marriage to David Gardiner she was a member of the Parish of St. Margaret in the City of Westminster, Eng.; b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Gardiner's Island, Long Island Sound, N. Y. Second proprietor of Gardiner's Island.
Children: John, David, Lion, Elizabeth.

3. **John Gardiner,** b. April 19, 1661, at .....; d. June 25, 1738, at Groton, Conn.; m. (1) ....., 1691, at ....., to **Mary King,** b. Aug. 7, 1669, at .....; d. July 4, 1707, aged 37, at .....; m. (2) Sept. 2, 1708, at ....., to **Sarah Chandler=Coit** (dau. of John and Elizabeth (Douglas) Chandler of Woodstock, Conn., and wid. of William Coit of New London, Conn.), b. Nov. 19, 1676, at .....; d. July 3, 1711, at .....; m. (3) July 13, ..., at ....., to **Elizabeth Allyn=Allen** (dau. of John Allyn and wid. of Alexander Allen of Woodstock, Conn.), b. Dec. 1, 1669, at .....; d. ....., on Gardiner's Island; m. (4) Oct. 4, 1733, at ....., to **Elizabeth Hedges=Osborne** (dau. of Stephen Hedges and wid. of Daniel Osborne of Easthampton, L. I.), b. ....., at .....; d. May 19, 1747, aged 64, at .....

Res. Gardiner's Island, Long Island Sound, N. Y. Third proprietor of Gardiner's Island.
Children: 1st m., David, John, Samuel, Joseph, Hannah, Mary, Elizabeth; 2nd m., Jonathan, Sarah; 3rd m., none; 4th m., none

4. **John Gardiner,** b. ....., 1693; at .....; d. Jan. 19, 1724–5, at New London, Conn.; m. May 6, 1716, at New London, Conn., to **Sarah Saltonstall,** b. April 8, 1694, at New London, Conn.; d. ....., at ..... She m. (2) Jan. 1, 1727, at New London, Conn., to Samuel Davis, b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; she m. (3) July 4, 1737, at New London, Conn., to Thomas Davis, b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New London, Conn. Merchant and School Teacher in New London. Yale College, 1711.
Children: (Gardiner) Elizabeth, Jerusha, Jerusha, John.

5. **Jerusha Gardiner,** b. Oct. 6, 1723, at .....; d. Feb. 18, 1754, at New London, Conn.; m. March 7, 1741–2, at New London, Conn., to **John Christophers,** b. Feb. 27, 1718–19, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 15, 1787, at ..... He m. (2) ....., before 1764, at ....., to **Elizabeth Manwaring** (dau. of Thomas and Esther (Christophers) Manwaring of Lyme, Conn.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) Nov. 10, 1768, at Norwich, Conn., to **Sybel (Capron) Crocker,** of Norwich, Conn. (wid. of Capt. Roswell Crocker), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New London, Black Point, and Norwich, Conn. Member First Church of Christ, New London, Conn., from which he dissented.
Children: 1st m., John, Richard, Mary, Peter, Lucretia; 2nd m., Samuel, Elizabeth; 3rd m., none that are known of.

6. **Lucretia Christophers,** b. Jan. 19, 1749–50, at New London, Conn.; d. March 19, 1825, at New London, Conn.; m. May 13, 1770, at New London, Conn., to **John Mumford, Jr.,** b. Dec. 3, 1740, at South Kingston, R. I.; d. July 14, 1825, at New London, Conn.

Res. "Elm Grove" Farm, Salem (Lyme), Conn., and New London, Conn. Large land owner in Salem, Conn.; Agent for Col. William Browne, the Tory Governor of Bermuda.
Children: Elizabeth, Mary, Lucretia, Catherine, Sarah, Lucretia Christophers.

7. **Lucretia Christophers Mumford,** b. Aug. 10, 1785, at Salem, Conn.; d. April 6, 1871, at New London, Conn.; m. Feb. 24, 1806, at New London, Conn., to **Anthony Thatcher,** b. Jan. 7, 1782, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Dec. 26, 1844, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn. Cashier of New London Bank.
Children: Nathaniel Woodbridge, Lucretia Mumford, Mary Woodbridge, John Christophers, Eloise Hardy, George Thompson, Daniel Anthony, Henry Perkins, Abby Mumford, Julia Hubbell, Elizebeth Wetmore, Mary Perkins, Anthony, Antoinette.

8. **Lucretia Mumford Thatcher,** b. Sept. 30, 1808, at New London, Conn.; d. July 29, 1895, at New London, Conn.; m. Jan. 28, 1828, at New London, Conn., to **Nathaniel Hazard Perry,** b. Nov. 27, 1802, at Newport, R. I,; d. May 8, 1832, at New York City, N. Y.

Res. South Kingston, and Newport, R. I., and various posts in U. S. N. He was a purser (*i. e.*, Paymaster) in U. S. Navy, and he was also a Royal Arch Mason.
Child: Alexander James.

9. **Alexander James Perry,** b. Dec. 11, 1828, at New London, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. June 25, 1857, at Augusta, Ga., to **Josephine Adams,** b. Nov. 3, 1834, at Augusta, Ga.; d. ....., at .....

Res. various posts U. S. Army; settled at 2003 I Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.; U. S. M. A., 1851; Brig.-Gen'l and Asst.-Quartermaster-General, U. S. A. Retired Dec. 11, 1892. Member Mil. Order Loyal Legion; Soc. Sons of Rev.; Lay Delegate Gen'l Convention Prot. Epis. Ch., N. Y. City, 1874.
Children: Lucretia Thatcher, John Adams, Alexander Wallace, Josephine Adams.

10. **Lucretia Thatcher Perry,** b. April 19, 1858, at Augusta, Ga.; d. ....., at .....; m. Sept. 29, 1881, at Governor's Island, N. Y. Harbor, to **Prof. Henry Fairfield Osborn,** b. Aug. 8, 1857, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. ....., at .....

Res. She resided in Washington D. C., and at various army posts with her parents before marriage. After marriage at 850 Madison Avenue, N. Y. City. Summer home, Garrisons, N. Y.
Children: Virginia Sturges, Alexander Perry, Henry Fairfield, Josephine Adams, Gurdon Saltonstall.

No. 21. **BREWSTER...LUCRETIA THATCHER (PERRY) OSBORN**

1. **William Brewster,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., in the summer of 1590, at Scrooby, Nottinghamshire, Eng., estate administered by son William in 1590; m. ....., at ....., to **Prudence** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., subsequent to her husband, at Scrooby, Eng., prob.

Res. Scrooby, Eng. "Post" (*i. e.*, Postmaster) at Scrooby, Eng., by appointment of the Crown; appointed by Archbishop Sandys of York; receiver of Scrooby and all its liberties in Nottinghamshire and also Bailiff of the Manor House to hold office for life on Jan. .., 1575-6.

Child: William.

2. **Elder William Brewster,** b. ....., 1566-7, at Scrooby, Eng.; d. April 10, 1643, at Plymouth, Mass.; m. ....., at ....., to **Mary** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. April 17, 1627, at Plymouth, Mass.

Res. Scrooby, Eng.; matriculated at Peter House College, Cambridge University, Eng., Dec. 3, 1580, but did not take his degree; served as an assistant of William Davison, Secretary of State to Queen Elizabeth; returned to Scrooby where he was appointed, about 1591, Postmaster to succeed his father and held office there until Sept. 30, 1607; removed to Holland and settled in Leiden until 1620; came over on the first voyage of the *Mayflower;* 4th Signer of the "Mayflower Compact," Nov. 11, 1620 (old style); Elder and Spiritual Guide of the Pilgrim Fathers.

Children: Jonathan, Patience, Fear, a child, sex not stated, that died and was buried in Leiden, Love, Wrestling.

3. **Hon. Jonathan Brewster,** b. Aug. 12, 1593, at Scrooby, Eng.; d. Aug. 7, 1659 (1661 according to Caulkin's *New London;* also see *Conn. Col. Records*, vol. i, p. 362), at Poquetannock (near New London), Conn.; m. April 10, 1624, at ....., to **Lucretia Oldham,** b. ....., at .....; d. March 4, 1678-9, at Poquetannock, Conn.

Res. Arrived on ship *Fortune*, Nov. 9, 1621; lived at Plymouth and Duxbury, Mass., and New London (Poquetannock), Conn. Dep. G. C. Ply. Col., 1639, 1641, 1642, 1643; removed to New London, Conn., in 1649; Dep. G. C. Col. Conn., 1650, 1655, 1656, 1657, 1658; Asst. G. C. Col. Conn., 1657.

Children: William, Mary, Jonathan, Benjamin, Elizabeth, Ruth, Grace, Hannah.

4. **Elizabeth Brewster,** b. May 1, 1637, at Duxbury, Mass.; d. ....., 1708, at New London, Conn.; m. (1) Sept. 7, 1653, to **Peter Bradley,** b. ....., at .....; d. April 3, 1662, at "Flushen," L. I., prob., as his inventory was taken there June .., 1662; m. (2) ....., 1677-1678, at New London, Conn., to **Hon. Christopher Christophers,** as his second wife. He b. ....., about 1631, in Devonshire, Eng. prob.; d. July 23, 1687, in 56th year, in New London, Conn. His first wife was Mary ....., who d. July 13, 1676, at New London, Conn., aged 55.

Res. Her 1st husband resided in New London, and was a mariner in the coasting trade along Long Island Sound. Her 2nd husband resided in New London, Conn., and was a Deputy to the G. C. Col. Conn. from New London, 1683 and 1685.

Children: 1st m. (Bradley), Elizabeth, Hannah, Peter, Lucretia; 2nd m. (Christophers), two (2), sex not stated, both born previous to 1674, and both supposed to have died in infancy.

5. **Lucretia Bradley,** b. Aug. 16, 1660 or 1661, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 7, 1690-1, at New London, Conn.; m. Jan. 26, 1681, at New London, Conn., to **Hon. Richard Christophers,** b. July 13, 1662, at Cherston Ferrers, on Torbay, near Dartmouth, Devonshire, Eng.; d. June 9, 1726, at New London, Conn. He m. (2) Sept. 3, 1691, at New London, Conn., to **Grace Turner,** b. June 5, 1663, at Scituate, Mass., d. June 1, 1734, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn. Merchant, mariner, Town Clerk, N. L., 1701-1706; Dep. G. C, Conn.; Asst. G. C.; J. P.; Judge of County Court; Judge of Probate; Judge of Superior Court of Conn.; one of the most important men in the Colony.

Children: 1st m., Christopher, Richard, Peter, John; 2nd m., Joseph, Mary, Jonathan, Grace, ... (son), Lydia, Eury (or Benie), Ruth, Joanna, Lucretia, Lucy.

6. **Hon. Capt. Christopher Christophers,** b. Dec. 2, 1682 (or 1683), at New London, Conn.; d. Feb. 5, 1728-9, at New London, Conn.; m. Jan. 22, 1711-12, at New Haven, Conn., to **Sarah Prout,** b. Jan. 7, 1683-4, at New Haven, Conn.; d. April 18, 1745, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn. Commissary of Colony; Member of Governor's Council; Naval Officer, Port of New London; Capt. in Militia; Dep. and Asst. to G. C.; Judge of Probate.

Children: Peter, Mary, Christopher, John, Sarah, Lucretia, Lydia, Margaret.

7. **John Christophers,** b. Feb. 27, 1718-19, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 15, 1787, at .....; m. (1) March 7, 1741-2, at New London, Conn, to **Jerusha Gardiner,** b. Oct. 6, 1722, at New London, Conn.; d. Feb. 18, 1754, at New London, Conn.; m. (2) ....., before 1764, at ....., to **Elizabeth Manwaring,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) Nov. 10, 1768, at Norwich, Conn., to **Sybel (Capron) Crocker** (wid. of Capt. Roswell Crocker); she b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New London, Black Point, and Norwich, Conn. Member First Church of Christ, New London, Conn., from which he dissented.

Children: 1st m., John, Richard, Mary, Peter, Lucretia; 2nd m., Samuel, Elizabeth; 3rd m., none that are known of.

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BREWSTER—*Continued.*

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Res. South Kingston, and Newport, R. I., and at various posts in service of U. S. N. He was a purser (*i. e.*, Paymaster) in U. S. Navy, and a Royal Arch Mason.

Child: Alexander James.

11. **Alexander James Perry,** b. Dec. 11, 1828, at New London, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. June 25, 1857, at Augusta, Ga., to **Josephine Adams,** b. Nov. 3, 1834, at Augusta, Ga.; d. ....., at .....

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Children: Lucretia Thatcher, John Adams, Alexander Wallace, Josephine Adams.

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Children: Virginia Sturges, Alexander Perry, Henry Fairfield, Josephine Adams, Gurdon Saltonstall.

No. 22. CHRISTOPHERS...LUCRETIA THATCHER (PERRY) OSBORN

1. **Hon. Christopher Christophers,** b. ....., about 1631, at Devonshire, Eng., prob.; d. July 23, 1687, in 56th year, at New London, Conn.; m, (1) ....., in Eng., prob., to **Mary** ....., b. ....., 1621, in Eng., prob.; d. July 13, 1676, at New London, Conn., aged 55; m. (2) ....., 1677 or 1678, at New London, Conn., to **Elizabeth (Brewster) Bradley** (wid. of Peter Bradley of New London, Conn., and dau. of Jonathan and Lucretia (Oldham) Brewster of New London, Conn.), she b. May 1, 1637, at Duxbury, Mass.; d. ....., 1708, at New London, Conn.

Res. Devonshire, Eng., New London, Conn. Dep. to G. C. Col. of Conn., from New London, 1683 and 1685.

Children: 1st m., Richard, John, Mary; 2nd m., two (2), sex not stated, both b. previous to 1674, and both supposed to have d. in infancy.

2. **Hon. Richard Christophers,** b. July 13, 1662, at Cherston Ferrers, on Torbay, near Dartmouth, Devonshire, Eng.; d. June 9, 1726, at New London, Conn.; m. (1) Jan. 26, 1681, at New London, Conn., to **Lucretia Bradley,** b. Aug. 16, 1660 or 1661, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 7, 1690–1, at New London, Conn.; m. (2) Sept. 3, 1691, at New London, Conn., to **Grace Turner,** b. June 5, 1663, at Scituate, Mass.; d. June 1, 1734, at New London, Conn.

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Children: Lucretia Thatcher, John Adams, Alexander Wallace, Josephine Adams.

9. **Lucretia Thatcher Perry,** b. April 19, 1858, at Augusta, Ga.; d. ....., at .....; m. Sept. 29, 1881, at Governor's Island, N. Y. Harbor, to **Prof. Henry Fairfield Osborn,** b. Aug. 8, 1857, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. ....., at .....

Res. She resided in Washington D. C., and at various army posts with her parents before marriage. After marriage at 850 Madison Avenue, N. Y. City. Summer home, Garrisons, N. Y.

Children: Virginia Sturges, Alexander Perry, Henry Fairfield, Josephine Adams, Gurdon Saltonstall.

No. 23. ADAMS..LUCRETIA THATCHER (PERRY) OSBORN

1. **Henry Adams,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. Oct. 6, 1646, at Braintree, Mass.; m. ....., at ....., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Braintree, Mass., one of the original patentees of that town. He was a farmer and maltster; supposed to have arrived in Boston, Mass., in 1632 or 1633 with wife, eight sons and one daughter. His will was proved June 8, 1647. John Adams, President of the United States (his great-great-grandson), erected a monument to his memory in Quincy, Mass., on which he stated that he came originally from Devonshire, Eng. John Quincy Adams, President of the United States, dissented from this opinion and believed that Henry Adams came from Chelmsford, Essex Co., Eng.

Children: Henry, Thomas, Samuel, Jonathan, Peter, John, Joseph, Edward, Ursula.

2. **Lieut. Henry Adams,*** b. ....., 1604, at ....., Eng.; d. Feb. 21, 1675–6, at Medfield, Mass.; m. Nov. 17, 1643, at Braintree, Mass., to **Elizabeth Paine** (dau. of Moses Paine, Esq.), b. ....., at .....; d. Feb. 29, 1675–6, at Medfield, Mass.

Res. Medfield, Mass., settled there in 1646. He was first Town Clerk of Braintree, and also of Medfield, Mass.; Rep. G. C. Mass., from Medfield. 1659, 1665, 1674, 1675; Lieut. in Medfield Militia Co., which fought against the Indians in 1675-6. He was killed by the Indians Feb. 21, 1675–6, and his wife was accidentally shot the same day and died Feb. 29, 1675–6.

Children: Eleazer, Jasper, Elizabeth, John, Henry, Moses, Henry, Samuel.

3. **Hon. Henry Adams,** b. Nov. 15, 1657, at Medfield, Mass.; d. Sept. 29, 1733, at Medfield, Mass.; m. Dec. 16, 1679, at Medfield, Mass., to **Prudence Frary** (dau. of John and Elizabeth (Harding) Frary), b. Aug. 20, 1662, at Medfield, Mass.; d. Feb. 29, 1750, at Medfield, Mass.

Res. Medfield, Mass. Rep. G. C. Mass., 1706, 1709, 1711, 1719, 1721, 1724, 1728; Ensign in Militia Service.

Children: Prudence, Hannah, Thomas, Jeremiah, Elizabeth, Sarah, Henry.

4. **Henry Adams,** b. March 26, 1701–2, at Medfield, Mass.; d. Nov. 3, 1782, at Medfield, Mass.; m. Aug. 15, 1726, at Medfield, Mass., probably, no record there, to **Jemima Morse** (dau. of Joshua and his 2nd wife Mary (Paige) Morse), b. March 16, 1708–9, at Medfield, Mass.; d. Feb. 15, 1785, at Medfield, Mass.

Res. Medfield, Mass. He was appointed Coroner for Massachusetts Bay in 1743 by King George III. His Bible was in the possession of Henry S. Adams, of Paola, Kans., in 1898. The first wife of Joshua Morse was Elizabeth Penniman and she died Feb. 2, 1704–5.

Children: Amos, Sarah, Elizabeth, Enoch, Elizabeth, Jemima, Lydia, Elijah, Kezia, Sophia, Henry.

5. **Rev. Amos Adams,**† b. Sept. 1, 1728, at Medfield, Mass.; d. Oct. 5, 1775, at Roxbury, Mass.; m. (1) Oct. 18, 1753, at Cambridge, Mass., probably, to **Elizabeth Prentice** (dau. of Deacon Henry and Elizabeth (Rand) Prentice, of Cambridge, Mass.), b. Oct. 17, 1727, at Cambridge, Mass; d. Aug. 10, 1769, at Roxbury, Mass.; m. (2) Feb. 15, 1770, at ....., to **Mrs. Abigail Mears** (possibly widow of John Mears, of Roxbury, Mass.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) July 16, 1771, at Boston, Mass., by Rev. Charles Chauncey, D.D., to **Sarah Chauncey** (dau. of Rev. Dr. Charles and Elizabeth (Hirst) Chauncey, of Boston, Mass.), b. Sept. 22, 1733, at Boston, Mass.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Roxbury, Mass. Harvard College, 1752; Ordained Pastor of First Church in Roxbury, Mass., Sept. 12, 1753; Chaplain in Col. David Brewer's Ninth Continental Regiment in Oct., 1775.

Children: 1st m., Elizabeth, Amos, Henry (Harry), Charles, Amos, Thomas, Joseph, Sarah; 2nd m., none; 3rd m. none.

6. **Joseph Adams,** b. July 11, 1767, at Roxbury, Mass.; d. July 14, 1856, at Litchfield, Conn.; m. Jan. 26, 1792, at Litchfield, Conn., to **Deborah Marsh** (dau. of John and Rhoda (McNeil) Marsh, of Litchfield, Conn.), b. July 18, 1773, at Litchfield, Conn.; d. July 28, 1857, at Litchfield, Conn.

Res. Litchfield, Conn. Borough Clerk, 1818–1823; Borough President, 1839–1842; Constable, 1803, for six years; Lister, 1802, for twelve years; Grand Juror, 1802, for six years.

Children: Sally, Henry, Betsey, Amos, John Marsh, Charles, Kezia Holt, William Thomas.

NOTE: * Descendants eligible to Soc. of Colonial Wars, and Colonial Dames. † Descendants eligible to Soc. of Sons of Rev.

ADAMS—*Continued.*

7. **John Marsh Adams,** b. April 16, 1801, at Litchfield, Conn.; d. Jan. 22, 1853, at Augusta, Ga.; m. Oct. 9, 1829, at Augusta, Ga., to **Sarah Susannah MacMurphy** (dau. of George Galphin Youille and Keziah Parish (Martin) MacMurphy, of Augusta, Ga.), b. Sept. 16, 1806, in Edgefield District, South Carolina; d. Jan. 27, 1852, at "The Hill," Augusta, Ga.

Res. Augusta, Ga. He was a cotton merchant and in the wholesale grocery business.

Children: Mary Keziah, Sarah Deborah, Josephine, Elizabeth Bacon, Harriett Henrietta, Anna, Joseph Henry, George MacMurphy, William Marsh, John Marsh.

8. **Josephine Adams,** b. Nov. 3, 1834, at Augusta, Ga.; d. ....., at .....; m. June 25, 1857, at Augusta, Ga., to **Alexander James Perry,** b. Dec. 11, 1828, at New London, Conn.; d. ....., at .....

Res. various posts U. S. Army; settled at 2003 I Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.; U. S. M. A., 1851; Brig.-Gen'l and Asst.-Quartermaster-General, U. S. A. Retired Dec. 11, 1892. Member Mil. Order Loyal Legion; Soc. Sons of Rev.; Lay Delegate Gen'l Convention Prot. Epis. Ch., N. Y. City, 1874.

Children: Lucretia Thatcher, John Adams, Alexander Wallace, Josephine Adams.

9. **Lucretia Thatcher Perry,** b. April 19, 1858, at Augusta, Ga.; d. ....., at .....; m. Sept. 29, 1881, at Governor's Island, N. Y. Harbor, to **Prof. Henry Fairfield Osborn,** b. Aug. 8, 1857, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. ....., at .....

Res. She resided in Washington, D. C., and at various army posts with her parents before marriage. After marriage at 850 Madison Avenue, New York City. Summer home, Garrisons, N. Y. She is a member of the Soc. Mayflower Descendants and the Soc. of Colonial Dames. He graduated at Princeton in 1877; he was Professor of Comparative Anatomy at Princeton College; he is Professor of Zoology at Columbia College; President of American Museum of Natural History of New York City; Vice-President of the New York Zoological Society, etc., etc. For his full record see *National Cyclopædia of American Biography*, vol. ii, p. 104.

Children: Virginia Sturges, Alexander Perry, Henry Fairfield, Josephine Adams, Gurdon Saltonstall.

No. 24. SALTONSTALL...LUCRETIA THATCHER (PERRY) OSBORN

1. **Gilbert Saltonstall,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., at ....., Eng.; m. ....., in Eng., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Halifax, Yorkshire, Eng.

Child: Samuel.

2. **Samuel Saltonstall,** b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. Jan. 8, 1612–13, at ....., Eng.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Anne Ramsden** (dau. of John Ramsden of Longley, Esq.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Ogden** (dau. of Thomas Ogden), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Armine** (wid. of Hugh Armine, Mayor of Hull, Eng.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Owned Rookes and Huntwicke. In 40th Elizabeth (1597), he made fine of heriot for the ancient lands in Saltonstall. In 1599 Winter-Edge Hall at Hipperholme was held of the Crown in fee by him, also Rogerthorpe in Badsworth. He died 8th of Jan., 1612–13, and was buried in Holy Trinity Church in Hull, Eng. Will dated Dec. 31, 1612, proved July 22, 1613, when he calls himself of Kingston-upon-Hull. Watson in his *History of Halifax* calls him "Sir Samuel" and thinks he was knighted.

Children: 1st m., Richard, Gilbert; 2nd m., Samuel, John, Thomas, Anne, Elizabeth, George, Mary, Margaret, Barbara; 3rd m., none recorded.

3. **Sir Richard Saltonstall,** b. March .., 1586, at Halifax, Eng.; bap. at Halifax, Eng., April 4, 1586; d. ....., about 1658, at ....., Eng.; m. (1) ....., at ....., Eng., to **Grace Kaye** (dau. of Robert Kaye of Woodsome, Esq., and aunt of Sir John Kaye; the Kayes were a very ancient family of Yorkshire), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., before 1630, at ....., Eng.; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth West** (dau. of Sir Thomas West [Lord Delaware, 1602]), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Martha Wilfred,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Came over in 1630 and settled in Watertown, Mass.; returned to Eng. in 1631. First Assistant and First Associate Massachusetts Bay Company. Original patentee of Conn. with Lord Say and Seal and Lord Brook and others.

Children: 1st m., Richard, Rosamond, Grace, Robert, Samuel, Henry, Peter(?); 2nd m., none; 3rd m., none.

4. **Hon. Richard Saltonstall,** b. ....., 1610, at Woodsome, Yorkshire, Eng.; d. April 29, 1694, at Hulme, Lancaster Co., Eng.; m. June .., 1633, at ....., Eng., to **Muriel Gurdon** (dau. of Brampton Gurdon of Assington, Suffolk, Esq., by his wife Muriel Sedley), b. ....., 1613, at ....., Eng.; d. ....., 1694, at .....

Res. He matriculated as "Mr. Fellow Commoner" at Emmanuel College, Cambridge, Eng., Dec. 14, 1627. He came with his father to New England in 1630 before taking his degree. He was admitted a Freeman, May 18, 1631. He returned to England in 1631 where he was married. He returned to New England in 1635 on the *Susan and Ellen* with his wife, then aged 22, and his daughter Muriel, aged 9 mos. Resided at Ipswich, Mass. Deputy to G. C., 1635–7; Assistant to G. C., 1637–1649, 1664 and 1680–1683.

Children: Muriel, Richard, Nathaniel, Gurdon, Abigail, Elizabeth.

5. **Col. Nathaniel Saltonstall,** b. ....., 1639, about, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. May 21, 1707, at Haverhill, Mass.; m. Dec. 28, 1663, at ....., to **Elizabeth Ward** (dau. of Rev. John and Alice (Edmunds) Ward of Haverhill, Mass.), b. April 1 (7 or 9), 1647, at Haverhill, Mass.; d. April 29 (or 19), 1714, at Haverhill, Mass.

Res. Haverhill, Mass. Harvard College, 1659. Freeman, Haverhill, 1665; Rep. G. C., 1666, 1669–1671; Town Clerk, Haverhill, 1679–1686; Col. Essex Regiment; Asst. G. C., 1679–1686 and 1689–1692; Member of the Council; Judge of Oyer and Terminer, 1692, and refused to serve on Witchcraft Trials.

Children: Gurdon, Elizabeth, Richard, Nathaniel, John.

SALTONSTALL—*Continued.*

6. **Gov. Gurdon Saltonstall,** b. March 27, 1666, at Haverhill, Mass.; d. Sept. 20, 1724, at New London, Conn.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Jerusha Richards** (dau. of James and Sarah (Gibbons) Richards of Hartford, Conn.), b. June 28, 1665, at .....; d. July 25, 1697, at Boston, Mass.; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Rosewell** (only child of William Rosewell of Branford, Conn.), b. ....., at .....; d. Sept. 12. 1710, at New London, Conn.; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Mary Whittingham-Clarke** (dau. of William Whittingham and wid. of William Clarke of Boston), b. ....., at .....; d. Jan. 23, 1729–30, at Boston, Mass.

Res. New London, Conn. Ordained Minister at New London, Nov. 25, 1691. Elected Governor of Conn., Jan. 1, 1708, and served as such until his death. Harvard College, 1684.

Children: 1st m., Elizabeth, Mary, Sarah, Jerusha, Gurdon; 2nd m., Rosewell, Katherine, Nathaniel, Gurdon, Richard; 3rd m., none.

7. **Sarah Saltonstall,** b. April 8, 1694, at New London, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. (1) May 6, 1716, at New London, Conn, to **John Gardiner,** b. ....., 1693, at .....; d. Jan. 19, 1724–5, at New London, Conn.; she m. (2) Jan. 1, 1727, at New London, Conn., to **Samuel Davis,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; she m. (3) July 4, 1737, at New London, Conn., to **Thomas Davis,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. John Gardiner resided in New London, Conn., where he was a Merchant and School Teacher. Yale College, 1711.

Children: (Gardiner) Elizabeth, Jerusha, Jerusha, John.

8. **Jerusha Gardiner,** b. Oct. 6, 1723, at .....; d. Feb. 18, 1754, at New London, Conn.; m. March 7, 1741–2, at New London, Conn., to **John Christophers,** b. Feb. 27, 1718–19, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 15, 1787, at ..... He m. (2) ....., before 1764, at ....., to **Elizabeth Manwaring** (dau. of Thomas and Esther (Christophers) Manwaring of Lyme, Conn.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) Nov. 10, 1768, at Norwich, Conn., to **Sybel (Capron) Crocker,** of Norwich, Conn. (wid. of Capt. Roswell Crocker), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New London, Black Point, and Norwich, Conn. Member First Church of Christ, New London, Conn., from which he dissented.

Children: 1st m., John, Richard, Mary, Peter, Lucretia; 2nd m., Samuel, Elizabeth; 3rd m., none that are known of.

9. **Lucretia Christophers,** b. Jan. 19, 1749–50, at New London, Conn.; d. March 19, 1825, at New London, Conn.; m. May 13, 1770, at New London, Conn., to **John Mumford, Jr.,** b. Dec. 3, 1740, at South Kingston, R. I.; d. July 14, 1825, at New London, Conn.

Res. "Elm Grove" Farm, Salem (Lyme), Conn., and New London, Conn. Large land owner in Salem, Conn.; Agent for Col. William Browne, the Tory Governor of Bermuda.

Children: Elizabeth, Mary, Lucretia, Catherine, Sarah, Lucretia Christophers.

10. **Lucretia Christophers Mumford,** b. Aug. 10, 1785, at Salem, Conn.; d. April 6, 1871, at New London, Conn.; m. Feb. 24, 1806, at New London, Conn., to **Anthony Thatcher,** b. Jan. 7, 1782, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Dec. 26, 1844, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn. Cashier of New London Bank.

Children: Nathaniel Woodbridge, Lucretia Mumford, Mary Woodbridge, John Christophers, Eloise Hardy, George Thompson, Daniel Anthony, Henry Perkins, Abby Mumford, Julia Hubbell, Elizebeth Wetmore, Mary Perkins, Anthony, Antoinette.

11. **Lucretia Mumford Thatcher,** b. Sept. 30, 1808, at New London, Conn.; d. July 29, 1895, at New London, Conn.; m. Jan. 28, 1828, at New London, Conn., to **Nathaniel Hazard Perry,** b. Nov. 27, 1802, at Newport, R. I,; d. May 8, 1832, at New York City, N. Y.

Res. South Kingston, and Newport, R. I., and at various posts in service of U. S. N. He was a purser (*i. e.*, Paymaster) in U. S. Navy, and a Royal Arch Mason.

Child: Alexander James.

12. **Alexander James Perry,** b. Dec. 11, 1828, at New London, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. June 25, 1857, at Augusta, Ga., to **Josephine Adams,** b. Nov. 3, 1834, at Augusta, Ga.; d. ....., at .....

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Children: Virginia Sturges, Alexander Perry, Henry Fairfield, Josephine Adams, Gurdon Saltonstall.

No. 25. **THACHER.....MAURICE HUDSON THATCHER**

THACHER ARMS: *Gules*, a cross moline *argent:* on a chief *d'or*, three grass-hoppers, *proper*.

CREST: A grass-hopper, *proper*.

1. **Rev. Peter Thacher,** b. ....., about 1545–1549, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng., possibly; d. ....., previous to May 7, 1624, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng.; m. ....., at ....., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng., Vicar Ch. Eng. there 1574–1624.

Children: Peter, Antony, John, Giles, Thomas.

(*To be continued.*)

SOCIETY PROCEEDINGS.

The regular monthly meeting of the Society was held in the Society's Hall on Friday evening, April 21st, 1911, at 8.30 P. M. The President, Clarence Winthrop Bowen in the chair.

The President formally notified the Society of the death on March 11th, 1911, of David Banks, Esq., of New York City, who had been an annual member of the Society since January 12, 1900.

The election of the following members was duly announced, viz: Honorary Members: Hon. James Bryce, Ambassador to the United States from the Court of St. James; Hon. Charles Francis Adams, of Boston, Mass., President of the Mass. Historical Society. Annual Members: Miss Frances Baxter, N. Y. City, proposed by John R. Totten; Mrs. George Conrad Cholwell, N. Y. City, proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs; George Toffey Davis, New Rochelle, N. Y., proposed by John R. Totten; Frank Julian Sprague, N. Y. City, proposed by Mrs. F. E. Youngs.

The President then introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. Ira K. Morris, who delivered a most interesting address on the subject of "Aaron Burr, Soldier and Statesman," which address was rendered the more enjoyable by excellent Stereopticon illustrations.

At the close of the address by Mr. Morris, Hon. Asa Bird Gardiner made some remarks pertinent thereto and moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Morris for his entertaining and instructive lecture, which motion was seconded and unanimously carried by the audience. The meeting then adjourned for refreshments.

The regular meeting of the Society was held in the Society's Hall on Friday, May 12th, 1911, at 8.30 P. M. The President, Mr. Bowen in the chair.

The Executive Committee announced the election of the following member: Allen Wardner Evarts, Annual Member, proposed by Thomas Townsend Sherman.

The following deaths were reported since the April, 1911, meeting: Johnston Livingston, Life Member, died May 7th, 1911; George Hale Morgan, Annual Member, died April 28, 1911; Mrs. John Stanton, died April 27, 1911. It was also recorded that Miss Helen Melinda Fisher, a former member and formerly Assistant Librarian of this Society, died May 4th, 1911.

Mr. Bowen then introduced the speaker of the evening, Horace White, Esq., Member of this Society, formerly Editor of Chicago Tribune and New York Evening Post, who was present at all of the Lincoln-Douglas debates, who delivered a lecture entitled, "The Lincoln-Douglas Debates of 1858."

At the close of Mr. White's lecture, Mr. Bowen called on Mr. Oswald Villard, Editor of the Evening Post who wrote the recent book on John Brown, who spoke as to the great value of Mr. White's paper and his request that he should write his memoirs.

Dr. Tracy moved a vote of thanks to Mr. White for his interesting and instructive paper and a request that a copy of the paper be filed in the archives of the Society, which was duly seconded and carried.

The meeting then adjourned to the Library for refreshments.

QUERIES.

Ancestry of the following individuals wanted:

CROSBY.—Thankful Crosby, born 1768; who married Maj. Joshua Barnum of Southeast Putnam Co., N. Y.

RICHMOND.—Catherine G. Richmond, born 1796, of Durham, Conn., who married 2nd Samuel Eells, of Middletown, Conn.

MERRITT.—Rebecca Merritt, of Portchester, N. Y., born about 1796, married Joseph W. Jones.

JONES.—Ebenezer Jones and wife, Sarah Whiting of Paterson, N. Y. —— Pierce, who married David Edwards Eells, of Middletown, Conn.

CROSBY.—Mary Crosby, who married Moses Churchill, a Revolutionary soldier of Woodbury, Conn., and Sheffield, Mass.

WINEGAR.—Solomon Winegar, of Amenia, N. Y., who married Nancy Curtis, of Egremont, South, Mass. Address: NETTIE BARNUM EELS,
226 West 58th Street, New York City.

KING.—*Gideon King*, with Charles Goodrich, Jarvis Mudge and Ephriam Keyes received in 1786 a grant from the General Court of Massachusetts of land in "King's District," Canaan, later called New Lebanon, Columbia Co., N. Y. He became involved in debt in 1790, and the land was sold by the Sheriff to one Samuel Hand.

As Capt. Gideon King he commanded a Company in 17th Regiment, Albany Co., N. Y., Militia, Col. Wm. B. Whiting, during the Revolutionary War, in which Aaron King was a Sergeant, and Asahel King a private.

Moses King was one of the first settlers in New Lebanon, N. Y., and owned a large farm, which was later the Henry A. Tilden place. He had issue, a son, John King, born 1775, who was Member of 22d. Congress, from 8th District of N. Y., 1831–33, and died 1st September, 1838, at New Lebanon, N. Y.

Reuben King had a pioneer tavern in 1774 in what is now the village of New Lebanon, N. Y.

Ashel King owned a large saw mill in what is now New Lebanon, N. Y., in 1790.

The Census of 1790 gives in Canaan, later New Lebanon, Columbia Co., N. Y., the names: Aaron, Azel (Asahel) Azel, Jr., Moses, Reuben and another Azel King.

Asahel King, Senr., is known to have had issue, Henry and Eunice, born 1768, died 1847, who married Jacob Redington, of Tolland, Conn. Henry King (Asahel) born 1786, died 1852, married a Miss Yates of Albany, N. Y., and had issue, Henry Stanton. Henry Stanton King born 1810, died 1878, married Elizabeth Smith and had issue, William H. William H. King of Albany, N. Y., died 1892, married Elizabeth Dunlap of Albany, N. Y. On 17th January, 1800, Asahel (Azel) King, Jr., was Ensign in Lt. Col. Palmer Cady's Regiment, Cap. Hezekiah Patchin's Co. On 28th January, 1802, he was Capt. in Lt. Col. Jonathan Warner's Regt. In 1808 he was Second Major in Lt. Col. Jacob Van Rennselaer's Regt. In 1812 he was First Major in Lt. Col. Daniel Warner's Regt., of which Dr. Eseck King of New Lebanon, N. Y., was the Surgeon. In 1815 he was Lt. Colonel of the 73d Regt., Columbia Co., N. Y. Militia, and resigned in 1817.

The ancestry and descendants of these Kings of New Lebanon, Columbia Co., N. Y., and any information concerning them is earnestly desired and any fact which might point to relationship with the King family of Northampton, Mass., G. A. MORRISON, JR., 43 Cedar Street, New York, N. Y.

BOOK NOTICES.

EDITORIAL NOTE:—The New York Genealogical and Biographical Society solicits as donations to its Library all newly published works on Genealogy, History and Biography, as well as all works on Town, County and State History, or works embodying information regarding the Vital Records of any and all localities. It also solicits the donation to the manuscript collections of its library any and all manuscript compilations which bear upon the above mentioned topics.

In consideration of such donations the works so presented to the Society will be at once placed upon the shelves of its library and will be reviewed in the next subsequent issue of THE NEW YORK GENEALOGICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD, each donation of such character, whether in printed or manuscript form, will be reviewed under the head of "Book Notices" and a copy of THE RECORD containing the review will be sent to the donor.

The Society does *not* solicit donations of publications or manuscripts on topics foreign to the above mentioned subjects, as its library is specialized and cannot accommodate material which does not bear directly upon its recognized sphere of usefulness.

Donations for review in the January issue of THE RECORD should be delivered to the Society before December 1st of the previous year; for the April issue, before March 1st; for the July issue before June 1st; and for the October issue, before September 1st.

All donations will be generously reviewed with a view of calling the attention of the public to their good points; but, while generous, the reviews will contain such proper criticism as the interest of the genealogical student would expect from the editorial staff of THE RECORD.

The "Book Notices" of THE RECORD are carefully read by all librarians as well as genealogical students, and the review of a work in THE RECORD is equivalent to a special advertisement of such work.

Letters of transmittal of donations of such works should embody the price of the work donated and the name and address of the person from whom it can be purchased.

SOCIETY OF COLONIAL DAUGHTERS OF THE SEVENTEENTH CENTURY OF BROOKLYN, N. Y. Organization, Constitution, By-Laws and Membership Rolls, compiled by Mrs. Francis Seaverns, Registrar of the Society. 8vo cloth, 1907, pp. 127 including index.

This work contains also an index of ancestors and descendants, and is most excellent in giving the records of ancestors on account of which descendants are rendered eligible to membership in this Society.

We never consult a work of this character without being impressed with the opportunity offered every such society to enrich the field of genealogical knowledge, by publishing in full generation by generation the complete pedigree of each of its members from each ancestor (original or supplementary) whose service renders such member eligible to said society. Such a publication would be expensive and require much time and labor to prepare, but would be a monument to the energy of the administration of any society undertaking such work, and as a book of genealogical reference it would stand in the front rank.

PORTER GENEALOGY, DESCENDANTS OF MOSES AND SARAH (KILHAM) PORTER, OF PAWLET, VERMONT, AND THEIR ANCESTRY, compiled by John S. Lawrence of Grand Rapids, Michigan. Octavo cloth, pp. 190, including index; press of F. A. Onderdonk, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

This is an excellent work giving much desired information regarding the ancestors and descendants of Moses Porter and his wife, Sarah (Kilham) Porter. The system of genealogical arrangement is not standard and the exceptional style of record adopted is more or less confusing; notwithstanding which, when comprehended it is accurate. The work contains notes on the Hatch Family and also Seymour and Lawrence Families; and gives Colonial Wars and Revolutionary Service of ancestors and descendants; it also contains list of College graduates and other Military services of descendants. It is a valuable addition to the history of the families above mentioned.

NEW JERSEY SOCIETY OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, YEAR BOOK 1910. Octavo cloth, pp. 270, including index. Published by the Society. Press of Baker Printing Co., Newark, N. J. Compiled and edited by Wm. Clinton Armstrong, Historian of the Society.

This is an excellent work containing a full list of the officers of the Society, the constitution and by-laws, and a full list of all members to date of publication with record of service of ancestor from whom eligibility is derived. It is rendered the more valuable by 19 full page illustrations consisting of portraits of present and former officers of the Society and reproductions of monuments and tombstone inscriptions of great Revolutionary interest. The work will enrich the field of published works on matters pertaining to the War of Independence.

THOMAS SANFORD, THE EMIGRANT TO NEW ENGLAND, HIS ANCESTRY, LIFE AND DESCENDANTS, 1632-4-1910, with sketches of Robert, Andrew, Zachary and John Sanford and their Descendants. Compiled by Carlton E. Sanford, author of *Early History of Hopkinton, N. Y.*, and *Letters, Essays and Biographical Sketches*. Quarto, 2 vols., pp. 1612 including index. Published by "The Tuttle Company," Rutland, Vermont. Price cloth, $20.00; leather $25.00.

This extensive and exhaustive genealogical work is one which gives the genealogical student great pleasure even in the preliminary inspection thereof, as impressing upon his mind the fact that the work is that of an experienced compiler and that the specific field of investigation has been systematically and exhaustively harvested. The work is arranged according to the best standard of genealogical publications and the information therein contained is therefore

of easy access to the searcher. It is also most excellently indexed. It is rendered further more attractive by some 141 portrait and other illustrations. Such a work is a worthy monument to the compiler thereof and in reputation will reward him for his great energy and perseverance in carrying it to successful completion.

The press work, paper and general "get up" of the volumes reflect the usual great credit which characterizes the output of the Tuttle Company publishing house, which it is not to be wondered at considering the many years experience of the firm in the publication of such works.

All Libraries having genealogical sections as well as all individuals of Sanford blood should at once secure these volumes.

Book of Bruce, Ancestors and Descendants of King Robert of Scotland, being an Historical and Genealogical Survey of the Kingly and Noble Scottish House of Bruce and a Full Account of Its Principal Families. With Special References to the Bruces of Clackmannan, Cultmalindie, Caithness, and the Shetland Islands, and Their American Descendants. By Lyman Horace Weeks, Author of *Prominent Families of New York*. Quarto, pp. 352 including index. Press of the Americana Society, 154 E. 23rd St., N. Y. City. Price Buckram, $10.00; three quarters levant $15.00; full levant $20.00.

This work, as the title and sub title indicate, gives an exhaustive resume of the English family of Bruce, and contains chapters on the following topics: General Introduction and Historical Survey; Scandinavian Origin; The Bruces in Scotland; King Robert Bruce, of Scotland; Bruces of Clackmannan, Cultmalindie and Caithness; Bruces of Kinloss, Elgin and Kincardine; Bruces of Airth; The Cavendish-Bruce Family of the Dukes of Devonshire; Royal House of Stewart; Line of the Irish Kings; Ancient Royal House of Scotland; Line of Saxon Kings; Bruce Ancestry from Royal Houses of Continental Europe; Collateral Families of Scotland; Castles and Churches; Arms of Bruces and Collateral Families; Bruces in America—George Bruce of New York and His Descendants.

This volume is enhanced in value by 59 illustrations of portraits, castles, statues, tombs and arms of the Bruce family. The frontispiece is a full page reproduction of the Bruce Arms in color and there are three full page illustrations in color embodying reproductions of the Skelton, Huntingdon, Orkney, Caithness, Gloucester, Ailesbury, Oliphant, Gilbertson, Mar, Carrick, Elphinston, Sutherland, Clackmannan, Devonshire, Stewart, Dunbar, Vipont and Campbell arms.

The work is most commendable and reflects great credit upon the author, throwing much valuable light upon the early origin of this family. The paper and press work of the volume is all that can be desired and cannot fail to add to the reputation of the Americana Society from whose press it is presented to the public. It is recommended heartily to Libraries and the Bruce family at large.

Report of the Commissioner of Records of Kings County, N. Y. for the year 1910. Quarto paper, pp. 131 with 20 illustrations.

This is a most valuable addition to the information already published on the condition and contents of the Records of Kings County, and the Commissioner is to be complimented upon the character of the information embodied in his report.

Sexennial Record Class of 1904, Yale College, Edited by G. Elton Parks, Class Secretary, No. 575 Fifth Ave., N. Y. City. Octavo cloth, pp. 387. Published for the Class Secretaries Bureau by the Yale University Press, 1911.

This is an unusually excellent volume of its class and contains much valuable information of biographical and genealogical nature regarding the individual members of the Class of 1904, Yale University. It contains the list of present P. O. addresses of class members and is thus of aid to genealogists.

Register of the Society of Colonial Wars in the State of California, 1910. Royal Octavo, pp. 293. Edited by Holdridge Ozro Collins.

This year book is beautiful in design and execution, and contains a full list of all members with names of their ancestors from whom eligibility is derived. In many instances the full record of the member is given, thereby adding greatly to the genealogical value of the work. The volume is replete with portrait illustrations and reproductions of armorial insignia of many of the members of the Society, and numerous other illustrations of historic and genealogical interest and will form a valuable addition to Colonial Wars historical data. The Society is to be congratulated upon the artistic and literary merit of its production.

PAMPHLET IN MEMORY OF EVA J. PHELPS, born November 28, 1853; died July 8, 1909. Paper quarto, pp. 22. Prepared and published by her friends.

To those who are familiar with the life work of Miss Phelps in connection with the development of public instruction in New Haven, Conn., this memorial cannot fail to be of great interest.

THE ANCESTORS AND DESCENDANTS OF EZEKIEL WILLIAMS OF WETHERSFIELD, CONN., 1608–1907. Compiled by Mary Dyer (Williams) McLean. Octavo paper, pp. 91. Privately printed, 1907. Press of Case, Lockwood & Brainard.

This work was compiled during the life of Mrs. Mary D. McLean and was the result of some twenty years of laborious search. She did not wish the work published during her life, but was willing that it should be given to the public after her death. After her demise her manuscript was edited and corrected and is thus presented to the public by Charles M. Andrews of Bryn Mawr, 1907. It is a valuable addition to the genealogy of the Williams family in America.

MONNET FAMILY GENEALOGY, A HUGUENOT HERITAGE, written and compiled by Orra Engene Monnette, B.A., of Los Angeles, Cal. Large Octavo, cloth, pp. 1150, with supplement pp. 16 and index pp. lxxviii; limited edition of 350 numbered copies; published by C. E. Bireley Company, Los Angeles, Cal., 1911. Copyrighted 1911. Price $10.00. Address Orra Eugene Monnette, No. 1017–1018 Wright and Callender Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

This is an exhaustive, painstaking and most valuable work on the history and genealogy of this Huguenot family and reflects great credit upon the author and compiler. It contains much valuable information concerning the first immigrants to America, Isaac[1] and Pierre[1] Monnet, and is a presentation of those in America bearing the name of Monnet and its variously spelled derivatives, with complete genealogies of the main lines. It includes also the History of the Noble House of Monet de la Marck, Lords and Barons from 1632, the genealogy of the Lords of Monnet, the House of de Salins, from the year 1184 and short accounts of certain of the Pillot, Nuthall, Sprigg, Hillary, Mariarte, Crabb, Williams, Osborn, Burrell, Hellen, Lake and Bird, Caldwell, Slagle, Reichelsdörfer, Hagenbuch, Schissler, Braucher, Wayland, Wilhoit, Kinnear, Hull, Ludwig, Lutz, and other families connecting with the ancestral lines. It is enriched with 171 illustrations of Coats of Arms, fac-similes of original documents and records, maps and charts, color plates and cuts of distinguished members of the family. It is recommended to all genealogical and historical libraries.

COLONIAL FAMILIES OF THE SOUTHERN STATES OF AMERICA. A HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF COLONIAL FAMILIES WHO SETTLED IN THE COLONIES PRIOR TO THE REVOLUTION, by Stella Pickett Hardy. Illustrated Cloth, Royal Octavo, pp. 643, with Full Index. Press of Tobias A. Wright, New York, 1911.

The author has produced an excellent work of reference, dealing with 66 of the most noteworthy families of the South and containing an index of over 12,000 names. Not the least attractive statement in this volume is the author's avowed purpose to continue her research and bring out, from time to time, other volumes of the like character dealing with Southern families of importance. It has long been a task of great difficulty to trace Southern Genealogy,

owing to the destruction of the town and county records during the Revolutionary and Civil Wars, or their loss by fire. Any attempt to preserve the family histories of the pre-Revolutionary gentlefolk of the South deserves decided and emphatic encouragement. The author is heartily to be congratulated upon the plan and scope of her endeavor and the fine beginning made in this attractive volume. The various families are concisely set forth, their descendants briefly traced out, and in many cases illustrations of valuable pictures re-produced. The order of descent is a little difficult to grasp at first, but the system is a simple one and perhaps desirable in a work of this size, to avoid repetition of names and expense in printing. The typography and press work are worthy of the material printed and the paper and binding indicate not only good taste but sound practical execution. A book of this kind will be constantly consulted and must be printed and bound to endure. As a general book of reference it will prove a valuable addition to historical and genealogical Societies.

THE LEFFINGWELL RECORD. A GENEALOGY OF THE DESCENDANTS OF LIEUT. THOMAS LEFFINGWELL, ONE OF THE FOUNDERS OF NORWICH, CONN., by Albert Leffingwell, M. D. and Charles Wesley Leffingwell, M. D. Octavo, half morocco, pp. 256, with Full Index. The Leffingwell Publishing Co., Aurora, N. Y., 1897.

This most admirable genealogy was founded upon the collection of memoranda of Rev. E. B. Huntington, prepared many years ago and for a long time lost and unavailable. While this collection was not arranged in the best way and necessitated the re-writing the family genealogy anew, yet it furnished many facts of the utmost importance. It clearly decided the disputed question as to the form of name and the present compilers show the strongest evidence of the ancient name being "Leffingwell" instead of Leapingwell one hundred and twenty years before the death of Shakespeare. The history appears to be exhaustive and evidences great ability and discretion on the part of its compilers. In fact the entire work shows sound and practical methods of compilation, and the annals are tersely set forth, without the superabundance of uncertain facts attributed to family tradition, etc., which so often detract from a work of this character. The arrangement is numerical, not standard, but the descendants can be readily followed and back references are readily traced. The volume is beautifully printed, and in these days of fine type and binding, this record will occupy the first rank in genealogical publications. Such clear type and fine paper are seldom found among commercial publications and the authors are to be highly commended and congratulated upon the excellence of their taste, the accuracy of their material, and the thought, devotion and generosity in printing and preserving this ancient family record. The illustrations also are half tones of exceptional merit.

AN HISTORICAL DIGEST OF THE PROVINCIAL PRESS, by Lyman Horace Weeks and Edwin M. Bacon. Cloth, Octavo, pp. 564, with Full Index, The Society for Americana. 1911.

This is a collection of all items of personal and historic reference relating to American Affairs, printed in the Newspapers of the Provincial Period beginning with the appearance of *The Present State of New England Affairs* 1689, *Public Occurrences* 1690, and the first issue of *The Boston News Letter* 1704, and ending with the close of the Revolution, 1783.

At first thought the difficulty of compiling such a comprehensive digest seems appalling, and the possible size of a series of publications embracing the items would be likely to deter even the most painstaking of authors. Nevertheless the joint authors have set themselves to their task and this first volume should well repay the time and labor put upon it. The value of the collection to students of Americana will be priceless and its utility in printing and preserving historical data cannot be estimated. If, as is contemplated, this Society intends to go through all the early Colonial newspapers, copies of which can be found in the public libraries and private collections throughout the country, it would seem that the last word will be gathered for historical and genealogical use. The index alone of such a collection will be a Herculeian task. This first volume of the collection is altogether admirable in matter, form and appearance. The reproductions of the newspapers notes are exact and accurate,

the data of the highest interest and the availability of the facts to the general students splendidly accomplished. This book and all the future additions to the proposed collection should be on the reference shelves of every public library in the land. Its typography, binding and paper are of the best, and adapted for the hard service to which it will immediately be subject by every historian and student.

A GENEALOGY OF THE WARNE FAMILY IN AMERICA, PRINCIPALLY THE DESCENDANTS OF THOMAS WARNE, born 1652, died 1722, one of the Twenty-four proprietors of East New Jersey. By Rev. George Warne Labaw, Pastor of the Reformed Church of Preakness, N. Y. Cloth, Octavo. pp. 701, with Full Index. Frank Allaben Genealogical Co. New York, 1911.

The volume contains an immense amount of detailed information concerning a most interesting old New Jersey family, the result of extensive searching and correspondence with many female descendents interested in tracing out the family history. The ancestry of Thomas Warne, the Proprietor, appears to be uncertain, all that is definitely known, according to the authority living, is the fact that "he was born in Plymouth, in Devonshire, County Cornwell, England" and lived for some time in Ireland, and that his father's name was Stephen. There would seem to be some error here, for Devonshire is an English County of itself and hence cannot well be in County Cornwell, but this is doubtless a printer's error. The six lines of descendents of Thomas Warne are well traced out, particularly the last, and the author shows great patience, persistence and thoroughness in his work. The arrangement is not standard and hence the lines of descent are difficult for the ordinary genealogical student to trace. This seems unfortunate in so generous a volume, but an exceptionally good index enables a name to be found in but little time. The work is well printed and bound and will become an authority upon this line of the Warne family. The illustrations are excellent, well chosen and of much interest, and every large genealogical library desiring to acquire a complete genealogical collection should secure a copy of the work.

VICENNIAL RECORD OF CLASS OF 1889 OF YALE UNIVERSITY, by Charles Hitchcock Sherrill, Class Secretary.

The record was compiled by Hon. Mr. Sherrill, U. S. Minister to Argentine Republic and follows the usual practice in such publications. The biographical sketches of the members of the class afford interesting and instructive reading and the printing of these records of the Alumni of Yale College of the Class of 1889 will make it easy for future biographers to secure material of value.

THE KINGMAN AND ORDRONAUX FAMILIES, by Leroy Wilson Kingman Paper, Octavo, pp. 45. Gazette Printing Office, Oswego, N. Y., 1911. Limited Edition.

This pamphlet contains a record of the descendants of Henry Kingman, an Englishman who settled at Weymouth, Mass., in 1635, and of Capt. John Ordronaux a Frenchman, a Privateer in the War of 1812, who settled in New York City in 1816. It is not exhaustive of the Kingman family, there being still another extensive MSS. genealogy, as yet unpublished. The line as traced herein is complete and well arranged, and short sketches of the Latimer, Livermore, Loring and Isbell families are annexed, they being related by marriage to the Kingman family. The Ordronaux records also are interesting reading, and as a record of one of the early French Families of New York will be of value. The pamphlet is well printed and arranged.

GENEALOGY OF THE DESCENDANTS OF COL. JOHN DAVIS OF OXFORD, CONN., FORMERLY A PART OF DERBY, CONN., by George T. Davis. Cloth, Octavo, pp. 338, with Index. New Rochelle, N. Y. 1910.

The value of this fine record is unquestionable and notwithstanding the modesty of the compiler in stating that he is not a skilled genealogist or a collegian, his work indicates strong genealogical sense. The family annals are set forth without any pretence to "coat-armour" or "royal descent" and must have cost many years of patient toil to collect, digest and arrange. While the

arrangement is, as is frankly stated, one of the author's "own ideas" and probably makes for simplicity in printing, yet it is difficult for the average genealogist to follow. It would be much better if family historians would follow the standard descent plan adopted by the Boston and the New York Genealogical Societies, a system well known and accepted by all family historians. The press work and binding of the volume is in excellent taste and the author is to be congratulated upon his well accomplished task.

ELY, REVELL, STACYE HISTORY. A further examination of this work, reviewed in our January issue, compels us to call especial attention to the advertisement on page xxxiv of this number of the RECORD. The book contains a mass of English genealogical notes and historical excerpts relating to these family names in England, and also much information directly connected with the three families prior to their settlement in America.

The Stacyes of Ballifield Hall in Yorkshire were friends and associates of William Penn, while George Fox made their Yorkshire home his rendezvous in his pilgrimages into that county. The Elys were also connected with the family of William Penn in America and had joined the Society of Friends before leaving England. The Revell family were high churchmen; Thomas Revell, a member of the West Jersey Supreme Court and one of the first vestrymen of St. Marys Church, Burlington, lost his prestige in the Colony owing to his affiliation wtth Lord Cornbury.

The American records include many biographies connected with interesting events in the Nation's history extending from Colonial times down to the present day.

The illustrations, about 100 in number, include copies of portraits by Sargent, and Romney, also a rare copy of Sir Peter Lely's portrait of George Fox, owned by Swarthmore College, with photos of silver plate now in the custody of the South Kensington Museum, London.

BIBLIOGRAPHY OF LISTS OF NEW ENGLAND SOLDIERS. Mary Ellen Baker, A. B., Boston. New England Historic Genealogical Society, 1911. 8vo pamphlets, pp. 56.

This invaluable bibliography is a REGISTER reprint, and while limited to certain printed books, is sure to be most helpful and suggestive. The list of works quoted is limited to those catalogued in the New York State Library in 1908, and was made by a graduate of the New York Library School. The records are divided, under the States, into General, Early Indian, Revolution, War of 1812, Civil War, and Spanish–American War, followed by a local division showing references to various lists in town histories and similar works.

THE FIELD NOTES OF BENJAMIN CRANE, BENJAMIN HAMMOND AND SAMUEL SMITH. Reproduced in facsimile from the original notes of survey of lands of the proprietors of Dartmouih, including what is now the City of New Bedford, and the Towns of Dartmouth, Westport, Fairhaven and Acushnet. New Bedford. Published by the New Bedford Free Public Library, 1910. Folio, pp. xvi–767.

In preparing this notable work every effort was made to preserve the records in the most complete and perfect way. Therefore on every page the original notebooks are reproduced in facsimile, side by side with the printed record. They cover what is practically the foundation of a very large proportion of all the land titles in that part of Massachusetts, during a period of time from the year 1710 to 1793. An excellent index enhances the value of the book.

LIST OF WORKS RELATING TO BRITISH GENEALOGY AND LOCAL HISTORY, New York Public Library, New York. 1910. 8vo pamphlet, pp. 366.

The New York Public Library has completed the list of British genealogies and local histories that was begun in the Public Library Bulletin of June, 1910. Through the gifts of Mr. Cleveland Dodge the New York Public Library is now one of the richest, if not the richest library in America in this British field. Genealogists and local societies will appreciate the careful, painstaking work done by Mr. D. C. Haskell who gave many months of unusual scholarship to British local and family history.

HUDSON-MOHAWK GENEALOGICAL AND FAMILY MEMOIRS. A record of achievements of the people of the Hudson and Mohawk Valleys in New York State, included within the present counties of Albany, Rensselaer, Washington, Saratoga, Montgomery, Fulton, Schenectady, Columbia and Greene. Prepared under the editorial supervision of Cuyler Reynolds, New York. Lewis Historical Publishing Company 1911. 4 vols, quarto leather, illustrated.

The work done by Mr. Reynolds is always to be commended, and these volumes which he has edited show the results of his long experience in this sort of work. The genealogies include a large number of families living in a part of the State where genealogical difficulties are enormous, and cannot fail to be of great help and full of suggestion to the searcher. Mr. Reynolds' excellent directory of *Progenitors or Earliest Settlers of Albany County*, as well as other parts of his *Historical Appendix*, will be found of peculiar value. This list not only preserves the best features of earlier lists, but adds to them the results of the recent very careful and scholarly work of the State Archivist, Hon. A. J. F. Van Lear, who has recently done such remarkable work in retrieving the ancient manuscripts from the ruins of the State Library.

ADVANCED BOOK NOTICE FOR JULY RECORD.

Mr. Elbert H. T. Miller of Scottsville, Monroe Co., N. Y., who has been for more than ten years at work in compiling the genealogy of the descendants of William Miller, one of the founders of Northampton, Mass., in 1654, hopes to have the work in press this year. A Memorial Monument recently erected by the descendants in Northampton will be dedicated next July.

ACCESSIONS TO THE LIBRARY.

March 8 to June 12, 1911.

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Americana Society.—Book of Bruce.
Clarkson, Matthew.—Historic Families of America, I. History of Powys Fadog, 6 vols.
Connecticut Historical Society.—Law Papers, II.
Crombie, Mrs. Sarah H.—Memorial of a Pilgrim Family.
Davis, George T.—Davis Genealogy.
Engart, H. S.—Biograhical Dictionary, Historical and Classical Dictionary.
Hardy, Stella Pickett, and Wright, Tobias A.—Colonial Families of the Southern States of America.
Leffingwell, Albert.—Leffingwell Genealogy.
Lewis Historical Publishing Co.—Hudson and Mohawk Valley Genealogies.
Monnette, Orra E.—Monnette Genealogy.
New Bedford Free Public Library.—Field Notes of Benjamin Crane, Benjamin Hammond and Samuel Smith.
New Jersey Society, S. A. R.—Year Book, 1910.
New York Historical Society.—Abstracts of Wills, vol. xiv.
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Brink, B. M.—Olde Ulster.
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Lawrence, John S.—Descendants of Moses and Sarah Kilham Porter.
Macy, W. A.—The Long Islander, May 19.
Mather, Frederic G.—Portraits of Francis Lewis, John Alsop and Comfort Sands.
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N. Y. Public Library.—Bulletin.
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Pinney, Mrs. D. C.—Ancestors and Descendants of Ezekiel Williams.
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Swasey, Hon. Lewis M.—Report of the Kings County, N. Y., Commissioner of Records.
Ticonderoga Historical Society.—Memorial Tablet at Ticonderoga.
Wyer, James I., Jr.—Bibliography of New England Soldiers.

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Albany County Conveyances.
Aldenham, Herts Registers, II.
Austerfield and Cowthorpe, York, Registers.
Bristol, Conn., in the Olden Time.
Bruera Church Registers.
Burke's Commoners, vol. iv. Landed Gentry.
Cambridge, Mass., Church Records.
Cohasset Genealogies.
Conesus, N. Y.
Early New England People.
Farmers' Genealogical Register.
Founders of Anne Arundel and Howard Counties, Md.
History of Hatfield, Mass.
Inscriptions, Hunt's Point and Pell Cemetery, Pelham Manor.
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St. Bene't and St. Peters, London, Registers.
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THE EARLIEST CUYLERS IN HOLLAND AND AMERICA.

RESEARCHES ESTABLISHING A LINE OF DESCENT FROM TYDEMAN CUYLER OF HASSELT 1456.

By Maud Churchill Nicoll.

Cuyler Arms:

The *Encylopædia Britannica* says: "The best if not the only safe evidence for the origin of armorial bearings is that afforded by seals."

The Cuyler coat-of-arms is taken from impressions of Hendrick Cuyler's own seal with which his wife Annetje Shepmoes Cuyler sealed her will. He mentions the seal in his will March 21, 1690, as follows: "My youngest son Henry shall have my seal," and his wife making her will July 3, 1702, says that all the provisions of her husband's will shall be carried out. She sealed her will with two clear impressions of his seal which she had in her keeping for their son Henry. There is no motto on the impressions, but the motto belonging to the oldest and similar Cuyler arms in Holland is:

"Ik vertrouwt op Gott niet op Pÿlen."
(I trust in God not in arrows.)

In all probability the original bearer of this name was an arbalister or crossbowman, and in course of time he or his descendants, being empowered or assuming the right to bear arms, placed upon their shield a quarrel or cross-bow bolt (keil in old German). The bolt or short arrow shot from the arbalist or cross-bow (as distinguished from the shaft or long arrow shot from the long bow) was in general use throughout Europe during the middle ages, and is first mentioned in a manuscript of the 11th century. The name Cuyler, Keiler or Keyler, as it was spelled in 1532, may be considered as equivalent to our English surname Archer or Bowman.

Blazoning of the seal on the will:

The shield bears a bolt or quarrel in pale with the point upwards between the letters H. C. The crest is three quarrels, the centre in pale, the two others pilewise all points upward on a helmet barred affronté. There is a mantling of the debased 17th century type.

Blazoning of the Coat-of-Arms of Cuylaert of Amsterdam:

"De sinople à une flèche d'or, posee en bande." (*Rietstap*, vol. i, p. 499.)

Blazoning of the Coat-of-Arms of Cuyler, Hertfordshire, île de St. Dominique. (*Baronet 29th October, 1814*):

Parti enclavé de gueules et d'azur; à une flèche d'or, armé et empennée d'argent, en bande, brochant sur le parti. Casque timbré d'une couronne murale d'or née d'argent, en bande, brochant sur le parti. C.: deux flèches d'or armé et empennées d'argent passées en saut les pointes en bas, brochant sur une hache d'armes d'argent en pal. Devise: Deo Non Sagittis Fido. (*Rietstap*, vol. i, p. 499.)

The first time the name Cuyler appears is in an Act dated February 27, 1387, City of Koevorden Province of Drenthe, Holland: "Coÿlert, one of the six warriors of Hermanne Stael."

1. Tydeman Cuyler. All Saints Day 1456 Before Tydeman Koylert an Official of Hasselt.* Sale of land between Bette, widow of Johan Henrixsoen and Engbert, Johan and Henrich, the children of the above mentioned Johan, to Willeme, son of Philippus. (*Leger of the Zwarte Water Convent Archivies of the Province of Overyssel at Zwolle* folio 21.) Children:

+2 Seyne Cuyler, d. bef. 1512.
+3 Son, name unknown.

2. Seyne Cuyler, had children:

+4 Andries, who m. Jutte ——.
5 Thyman, who is mentioned as an Alderman in 1520. (*Archives of the Province of Overyssel at Zwolle, Registers of the City of Hasselt.* Vol. 3157, folio 223.)

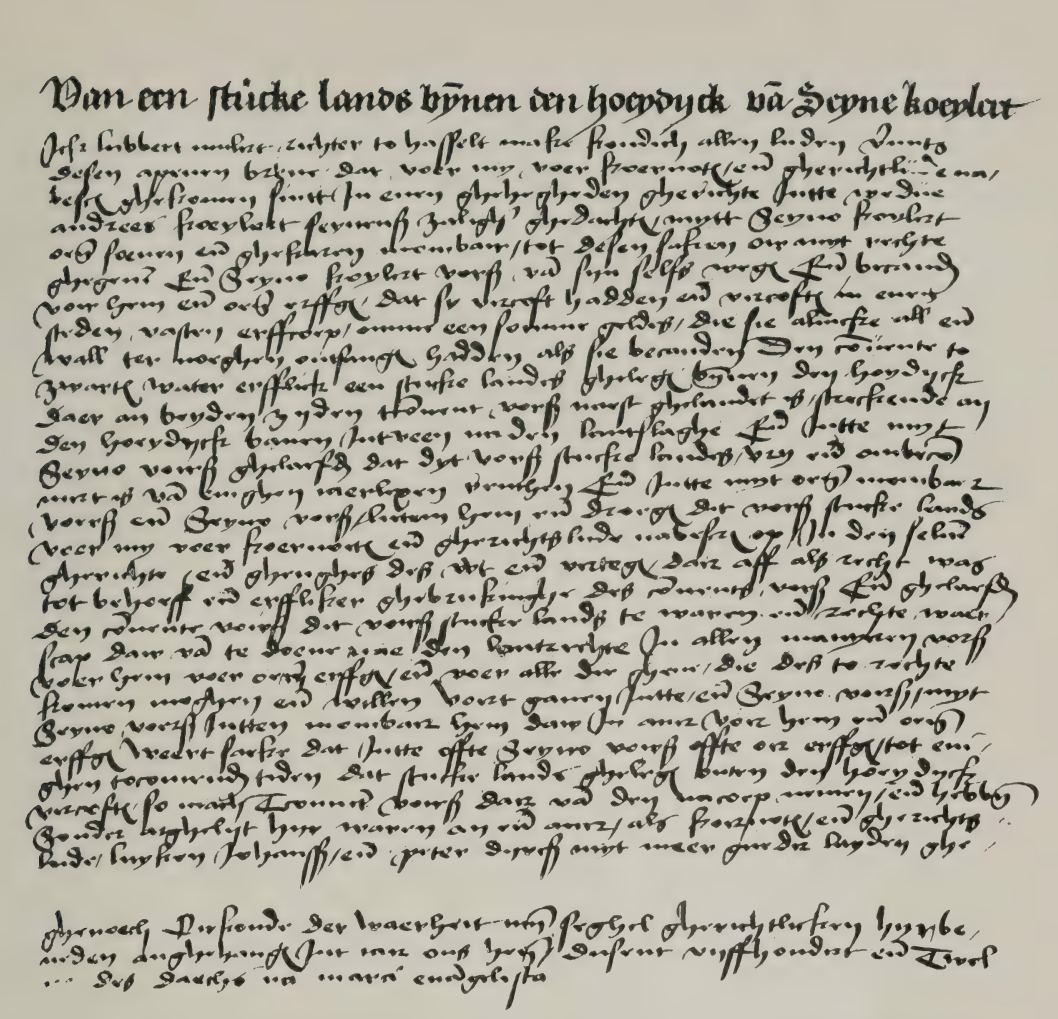
3. The unknown son of Tydeman Cuyler, had a son:

+6 Andries Cuyler, who m. Johanna ——.

4. Andries Cuyler is mentioned as owning land near land belonging to the prior of the convent, the day after Ascension Day 1502. This land was afterward sold by Jutten his widow and other heirs to the prior of the convent. (*Zwarte Water Convent Ledger*, folio 116).

The day after St. Mary's, 1512, "concerning a meadow originally owned by Seyno Koylert. Jutte, widow of Andrees Koylert, the

* Hasselt is a town in the North Netherlands, Province of Overyssel, five miles north of Zwolle, the capital of the province.



Document concerning the sale of a part of a field belonging to Seyne Koeylert, dated "1512, the day after Maria Evangelista."

(From the Zwarte Water Convent Ledger.)

Hendrick Cuyler's Seal.

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son of Seyno (Seynenszoen) and Seyno their son, acknowledge the sale of this land to the prior of the Zwarte Water Convent." This Andrees is called "cousin" of Andrees Vosken. This meadow is situated near the Hoeydyck, (folio 131). Andries and Jutte Cuyler had child:

7 Seyne Cuyler.

6. ANDRIES CUYLER, who m. Johanna, was surnamed "Vosken" (Vosje), meaning little fox. The day after St. Valentine the Martyr's Day (Feb. 14), 1495, Andrees Koylert appeared before Henrich Mulert and other officials and acknowledged the sale of half a farm to the prior of the Zwarte Water Convent in behalf of the Convent. "This farm (in a marsh) is at Ruveene and originally belonged to Tydeman(1) Koilert, grand-father of Andrees." (*Ledger of the Zwarte Water Convent*, folio 117.) Andrees Koeylert and his wife Johan(na) acknowledged before Lubbert Mulert and other officials the sale of half a farm situated near the Hoeydyck, to the prior of the Zwarte Water Convent in behalf of the convent—Done on St. Blasius Day, 1517. "There must be paid every year a rent of two quarters of butter to the family Mulert. The farm yard was named Voskensfield because Andrees Koeylert was also called Andrees Vosken; he was the father of Mr. Egbert the barber Surgeon." (*Ledger of the Zwarte Water Convent*, folio 128.) Andries and Johanna Cuyler had child:

+8 Engbert Cuyler, who m. Wibbe ——.

8. ENGBERT CUYLER was born not later than 1509 and was a Barber-Surgeon. Anno 1530. "On Monday after trium Regum (Celebration of Twelfth Night Jan 6th) Engbert Keylert and Rotger Goltsmith acknowledge that Beerte Hertwichs daughter of Herr Beerntsz Coeps has taken a mortgage on her house or her mother's house." The house and land are described. (*Archives of the Province of Overyssel at Zwolle. Registers of the City of Hasselt.* Vol. of Court transactions, 1528-1579, p. 16.)

Anno 1555. "On Tuesday post Andres Apostoli (Nov. 30th), Henrich Bleeckert acknowledges before Claes Wolters son of Johann Wolters his brother-in-law, that Mr. Engbert Keylert, barber-surgeon, has bought of his (Henrich's) mother, Greta Bleeckert, a piece of pasture ground." (*Same reference, p. 242.*)

Engbert Cuyler died before 1612, age about 70. Children:

9 Hille Cuyler, who was dead in 1588.
+10 Andries Cuyler, m. Ida ——.
11 Wibbe Cuyler, m. Henrick Alberts.

In an act dated June 29, 1619, Wibbetien, daughter of the late Engbert Coilert, is spoken of as about 80 years old. (*Archives of the Province of Overyssel at Zwolle Register of the City of Hasselt* vol. 3158.*)

On Jan. 22, 1620, Wubbetien Koilerts about 74 years old, widow of Henrick Alberts, appeared as witness. (Vol. 3188.)

*In order to avoid repetiton all further references to volumes and folios in this article will indicate these Registers of the City of Hasselt, unless otherwise stated.

10. ANDRIES CUYLER, who m. Ida ——, was an organist and died before 1612. Children:

+12 Cornelius.
+13 Engbert.
+14 Pieter.
+15 Reynier.
+16 Harmen.
+17 Jannetien.

12. CORNELIUS CUYLER m. Marrietien Isebrants, and died before 1592. On May 8, 1592, is recorded the division of the property of Reyner Koylert and his sister Deele Koylert, wife of George Vellebier. Those present were Marrien Isebrants, widow of Cornelis Koylert and now wife of Johann Claesz Bout, assisted by George Vellebier her son-in-law and by Johan Adriaensz ten Oever and Thilman Wichersz, as guardians of her son Reyner Koylert. "Reyner's portion being his interest in the property of his father Cornelis Koylert and of his grandparents Andries and Ida Koylert." There follows a list of obligations due Reyner from the town of Hasselt and various individuals. Finally this statement: "May 19, 1598, Reynier Koylert has received this money and has used it to his own profit." Marrietien Isebrants was a daughter of Isebrant Reyniers who died of the plague about 1578. (Vol. 3202, folio 33). Children:

18. Delia, who m. Jurrien Vellebier. They were married before 1592. A Doretea Fellebier is mentioned as living on the Rosengracht (a canal) in 1666. She was probably a descendant of the above.

+19 Reynier.

13. ENGBERT CUYLER, wife unknown. On May 13, 1588, Gerrit Arentz acknowledged payment of 11 guilders and 25 pence Brabrant money from the heirs of the late Andries Koylert viz: Herman, Engbert, and Janneken Koylert, for a debt contracted by their parents. (Vol. 3155, folio 127.) Child:

20 Arentien Cuyler who m. Roloff Hermansz Lentingh. On June 7, 1605, Herman Coilert and Henrick Berentz Pannebacker were appointed guardians for Arentien daughter of the late Engbert Coilert and at present wife of Roloff Hermansz Lentingh. (Vol. 3157 folio 171.)

14. PIETER CUYLER was a shopkeeper and m. Grietien Hendrycts, daughter of Hendrick Koerenhart and Wendele Jans. On September 18, 1587, a document is recorded concerning a quarrel (about a bench) between Peter Koylert and Henrick Albertsz his uncle by marriage, in which the latter's wife, Wibbe Koylert, is mentioned. (Vol. 3155, folio 62.)

September 9, 1590, Inventory of goods due Griete (Margaretha) wife of Peter Koylert and daughter of Henrick Koerenhart and the late Wendele Jans. Henrick Meyer and Harmen Arendtz were appointed guardians. A list of four obligations follows. (Vol. 3202. folio 11). February 23, 1596. Accounting of the

property of Grietien the wife of Peter Koeilert and daughter of Henrick Coornhart. Her brother-in-law Harmen Koilert is mentioned. (Vol. 3202, folio 11). On December 4, 1615, Peter Koilert aged about 47 appeared as a witness. (Vol. 3188). He also appeared as witness at various other times in the records. On November 26, 1622, a suit of Peter Coilert vs. Josua Barbott was settled in Coilert's favor. (Vol. 3158).

March 5, 1624, Peter Coilert and Jan Hermsz Pott were appointed guardians of Engbert Coilert, a son (under age) of the late Herman Coilert. (Vol. 3202, folio 392). Children:

21 Hendrick, bap. at Hasselt December 21, 1595 ("Hendrick Coylardt"), wit. Eva Jacob Marckels, (Eva wife of Jacob Marckels). (*Archives, etc., City of Hasselt*). Dec. 30, 1614, Hendrick Coilert appeared as witness and is called about 19 years of age. (Vol. 3188.) April 13, 1621. Testimony concering a quarrel at Campen, between Henrick Koilert and Claes Frentz of Rouvene (trooper) about 16 pence. Frentsz threatened to kill Koilert. (Vol. 3188).

22 Stiene Cuyler, bap. at Hasselt, Sept. 4, 1597. Wit. Lubbe Willems.

15. Reynier Cuyler m. Hendrickien Hendrix Pickert. He died before 1601. He is mentioned in the will of Kerst Arentsz, Hasselt Sept. 20, 1587. (Vol. 3155, folio 64).

On May 29, 1588, Herman Koylert and Reynier Koylert each one for himself and each as a guardian of his wife and also for their other brothers and sister appeared and acknowledged the sale of a house and land which they inherited from the late Hille Koylert daughter of Mr. Engbert Koylert. It was sold to Hendrick Alberts and Wibbe the wife of Mr. Engbert Koylert. (Vol. 3155, folio 133.)

August 21, 1601, Mention of Hendrickien Hendricks widow of the late Reyner Koilert. (Vol. 3157, folio 43). Child:

+23 Andries.

16. Harmen Cuyler m. Grietien Jansz, daughter of the late Johan van Marckell. The will of Kerst Arentz Sept. 20, 1587, mentions Peter Koylert and his brothers and sister viz: Hermen, Reyner and Janneken Koylert. (Vol. 3155, folio 64.)

On December 4, 1587, Herman Koylert appeared for himself and for his brother-in-law, Jacob Jansz (van Marckell) and Griete Jans, his wife and Jacob's sister, appeared with Johan Arentz, her guardian. They authorized a transfer of land, which they inherited from the late Lubbert and the late Lunner van Marckell. (Vol. 3155, folio 85.)

July 11, 1590, Harmen Coylert, aged about 32, appeared as witness. (Vol. 3156, folio 109.) On September 8, 1590, Harmen Keylert was appointed by the Aldermen and Senate as Sexton of the Parish Church, "and he shall play the organ and chimes as before." (Vol. 3156.) April 24, 1602; appearance of Herman Coilerth and Grietie, his wife, and Eusse (Eva) ten Oever, with Henrick Ten Oever, her father, widow of Jacob van Marckell,

brother of the above mentioned Grietie. Testimony concerning division of Van Marckell land. Armgert van Markell is mentioned, but relationship not specified. (Vol. 3157, folio 65.) On August 9, 1604, Herman Coilert is mentioned as a Catholic. (Vol. 3157, folio 143.) June 22, 1611, Herman Coilert and Mr. Otto Henrix were discharged from the guardianship of Derck and Jannetien, children of Herman Derx Veneman. (Vol. 3202, folio 87.) September 4, 1611, testimony of Geuchien Claes, aged about 76, for Herman Coilert and Jan Claes van Markell, concerning land rented from Eva ten Oever and Armgert van Marckell, heirs of Lubbert van Marckel. (Vol. 3188.)

January 3, 1612, petition of Hermen Koilert. Testimony of Henrich Evertz (aged 60) and Jan Jansz Roeck (aged 55) at the request of Hermen Koilert "that they have been well acquainted with the late Engbert Coilert, grandfather of the petitioner (who was about 70 when he died in Hasselt) and also with the late Andries Koilert, organist of Hasselt, of whom the petitioner is a child born in wedlock, and that the petitioner, Hermen Coilert, has married Grieten van Marckell, daughter of the late Johann van Marckell, and that they have a son Jan Coilert living at present in Linghen," etc. December 23, 1613, appointment of Herman Coilert as organ player in the church. "He must play Sunday and Wednesday before and after the Sermon" and in the winter, also in the evening hours. Also he must repair the organ. He complains that his salary is insufficient and it is increased a little. (Vol. 3154, folio 46.) July 18, 1615, Testimony concerning the marriage of Jan Coilert to Petertien Lamberts, daughter of Swane Everts. Herman and Jan Coilert are called father and son. (Vol. 3188.) January 20, 1617, Herman Coilert being ill, he and Grietie, his wife, make mutual wills, leaving everything to the survivor. The sheriff, Henrich van Keppel Fox is named as executor. Witnesses, Gerryt Koningk and Henrick Jansz, Aldermen. (Vol. 3157, folio 331.)

On October 24, 1620, a document is recorded concerning payment of interest on the house of Grietien, widow of the late Herman Coilert. (Vol. 3158.) Children:

+24 Jan.

25 Lubbe, bap. at Hasselt, January 23, 1592, ("Lubbe Coylaert.") Wit. Egbert Coldaert, Jannicken Hermsen, Jutte Jansz.

26 Engbert, under age in 1624, m. Lucretia Coerts in Amsterdam, January 1, 1633. Wit. Abigail Heyndrix, her mother.

27 Lubbe, bap. at Hasselt, September 22, 1594. Wit. Pyter Coldaert, Grietien Hendryckx, Guisien Hendryckx te Oever.

28 Andries, bap. at Hasselt, August 21, 1597. Wit. Lubbert Willems. He m. 1st, Geertruyt Snellen, 2nd, on March 24, 1626, Maritie Claes van Neck of Amsterdam, aged 32, and 3rd, on October 26, 1632, Margriet Lookemans van Tourhout, widow of Hans Maryn.

June 27, 1617, before the Aldermen Jan Claesz and Hermen Blomerts, the Sheriff Hendrick van Keppel Fox, the Mayor Jan Arents and three citizens bore witness at the instance of Andries Koilertt, legal son of the late Herman Coilert, citizen and organ player of this town, "to being well aware personally that the above mentioned Andries Coilert was a legal son of the late Herman Coilert and Grietien (who is still living), the daughter of the late Jan van Marckel, born in wedlock; that his (the plaintiff's) parents have lived honestly and piously in Hasselt, and that their parents, too, were honest people. All witnesses subjoin to this, that Andries Koilert has practised surgery to some degree under his father, in life a surgeon of this town, and that he has behaved himself always as an honest and pious young man." (Vol. 3188.)

17. Jannetien Cuyler m. Vreryck Bloemaert. He was Ondershulte (2nd Sheriff.) Child:

29. Harmen Bloemaert, bap. at Hasselt, April 4, 1596. Wit. Willem Egbaerts.

19. Reynier Cuyler m. Hendryckien Jans, daughter of Jan Hendrix Koopman and Claesien Jans. He was born about 1578–80. On Aug. 24, 1589, Johann Ariaens ten Oever and Thilman Wichersz were appointed guardians of Reyner Koylert, the youngest son of the late Cornelys Koyler. Jorrien Fellebier was also appointed guardian of Deele Koyler his wife "and they have sold to the guardians of Arenthen, daughter of the late Engbert Koyler, a house," etc. (Vol. 3156, folio 48.)

In marginal notes of a document dated May 8, 1592 (*see data of Cornelius Cuyler, 12*), is a list of the property of Reyner Koylert, as follows:

Land in Hoenbroeck "half is his mother's and ¼ belongs to his sister. The portion of Reyner has been sold and he has received the money."

"Farm rent of a field. One fourth the yearly rental of the house of Cornelis Muys. (Cornelis Muys must have been a relative or Rynier would not have inherited from him.) 50 caroli guilders of his mother's property when of age. 100 Golden guilders for rent owed by the hospital. The guardians of Arentgen, daughter of Engbert Koylert owe him 59 golden gulden for his share in the house on the Veerstege (now sold)." "This money has been received by Marrichien and her son-in-law Jurrien Vellebier, and they have satisfied Reyner." "Thilman Wichers holds for Reyner Koylert a hat band with gilt letters and buckles, a silver mug, a silver rapier handle, 2 dozen silver buttons and 2 square purses." March 24, 1597, "Reynier has received this silverware from Thilman Wichers' sister in the presence of Jan Adriaens ten Oever and Wolter Claes Reyvers, and has receipted for it." Item

about some clothing and one more silver spoon still in Marrien Isebrants' possession. "The goods of Reynier and his sister having been divided, the guardians consent that Marrien Isebrants, the mother, shall have the rents till Reynier is of age, but she must support him till then." (He was about 18.) This inventory was signed March 24, 1597, before the Aldermen Willem Egbers and Harmen Gheryts. March 11, 1600, Jan Adriensz ten Oever proposes to audit the accounts of this inventory as soon as Isebrant Reyners shall return from Amsterdam. (Reyner is now of age.) This Isebrant Reyners could have been a first cousin of Reyner Koylerts, the son of his mother's brother. He could not have been an uncle as he would then have been called Isebrant Isebrants; nor the grandfather Ysebrant Reyniers, as the latter died about 1578, at the time of, or shortly after Reyner Koilert's birth. (Vol. 3202, folio 23.) July 2, 1604, testimony of Lysbet Jans Tonslegers concerning a grave she is to be buried in beside her husband's body, "the white tombstone by the middle gate." She says she is about 70 years old. She mentions her late husband, adding that he died of the plague about 26 years ago. (He was Isebrant Reynerts.) She also mentions his daughter and her step-daughter, Marrichien Isebrants; and his grandson, the present Reyner Koylert. (Vol. 3157, folio 141.)

On April 15, 1611, Reyner Coilert is called Shopkeeper "3 or 4 years ago." (Vol. 3154, folio 29.)

On August 18, 1612, Reyner Koilert, aged about 34 years, appeared as witness. Also at various other times he appeared as a witness, and on May 14, 1622, as Second Sheriff.

On October 23, 1613, Reyner Koilert and Hilbrant van Groningen were appointed guardians of Engeltie, daughter of the late Claes Geerts. (Vol. 3202, folio 390.) January 28, 1614, document concerning a quarrel between Reyner Koilert and Hendrick Claes, the latter being at fault. March 24, 1614, question concerning a right of way over land of Reyner Koilerts. (Vol. 3188.)

May 17, 1614, testimony of the Mayor, Otto Henrix, concerning a legal certificate and marriage articles between Reyner Koilert, Claesien Jans and Jan Henrix Koopman, the parents of Reynier's wife. Jan Henrix is now deceased. Claesien Jans is also called Reyner's "aunt." She might have been the wife of one of his mother's brothers or of his deceased uncle, Engbert Koilert, before she married Koopman; or she could have been Claesien Jans, a daughter of Jan Claes van Marckell, possibly sister of Reynier's aunt, Grieten Jans van Marckell and called "aunt" by courtesy. (She was not a Cuyler or an Isebrant.) The marriage article and certificate were dated November 3, 1613. (Vol. 3188.)

July 17, 1615, further testimony concerning the above certificate and articles. Jan Henrix Koopman is mentioned as being present at the signing, November 3, 1613. (Vol. 3188.)

August 23, 1615, further testimony concerning the above marriage articles: "Claesien Jansz is now married to Arent Hermsz and living at Campen." (Vol. 3188.)

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Interior of the Church at Hasselt, Holland.

On September 23, 1614, Reyner Koilert is called Sergeant of the trainband. Testimony concerning a quarrel between Corporal Roloff Geertsz and Reyner, because the Sergeant found him keeping the watch at the Stone bridge for his father Geert Jansz Rolt and asleep at his post. (Vol. 3188.)

October 28, 1717, action of Frans Claes van der Vecht against Reynier Koilert and others to recover rent of a house. Reynier proved that he had paid the rent and was exempted. Vol. 3158.)

January 24, 1618, Reyner Koilert and Gysbert Mentingh were appointed guardians of the son of the late Pauwels Albarts. (Vol. 3202, folio 391.)

April 14, 1618, among the names of the Aldermen and Council is that of Reyner Koilert. (Vol. 3154, folio 140.)

January —, 1619, mention is made of Reyner Koilert and Roloff Hermsz as guardians of the children of Jan Kolch Claes and the late Jelletien Dercx. (Vol. 3202, folio 108.)

April 16, 1621, Reyner Koilert, aged about 40, 2nd Sheriff and Johannes Vockinguis, clergyman at Rouvene, testify that Claes Frentz, trouper of Rouvene, entered Coilert's house for a glass of beer and picked a quarrel with Michiel Schultingk, threatening to kill him. (Vol. 3188.)

February 26, 1622, on this court day Reyner Koilert was ordered to pay the transport expenses of goods conveyed in behalf of the Sheriff's office. (Vol. 3158.)

On April 5, 1622, mention is made of "the Honorable Judge Reyner Koilert." (Vol. 3158.)

On January 11, 1625, Peter and Reyner Koilert were appointed guardians of the children of the late Andries Koilert and the late Jutte Claes. (Vol. 3202, folio 393.) Children:

+30 Isebrant.

31 Jan, bap. at Hasselt, January 30, 1614. ("Jan Kuylert.")

32 Arentien, bap. at Hasselt, September 18, 1616. Wit. "Derckien Cornelis."

23. Andries Cuyler was a Trummelslager (or Drummer.) He m. Vroutje Lubberts. On December 18, 1617, he was appointed door-keeper of the "Enckpoorte" and "Hecken" (barrière) at the same salary as was paid to his late uncle, Willem Pickert. (Vol. 3158.) On January 11, 1625, mention is made of Vrouwtje, daughter of Lubbert Jacobs, wife of the late Andries Koilert. (Vol. 3188.) February 10, 1625, Roloff Hermsz and Derck Derx Bronneper were appointed guardians of the children of the late Andries Koilert and Vrouwtien Lubberts. (Vol. 3202, folio 393.) On March 6, 1627, Vrouwtje Lubberts appeared, widow of Andries Koilert and now married to Hendrick Welckman, soldier, and Derck Dercxz Bronneper and Roloff Hermsz also appeared as guardians of her son, Joost Andries Koilert, under age. (Vol. 3202, folio 120. Children:

33 Joost, bapt. at Hasselt, September 25, 1614. Wit. Hendrickien Hendrickx, Hendrick Jansz.

34 Trientien, bap. at Hasselt, December 30, 1615. Wit. Hendricken Hendrickx, Koert Ebelinck, Marya Luyckert.

35 Willem, bap. at Hasselt, November 30, 1617. Wit. Hendrycken Hendrycks.

36 Griete, bap. at Hasselt, February 18, 1621. Wit. Hendryckien Hendryckx.

+37 Joost, bap. June 22, 1623. Wit. Reyntien Coeÿlert.

24. Jan Cuyler was a surgeon and organist living in Linghen in 1612. He m. Petertien Lambarts. On April 1, 1617 he was appointed organist to supply the place of his father to begin April 11, 1617. (Vol. 3158.) On December 22, 1619, there was a discussion at the house of Jan Coilerts (the barber) concerning the signing of a petition to elect Mayors. His wife and mother-in-law are mentioned but not named. (Vol. 3188.) August 1, 1620, Jan Koilert, surgeon, aged about 35, appears as a witness. (Vol. 3188.) On February 9, 1627, Petertien widow of the late Jan Coilert, organist of Hasselt, petitioned for arrears of her husband's salary. (Vol. 3159.) Child:

38 Konneken Cuyler, bap. at Hasselt, July 13, 1617. Wit. Evertien Pruis.

30. Isebrant Cuyler was a tailor by trade and married Evertien Jansz. On November 3, 1637, Isebrant Coilert and Toenys Jansen were appointed guardians of the children of the late Gerryt Jansen, skipper. On July 3, 1649, he with Claes Alpherts were appointed guardians of the children of Otto Bommel. On July 22, 1651, he with Jan van Benthem were appointed guardians of the children of Jan Cockx and the late Helmichien Maesen. (Vol. 3202, folios 385–9.) On May 20, 1662, Isebrant Coilert and Claes Alpherts were discharged as guardians of the children of the late Joost Otten van Bommel with thanks from the court for their good guardianship. (Vol. 3202, folio 264.) Children:

39 Hendrykien, bap. at Hasselt, May 9, 1630. Wit. Reyer Coÿert (de Bestevader.)

40 Maria, bap. at Hasselt, July 14, 1633. Wit. Reyndert Koylart, (de Bestevader) Derckien Schnaets.

41 Wolter, bap. at Hasselt, January 17, 1636.

+42 Hendrick the emigrant whose baptism is recorded in "Der Doopboek der Gemeente Hasselt" as follows:

11 August 1637.	Vader en Moders Isebrant Coÿlaert, Kleremā* Evertien Jansz	Kinders Henderyck

+43 Reynier.†

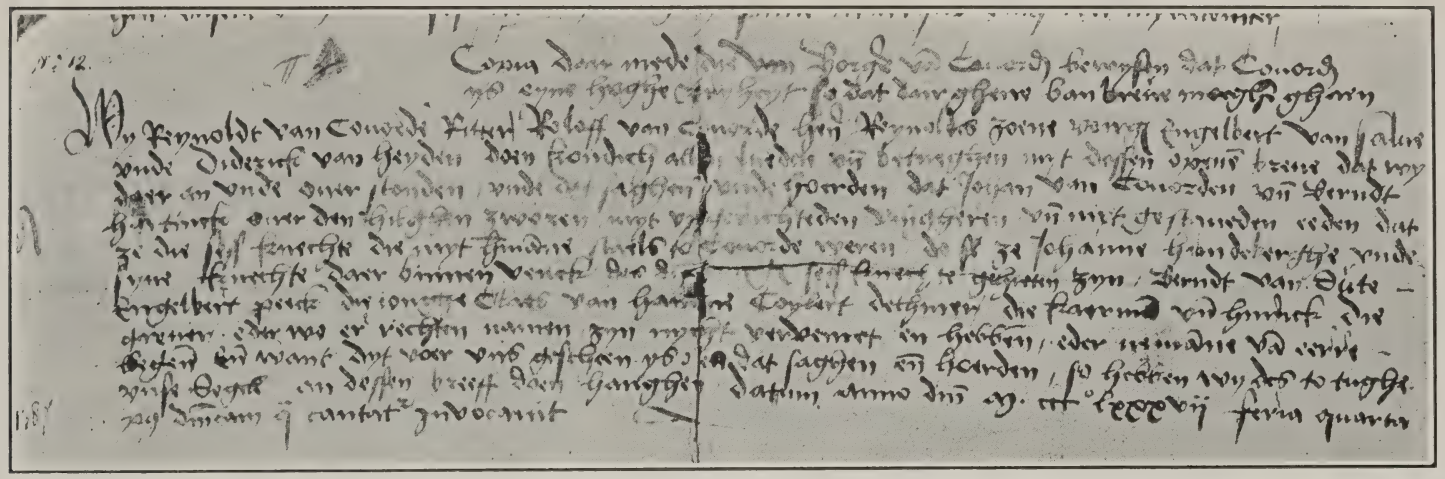
44 Jan, bap. at Hasselt, February 21, 1649.

45 Cornelis, bap. at Hasselt, July 18, 1652.

37. Joost Cuyler m. Vrougien Hermans. On September 1, 1674, guardians were appointed for the children of Joost Coilert

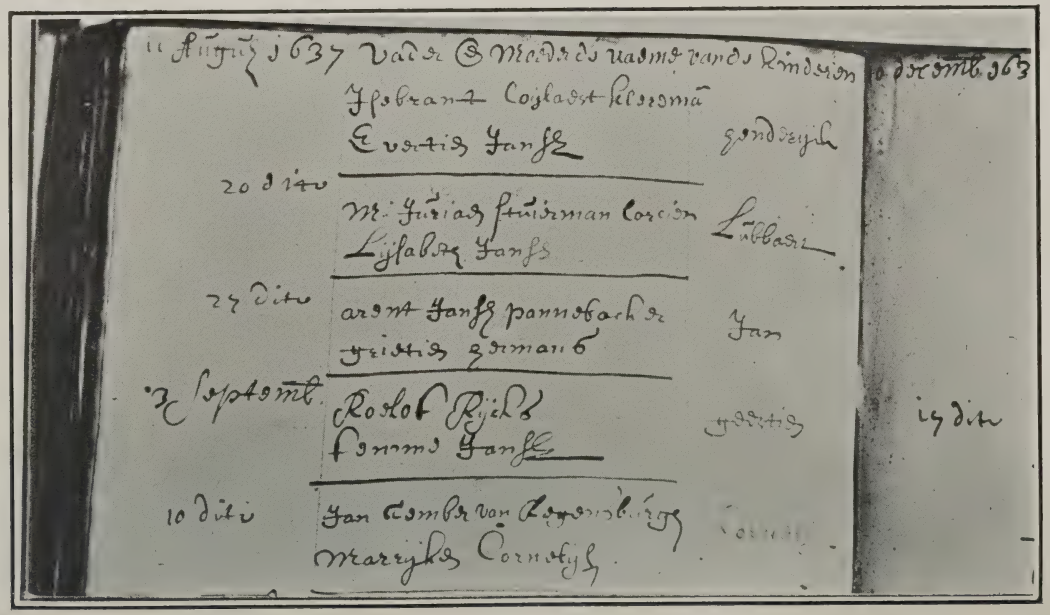
* Tailor.

† Between the years 1637 and 1648 the baptismal register was lost. At the time of his marriage Reynier deposed that he was 25 years of age. He was therefore born in 1642.



Act dated February 27, 1387, of the City of Koevorden, Province of Drenthe, which contains the earliest mention of the name of Cuyler.

Record of Hendrick Cuyler's baptism, August 11, 1637.



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and his first wife, Vrougien Hermans. (Vol. 3202, folio 379.) Child:

46 Hillegien, bap. at Hasselt, February 4. 1657.

42. Hendrick Cuyler born in Hasselt, emigrated to America. He was a tailor by trade. He married about 1660, Anna Schepmoes. Riker's *Harlem* (1904), p. 364, says: "Hendrik Cuyler married Anna Schepmoes at New Amsterdam and about 1664 went to Albany, where he acquired property. He eventually returned to New York, and with his wife united with the church by letter, November 29, 1688. He died soon after, in 1690." In 1664, he bought a lot of land on the east side of North Pearl Street, Albany, near State Street. In 1669 he was in New York, for he stood sponsor with Lysbeth Pieters, his wife's aunt, in that year for the child of Hendrick Aertzen and Aeltie Claes. (D. C. B. Vol. I, p. 95.) In 1675 he made his brother, Reynier Cuyler, "cnoopemaecker tot Amsterdam" (button maker of Amsterdam) his attorney to receive certain property of Pieter Nicholas Gouverneur, then residing in Amsterdam, Holland. In 1677 Hendrick Cuyler and his wife were in Amsterdam, Holland, where on November 4, they stood sponsors for the child of his brother, Reynier Cuyler, and Petronella Wouters, his wife. In 1680 he owned a lot on the south side of State Street, "near ye fort," in Albany, which after his death passed into the possession of his son-in-law, Peter van Brugh. The latter applied for permission to build a home upon the said land. On January 2, 1680, in Albany, Nicholas de Meyer made a contract as agent for Hendrick Cuyler of Albany, with Jan Nagel Jan Dyckman, Arent Bussing, Adolph Meyer and Jan Delamater to "hew timber for Hendrick Cuyler's house, to be delivered in the ensuing May; part to be delivered at the water side and part in New York at the Burgher's Path for which they were to receive 1300 guilders and ½ ancker of rum, to wit ⅓ in silver money or sewant, ⅓ in good winter wheat, and ⅓ in goods at such price as he (de Meyer) sells at his store for currant sewant." It would seem from this that he built his house in New York and brought the timber down the Hudson. In 1683 he and his wife were members of the church of Jesus Christ, Albany, N. Y. On October 14, 1685, he was commissioned Lieutenant of a Foot Company for the county of Albany, of which John Wendall was Captain. On October 20, 1685, he was commissioned a Justice for the town and county of Albany. On August 16, 1686, he was licensed to purchase a certain piece of land called Adorguta, near to Clausgrowen hook, in the neighborhood of Schenectady, containing about 30 acres of lowland and 50 acres of upland. On September 1, 1686, he petitioned for a license to purchase a piece of land near Schenectady. A patent for land above Schenectady was granted to him on March 30, 1687. License to purchase land of the Indians at Long Reach, below Esopus, was granted May 4, 1687. He was commissioned Major of all the Foot Companies in the city and county of New York on December 16, 1689, at the time of the French and Indian War. *Documents Relating to the*

Colonial History of New York, Vol. 3, has the following mentions of Hendrick Cuyler: Alderman of Albany 1687; Lieut. of Capt. DePeyster's company; complains of Capt. Nicholson in 1689; delivers Ft. James to the Leislerians 1689; Captain of the Fort 1689; his affidavit transmitted to England 1689; substance of his affidavit; mentioned as Major in 1689; one of Leisler's Council 1689; Drags Mr. Tudor to the Fort.

His will in low Dutch in his own handwriting is dated March 21, 1690. It was translated by Abraham Gouverneur September 7, 1690. His wife took out Letters of Administration on it November 17, 1690. It was witnessed by Capt. Gerrit Duyckinck and Ensign Pieter de Mill. He named his children in the order given below; directs that "his seal, his gold ring and one silver spoon shall be given to his youngest son Henry," that the underaged children shall be taught to read and write; and he appoints as guardians to his children his brothers-in-law, John van Giesen, Johannes de Wandelaer and Gerrit Hardenberg. He was dead on May 1, 1690, for on that date his widow Anna appeared in Albany in a law suit. His will is filed in the Surrogate's Office, City and County of New York. Liber 14 A, p. 124.

Annetje Schepmoes, his wife, was baptised in the New York Dutch Church February 16, 1642. She was the daughter of Jan Janse Schepmoes and Sarah Pieters. *The Register of Betrothments, Archives of Amsterdam* has the following: "December 27, 1631, appeared (before the the commissaries of the marriage matters) Jan Jansz Schepmoes of Delft, seafaring man, 26 years of age, orphan, residing in the Brouwerstraat and Saara Pieters of Hoorn, 22 years of age, orphan, living in the Moriaansteegje, assisted by her sister Lysbeth Pieters. Requesting their three proclamations in the church," etc. Jan Janse Schepmoes died in New Amsterdam in January, 1656, and on October 7th of the same year his widow married Willem Cook.

Anna Schepmoes' will is dated July 3, 1702, and was proved March 18, 1702-3. In it her children are given in the same order as in her husband's will. She was buried in the Dutch Churchyard in Nassau Street, New York City. Her will is filed in Liber 7, p. 93, New York, Surrogate's Office. On May 2, 1690, mention is made of an account of Anna, widow of Henry Cuyler, for sundries delivered to the Government. On November 20, 1696, Anna Cuyler in New York shipped goods to Charles Ludowicks, a merchant in London, by the "good ship Calles."

The baptism of only one of their children has been found. Children:

+47 Johannes, b. at New Amsterdam about 1661.
+48 Abraham.
+49 Sarah.
+50 Delia.
+51 Rachel.
+52 Maria, b. March 3, 1678, bap. N. Y. Dutch Church, March 13, 1678.

In the name of God

Amen —

Bell it known & manyfest unto all People that I Anna Cuyler Widdow of Henry Cuyler late of this City Merchant deceased being at this present time of Sound memory & understanding (thanks be to God for the Same) altho' very Sick & weak in body considering the Fraulty of this present life the certainty of death & the uncertain time & hour thereof being therefore willing to dispose of my Temporall Estate I have thought fit to nominate & apoint & I do hereby ordain these presents to be my last free & uncontrouled Will & Testament in manner foll^g revoking & annulling all former Wills and Testaments by mee heretofore made —

Imprimis I bequeath my Soul into the Mercyfull hands of the most mighty Jehovah hoping & only trusting for mercy & the Pardon of my manyfold Sinns & transgressions in & through the meritorious death & passion of the Lord Jesus Christ my Saviour and Redeemer, And my body to the Earth there to be Decently interr'd according to the discretion of my Executors hereafter named in hopes of a most glorious Resurrection at the last day, And for my Temporall Estate the Same is to be disposed of in manner & form following Viz.

Verbo

Myndert Schuyler & my Well beloved Daughters Mary & Eve to be the Executors & Executrixes of this my last Will & Testament & Accordingly I do hereby commit unto them or the major part of them the Execution of these presents

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal in New York this third day of July in the first year of her Majesties Reigne Annoq. Dnd 1702.

Signed Sealed and Published As the last Will & Testament of Anna Cuyler —

The words (unto my daughter Eve) in the 2d pag: Line the Twentyeth being first enterlined before Signing sealing or Publishing —

David Prowoost

J. V. Riemer

Abrah. Gouverneur

The Testatrix did further declare that all & every the devises & gifts in these presents mentioned of any & all the real Estate hereby & thereby to be granted are to be understood to be for the severall persons to them & their heires for ever that is to say to Jeannes Cuyler & his heires for ever Abraham Cuyler & his heires for ever, Hendrick Cuyler & his heires for ever Sarah the wife of Peter van Brugh & her heires for ever Delia the wife of Jeannes Groenendyk & her heires for ever, Rachell the wife of Myndert Schuyler & her heires for ever Mary Cuyler & her heires for ever & Eve Cuyler & her heires for ever — Witness her hand & seale the same day & year —

The Mark

Anna Cuyler

Testes Joseph Mallinson

David Prowoost

J. V. Riemer Abrah. Gouverneur

First and last pages of the will of Anna Cuyler, 1702.

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+53 Eva.
+54 Henry, b. 1677.

43. Reynier Cuyler m. Pieternelle Wouters, daughter of Aefie Wouters of Amsterdam, on April 16, 1667. He was aged 25, she was aged 30. Her mother was the witness. He was a button-maker by trade. Children:

55 Isebrant, b. in 1669. On January 29, 1696, Isebrant Kuylaert, aged 25, assisted by his mother, Pieternelle Wouters, and Susanna Lewisz, van Amsterdam, aged 23, assisted by her mother, Annetje Broogh, were married.
56 Hendrick, bap. at Amsterdam, November 4, 1677. Wit. Hendrick Cuylart, Annetje Schepmoes.

47. Johannes Cuyler m. in Albany, Elsje Ten Broeck, November 2, 1684. He was admitted a Freeman of New York City, February 13, 1696–7. He owned a lot on the east side of Pearl Street, Albany, south of Steuben Street. He was a trader by profession, and an Indian Commissioner for a number of terms, beginning with 1706. He was a Justice of Albany and Mayor of Albany, 1725–6. He died there and was buried in the Church of Jesus Christ, July 20, 1740. His wife, Elsje Ten Broeck, was the daughter of Major Dirck Wesselse Ten Broeck and Christina Cornelisse van Buren, who were married in 1663. Elsje Ten Broeck Cuyler d. June 29, 1752, and was buried in the Church of Jesus Christ, Albany, July 2, 1752. Their children were all born in Albany except Cornelius. Children:

57 Anna, born Nov. 26, 1685, bap. Nov. 29, 1685* m. June 24, 1712, in Albany. Anthony Van Schaick (son of Anthony Van Schaick and Maria Vander-Poel.) He was born June 3, 1682, died Aug. 13, 1759. Anna Cuyler was his second wife. She d. March 9, 1743, and was buried in the Albany Church.
58 Christina, b. Sept. 1, bap. Sept. 25, 1687; d. in infancy.
59 Christina, bap. Dec. 4, 1689, died unmarried, Nov. 18, 1755 bur. Nov. 20, in the Albany Church.
60 Hendrick, bap. Jan. 10, 1691–2, d. unmarried, April 15, 1724, bur. in the Albany Church.
61 Sara, bap. Oct. 22, 1693, m. April 25, 1723, in Albany, Hans Hanszen (son of Hendrick Janszen and Deborah Van Dam.) He was bap. in Albany, June 30, 1695, buried in the Albany Church,† December 6, 1756. He was Mayor of Albany, 1731–2, and 1754–6.
62 Elsie, bap. Aug. 25, 1695, m. Oct. 25, 1724, Hendrick Johannes Rosenboom (son of Johannes Rosen-

* All baptisms, marriages and deaths in Albany given in this article are taken from The Holland Society Year Books, 1904–1906, and Pearsons' Albany Settlers.

† Church of Jesus Christ, Albany, N. Y.

boom and Gerritje Costars.) He was bap. Aug. 4, 1689, and was bur. in the Albany Church, Oct. 29, 1754. She was bur. July 2, 1752.

63 Cornelius, bap. in New York Dutch Church, Feb. 14, 1697, m. Dec. 8, 1726, Catalyntje, dau. of Johannes Schuyler and Elizabeth Staats. She was bapt. March 5, 1704–5, and d. Feb. 21, 1758. He d. March 14, 1765.

64 Johannes, b. Feb. 12, 1699, bap. Feb. 19, 1699, bur. in the Albany Church, Oct. 27, 1746. He m. Oct. 28, 1727, Catharina, dau. of Hermanus Wendel and Anna Glen. She was bap. Jan. 10, 1705, d. April 12, 1746, bur. April 14, 1746, in the Albany Church.

65 Maria, b. Nov. 20, bap. Nov. 25, 1702, m. in Albany, Oct. 12, 1733, Cornelius Cuyler Ten Broeck (son of Wessel Ten Broeck and Caatje Loockermans.) He was b. March 6, 1706, d. 1772.

66 Elizabeth, bap. May 13, 1705, m. Dec. 29, 1732, Jacob Sanderson Glen. He was bap. at Schenectady, Oct. 17, 1703, bur. in the Albany Church, April 16, 1746. He was the son of Johannes Glen and Jannetje Bleecker.

67 Rachel, bap. Sept. 21, 1707.

68 Rachel, bap. Nov. 27, 1709.

Both died in infancy. Not mentioned in their father's will.

48. Abraham Cuyler m. in the Church of Jesus Christ, Albany, Nov. 17, 1689, Caatje Bleecker. He was a trader and a Justice of Peace in Albany, 1715. He was bur. in the Albany Church, July 14, 1747. His will dated May 11, 1742, was proved Oct. 10, 1747, and is recorded in Liber 16, p. 179, New York Surrogate's Office. Caatje Bleecker (dau. of Jan. Janse Bleecker and Margaret Rutgers Van Schoenderwoert) was b. May 1, 1670, and d. April 8, 1734, bur. in the Albany Church, April 11, 1734. Children:

69 Hendrick, b. Dec. 22, bap. Dec. 25, 1690, New York Dutch Church. Lived and d. in Albany. He m. Dec. 9, 1722, Margaret, dau. of William Jacobs Van Deusen and Elisabeth Rosenboom. She was bap. April 14, 1695. His will is dated March 11, 1761, and was proved March 17, 1767.

70 Margarete, b. in Albany, Oct. 26, bap. Oct. 30, 1692, m. Nov. 26, 1714, Dirck Ten Broeck. (See *Runk's Ten Broeck Gen.*, p. 56.)

71 Anna, bap. at Albany, April 14, 1695, d. Nov. 17, 1709.

72 Johannes, b. in Albany, June 21, bap. June 26, 1698, m. Catharine Glen (dau. of Johannes Glen and Jannetie Bleecker.) She was bap. Sept. 8, 1699.

73 Sarah, bap. in Albany, April 28, 1700, d. in infancy.

74 Maria, b. March 30, bap. April 4, 1703, in Albany, d. Feb. 16, 1722.

75 Sarah, bap. Oct. 6, 1706, in Albany.

76 Catharine, b. in Albany, Feb. 18, bap. Feb. 20, 1709, m. Aug. 17, 1736, Jacob Coenraedts Ten Eyck (son of Coenraedts Ten Eyck and Grietje Van Schaick). He was b. April 21, 1705.

77 Abraham, bap. in Albany, Dec. 27, 1713, m. May 5, 1744, Jannetje Beekman.

78 Nicholas, bap. June 28, 1716, m. May 11, 1745, Maria, dau. of Jeremias and Susanna Schuyler, bap. April 17, 1726. She d. in Albany, Feb. 21, 1758.

49. Sarah Cuyler, m. Capt. Pieter Van Brugh, Nov. 21, 1688, New York Dutch Church. She d. in Albany and was bur. there, May 11, 1742. He was bap. New York Dutch Church, July 14, 1666. Child:

79 Catharine, bap. New York Dutch Church, Nov. 10, 1689, m. Sept. 19, 1707, Philip Livingston (son of Robert Livingston, first Lord of the Manor, and Alida Schuyler, widow of Nicholas Van Rensselaer.) He was born in Albany, July 9, 1686, and d. Feb. 4, 1748–9. (See *Livingstons of Callendar* for their children.)

50. Delia Cuyler, m. Johannes Groenendyck, Sept. 19, 1694, New York Dutch Church. He was bap. in New York Dutch Church, March 24, 1675, and was the son of Pieter Groenendyck and Marritie de Lanöy. He was Sheriff of Albany Co. in 1698–9, and later settled in Schenectady, where he was a trader. He d. in Dec., 1739, and was bur. in Schenectady. Children:

80 Mary, bap. New York Dutch Church, Sept. 16, 1696.

81 Anna, bap. New York Dutch Church, Dec. 3, 1697.

82 Sara, bap. in Albany, April 28, 1700.

83 Pieter, bap. in Albany, Sept. 7, 1701.

84 Hendrick, bap. in Albany, Sept. 19, 1703.

51 Rachel Cuyler, m. Oct. 26, 1693, New York Dutch Church, Capt. Myndert Davitse Schuyler. She died in Albany, July 22, 1747, in her 74th year, and was bur. in the Albany Church, July 24, 1747. He was the son of David Pieterse Schuyler of Amsterdam and Catalina Ver Planck, his wife, who were m. Oct. 13, 1657. He was Mayor of Albany, 1719–21, and 1723–25, and was bur. in Albany, Oct. 21, 1755. (*N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec.*, Vol. 5.) Children:

85 Anna, bap. Feb. 28, 1697, m. Nov. 24, 1715, Johannes de Peyster.

86 Rachel, m. Tobias Ten Eyck.

52. Maria Cuyler, m. March 5, 1703, New York Dutch Church, Jan Kruger (John Cruger.) She d. Sept. 14, 1724, and was bur. in the New York Dutch Churchyard. He came to America prior to 1700 and settled in New York. He was Mayor of New York from 1739 until his death, Aug. 13, 1744. He was bur. in the New York Dutch Churchyard. (See *Cruger Chart*, by Hasell.) Children:

87 Anna, b. March 28, bap. March 29, 1704.

88 Tieleman b. and bap. Nov. 11, 1705. He d. unmarried, Nov. 16, 1730, and was bur. New York Dutch Churchyard. This is the man for whom Telamon Cuyler (No. 111) was named.

89 Henry, b. Nov. 25, bap. Nov. 26, 1707, m. 1st, Hannah Sloughter of Jamaica (dau. of Wm. Sloughter and Hannah Phillips and widow of Patrick Montgomery), m. 2d, Elizabeth Harris. He d. Feb. 5, 1780, Bristol, England.

90 John, b. July 18, bap, July 19, 1710. He d. unmarried, Dec. 27, 1791. He was Mayor of New York, 1756–1765.

91 Maria, born Jan. 6, bap. June 8, 1712, d. July 20, 1715, New York City.

92 Sarah, b. Dec. 5, bap. Dec. 8, 1714, d. March 4, 1766, bur. New York Dutch Church yard.

93 Maria, b. May 10, bap. May 11, 1718, d. April 14, 1787, bur. April 15, New York Dutch Churchyard.

94 Rachel, b. May 10, bap. May 14, 1721, d. March 25, 1775, bur. March 26, New York Dutch Churchyard.

53. Eva Cuyler, m. Aug. 26, 1712, Dom. Petrus Van Driesen, and was bur. in the church beside her husband, on August 10, 1756. He was a native of Belgium. He matriculated at Groningen University, Nov. 2, 1705. giving his residence as Coevorden. He became minister of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church of Albany in 1712, and was the seventh minister. He was also acting minister for Kinderhook, 1712–27, and for Linlithgow, 1722–37, and preached occasionally in Schenectady. He was in addition, missionary to the neighboring Indians. His will dated January 29, 1737–38, was proved September 20, 1738. He died February 1, 1738, and was bur. February 3, in the old stone church, at the foot of State Street, Albany, which was built during his ministry there. Children:

95 Petrus, bap. at Albany, Jan. 17, 1714.

96 Hendrick, bap. at Albany, Oct. 30, 1715.

97 Johannes, bap. at Albany, Sept. 29, 1717.

98 Anna, bap. at Albany, Nov. 15, 1719.

99 Maria, bap. at Albany, Sept. 16, 1722. She was dead by Jan. 29, 1737–8, the date of her father's will.

54. Henry Cuyler, m. April 1, 1710, in New York Dutch Church, Maria Jacobs, daughter of Hendrick Jacobszen and Anna Fell, granddaughter of Simon Fell of Dieppe and Anna Vincent, and great-granddaughter of Adrian Vincent. She was bap. in New York Dutch Church, July 31, 1692. He was a merchant and trader and owner of several vessels. In 1738 he was Captain of a militia company in New York. His will, dated July 23, 1763, was proved December 20, 1766. Recorded in Liber 26, p. 376, New York Surrogate's Office. He died in New York, Dec. 13, 1766, aged 89 years. *Holt's New York Journal* for Thursday, Dec. 18, 1766, contains the following: "On Saturday last, departed this Life aged 89 years, Henry Cuyler, Esq.; for many years an eminent merchant in this city, and said to be one of the old-

In the Name of God Amen I Henry Cuyler of the City of New York Merchant being in good Health and of sound and disposing Mind and Memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following hereby revoking all former Wills by me heretofore made And First I resign my Soul to the Great and most Merciful God who made it in Hopes thro' the alone Merits and Mediation of Jesus Christ to have a joyful Resurrection to Life eternal and my Body I commit to the Earth to be decently interred at the Discretion of my Executors hereinafter named and as for my worldly Estate I dispose thereof as follows that is to say I do first appoint all my Debts and funeral Expences to be paid out of my Personal Estate by my Executors hereinafter named Item I do further will and direct that as soon as conveniently may be after my Decease my Executors shall make a true and just Inventory of all my Goods Wares Merchandizes Stock in Trade and Personal Estate whatsoever and the same shall convert into Money within nine Months after my Decease Item I do also hereby will order and direct that my Executors herein after named shall within nine Months after my Decease sell and dispose of all my dwelling Houses Store Houses Lots of Ground and real Estate whatsoever in the City and Province of New York and elsewhere in America and for that Purpose I do give grant and transfer unto my said Executors or to the Majority of them or the Majority of the Survivors of them full Power and Authority to grant alienate bargain sell

above Legacies I give devise and bequeath unto all my Children their Heirs Executors and Administrators equally to be divided between them share and share alike And Whereas all my Executors are indebted to me I will and direct that each of their respective Debts shall be deemed and considered as so much of his or her respective Share and Legacy herein before given and bequeathed to each of my said Children respectively And I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my said Sons Henry John Coleman and Abraham Executors of this my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal the twenty third Day of July in the sixth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c and in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty three

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Henry Cuyler the Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the Presence of us who at request and Names as Witnesses thereto in his Presence

Henry Cuyler

Wm Livingston
Michael Kelsey
Robt R Livingston Junr

1766 Feb 22 proved by the Oaths of Robt R Livingston Junr Esq Gent. Freeman and Henry Cuyler Junr Esq

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est Inhabitants in it. He has left behind him a very numerous and respectable Progeny." Children:

100 Anna, bap. New York Dutch Church, Feb. 25, 1711, m. New York Dutch Church, Feb. 12, 1735, Richard Langdon. His will dated July 24, 1755, was proved Oct. 29, 1757.

101 Maria, bap. New York Dutch Church, Feb. 29, 1712, m. 1st, Feb. 3, 1740, Barent Rynders. He was bur. New York Dutch Church, Sept. 17, 1740. She m. 2nd, Nov. 17, 1748, John Amory. Her will is dated Oct. 20, 1758, and was proved Nov. 28, 1758.

102 Sara, bap. New York Dutch Church, Nov. 15, 1713, m. Thomas Bayeux.

103 Henry, bap. New York Dutch Church, Sept. 25, 1715, m. March 10, 1743, Alida Rynders. She was bur. in 1774, in New York Dutch Church. He d. at Perth Amboy, N. J., Sept. 17, 1770, and was bur. in the "new Dutch Church Yard," New York City. *Holt's New York Journal* for Thursday, Sept. 20, 1770, has the following: "On Monday last died of a lingering illness at Amboy, where he had retired for the Benefit of his health, Mr. Henry Cuyler of this city, a gentleman of a very respectable family large Fortune and Fair Character, whose death is much lamented. Next Evening at his House in town his Funeral was attended by a great number of his Friends and Acquaintance and his Remains interred in the New Dutch Church Yard."

104 Jacobus, bap. New York Dutch Church, Aug. 30, 1717. He is not mentioned in his father's will dated July 23, 1763.

105 Rachel, bap. New York Dutch Church, March 29, 1719, d. in infancy.

106 Rachel, bap. New York Dutch Church, Oct. 9, 1720, m. in New York Dutch Church, 1st, Jan. 2, 1742, Henry Lane, and 2nd, John Hansen, on Dec. 10, 1764. She is mentioned in the will of Peter van Brugh Livingston, dated September 18, 1792, when she was still living.

107 Catharina, bap. New York Dutch Church, Nov. 28, 1722, m. Feb. 3, 1748, Isaac Latouche, in New York Dutch Church.

108 Johannes, bap. New York Dutch Church, Nov. 11, 1724.

109 Elizabeth, bap. New York Dutch Church, Jan. 15, 1727, m. John McCleve. She is mentioned in the will of Peter Van Brugh Livingston, dated Sept. 18, 1792.

110 Helena, bap. New York Dutch Church, May 10, 1729, bur. Oct. 13, 1731.

+111 Teleman, bap. New York Dutch Church, Feb. 6, 1732. m. Nov. 25, 1764, Jeanne Latouche, dau. of Jérémie Latouche and Jeanne Soumain. She was bap. in the French Church, N. Y., July 30, 1738.

112 Abraham, bap. New York Dutch Church, May 4, 1735.

111. Telamon Cuyler was a mariner and merchant of New York. Also a trader in the West Indies. In the Autumn of 1768 he emigrated to Savannah, Georgia, and settled there. He died there, Sept. 29, 1772, and was bur. in the Old Burial Ground, now City Park. His wife, Jeanne[4] Latouche (Jérémie,[3] Isaac,[2] Pierre[1]) died in September, 1799, and was bur. "Sept. 22 or 23" in the New York Dutch Church. Their son:

Jeremiah La Touche Cuyler, b. June 4, 1768, m. April 21, 1793, Margaret Elizabeth Clarendon, daughter of Smith Clarendon and Margherita Meck. He was taken to Savannah, Ga.. by his father, at the age of five months. He studied law under John Stirk, an eminent lawyer, and was admitted to the bar in 1789. He settled in Waynesborough, Burke Co., Ga. He was a Federal Judge and Lieutenant in the Georgia Militia. He d. May 6, 1839, and was bur. in Laurel Grove Cemetery at Savannah, Ga. His wife was born Dec. 27, 1777, d. Aug. 8, 1835, and bur. in Laural Grove Cemetery, Savannah, Ga. Their son:

Richard Randolph Cuyler, b. Oct. 19, 1796, at Savannah, Ga., m. Dec. 22, 1819, Mississippi Gordon, daughter of Ambrose Gordon and Elizabeth Mead (Col. William,[2] John[1]). He was named for his father's friend, Richard Randolph of Virginia. He was a successful lawyer and Second President of the Central Railroad and Banking Co. of Georgia, succeeding his brother-in-law, William Washington Gordon, with whom he was in law partnership. He d. April 18, 1865, in Macon, Ga., and was bur. in Laurel Grove Cemetery, Savannah, Ga. His wife, Mississippi[4] Gordon, (Ambrose,[3] Jonathan Rhea,[2] Peter[1]) was b. Jan. 18, 1800, and d. Feb. 15, 1833, bur. Laurel Grove Cemetery. Their daughter:

Elizabeth Margaret Cuyler, b. March 1, 1823, at Savannah, m. 1st, Dec. 17, 1844, William Hunter[7] Churchill, son of Inspector General Sylvester[6] Churchill, U. S. A., (Joseph,[5] Joseph,[4] Barnabas[3], Joseph,[2] John[1]) and Lucy[6] Hunter (William,[4] David,[3] Jonathan,[2] William[1]). She m. 2nd, Col. Ebenezer S. Sibley of Detroit, Michigan, who d. Aug. 14, 1884. She d. in Dresden, Saxony, 1888, and was bur. in Detroit. William Hunter Churchill was b. at Ft. Wood, Bedlo's Island, New York Harbor, July 8, 1819. He was a graduate of West Point, 1840, and was made 2nd Lieutenant 3rd Artillery. He served at Ft. Columbus, N. Y., 1840–42, New Orleans Barracks, La., 1842; St. Augustine, Fla., 1842; Ft. McHenry, Md., 1842–3; Ft. Moultrie, S. C., 1843–5. On June 27, 1843, he became 1st Lieutenant. Served in the Mexican War and promoted, May 9, 1846, to Brevet Capt. for gallant and distinguished services in the battles of Palo Alto and Resaca De La Palma, Texas. He was wounded in the Battle of Palo Alto on May 8, 1846, and died of his wounds at Point Isabell, Texas, Oct. 19, 1847. He was quartermaster of the Captain's Staff and Ass't. Quartermaster at Ft. Polk, Point Isabel, Texas. He was bur. in Laurel Grove Cemetery, Savannah, Ga. Their son:

Richard Cuyler Churchill, b. Dec. 12, 1845, at Savannah, Ga., m. in New York City, Nov. 22, 1866, Josephine[6] Young, daughter of Henry Young,[5] (Alexander,[4] James,[3] Alexander,[2] Alexander[1]) and Anne[6] Mason (Charles,[5] Benjamin,[4] Charles,[3]

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Benjamin,[2] Sampson[1]). He graduated at West Point, June 18, 1866, and was commissioned 2nd Lieut. in the 4th Artillery. Promoted 1st Lieut., July 28, 1866. He was stationed at Fort Whipple, near Washington; Fort Delaware, Del.; Philadelphia, and at the academy at West Point, where he was acting Assistant Professor of drawing. He resigned Sept. 1, 1872. He died June 24, 1879, at Ossining, N. Y. Josephine Young Churchill m. 2d, William Birney. She was born Oct. 25, 1847, in Brooklyn, N. Y., and now resides abroad. Their daughter:

MAUD CHURCHILL, b. at West Point, N. Y., July 12, 1871; m. Dec. 11, 1890, De Lancey Nicoll. Their children are De Lancey, Jr., and Josephine Churchill Nicoll.

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BAPTISMS.

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DATE	PARENTS	CHILD	WITNESSES
1750.			
Nov. 7.	Vincent Robert Annatje Van Etten	Antje	Petrus van Etten, Lisabeth Robert
	John Right Alida Dingenman	John	William Right, Evje Dingenman
	Isaac Slover Elisabeth Robert	Abraham	Vincent Robert, Annatje van Etten, his wife
	Jacobus Devoor Evje Dingenman	John	Willem Devoor, Catharina Schoonmaker, his wife
	Michiel Palmetier Lydia Kuykendal	Margarita	Johannes Kuykendal, Clara Quick
	Jacob Roef Catharina Mykreed	Hans Michel	Hans Adam Adam, Catharina Mykreed
Nov. 18.	Pieter Gemaer Tjaati De Witt	Elisabeth	Benjamin Dupuy and wife, Elisabeth Swartwout
	Philip Swartwout Antje Wynkoop	Jacobus	Jacobus Swartwout and wife, Antje Westbroeck
	Benjamin Westbr. Vernooy Lydia Westfael	Elisabeth	Benjamin Thomson, Elisabeth Westfael, his wife
Dec. 2.	Daniel Westfael Maria Westbroeck	Antony	Antony Westbroeck, Aeltje van Etten, his wife

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1750.			
Dec. 16.	John Prys Lucretia Ramsey	Johannes	Johannes Westbroeck, Lena Westbroeck, his wife
Dec. 30.	J. C. Fryenmoet Magdalena van Etten	Maria	Johannes van Etten, Maria Consales, his wife
	Jan A. Rosa Catharina Van Etten	Rebecca	Antony Westbroeck, Aeltje van Etten, his wife
1751.			
Jan. 20.	Cornelis van Etten Heyltje Westbroeck	Johannes	Johannes van Etten. Maria Consales, his wife
Feb. 10.	Manuel Consales Jannetje Van Etten	Elisabeth	Daniel Consales, Elisabeth Van Vliet
Feb. 24.	Abram Shymer Lena Westbroeck	Marie	Daniel Westfael and wife, Marie Westbroeck
	Jacobus Quick Jenneke van Aken	Cornelis	Cornelis Quick, Catharina Quick
	Benjamin Westfael Annatje van Aken	Jacobus	Johannes Westfael and wife, Aplony Kortrecht
	onecht Hanna Middagh	Benjamin	Jan. A. Rosa, Antje Rosa
March 24.	Johannes Westbroeck Magdalena Westbroeck	Elisabeth	Cornelis Westbroeck, Jun., Elisabeth Kittel, his wife
	Abram Hooghteeling Hoornbeeck Cathrina Terwilge	Jannetje	Symon Westfael and wife, Jennetje Westbroeck
	Evert Hoornbeeck Lena Kuddebek	Evert	Jsack van Aken, Rachel De Witt, his wife
April 5.	Thomas Morfi Mary Lundy	John	Jan Van Etten and wife, Maritje Westfael
	Andries Cole Sara Schomaker	Andries	Herman Rosenkranz, Mary Stout, his wife
	John Wordly Beletje Decker	Cornelis	Jacobus Westfael, Jannetje Decker, his wife
May 7.	Isack Schoonhoven Catharina Van Vlieren	Debora	Hieronymus Van Vlieren, Sara Devoor
	Paul De Witt Catharina Dupuy	Sara	Johannes Dupuy, Rachel Devoor, his wife

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1751.			
May 7.	Johannes Kuykendal Clara Quick	Jacobus	John Bight, Alida Dingenman, his wife
May 7.	John Hoeper Maria Bishoff	Joseph	Martin Feber, Anna Maria Conterman, his wife
May 19.	Symon Westfael Jannetje Westbroeck	Jan De Witt	Johannes Westbroeck and wife, Magdalena Westbroeck
	Johannes van Garden Margriet Quick	Petrus	Petrus Kortrecht, Lisabeth Brinck
Aug. 14.	Johannes Kuykendal Lisabeth Decker	Jacob	Mattheus Terwilge, Sara Terwilge
	Petrus Quick Johanna Consales	Philippus	Philippus Swartwout, Antje Wynkoop, his wife
Sept. 8.	Antony Van Etten Annatje Decker	Thomas	Thomas Decker, Jenneke Van Nimwegen, his wife
	Jacob Westbroeck Lydia Westfael	Johannes	Johannes Westbroeck and wife, Magdalena Westbroeck
	John Chandlar Margriet Robert	Hester	Abram Codebek and wife, Hester Swartwout
Oct. 6.	Johannes Westfael Apollonia Kortrecht	Joseph	Abram Van Aken, Jr., Elisabeth van Bunschoten
	Johannes van Etten Maria Consales	Magdalena	J. C. Fryenmoet, Magdalena Van Etten, his wife
Aug. 18.	Christiaen Kiersbi Antje Vredenburgh	Josua	Willem Van Garden, Jenneken van Garden, his wife
	William Ennes Elisabeth Quick	Joseph	Joseph Westbroeck, Elisabeth Kuykendal, his wife
	Thomas Heely Elisabeth Fishcharrelt	John	Mattheus Brinck, Elizabeth Brinck
Sept. 31.	Daniel Devoor Lydia Westfael	Brechie	Thomas Quick, Brechie Middagh, his wife
	Mattheus Devoor Neeltje Schermerhoorn	David	David Devoor, Gerretje Hydt

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1751.			
Sept. 21.	Michiel Henneshit Lisabeth Schermerhoorn	Sara	Lucas Schermerhoorn, Sara Tyse
	Hendrick Kuykendal Elisabeth Cole	Annatje	Johannes Westbroeck, Sara Tack, his wife
Nov. 12.	Andries Decker Dievertje Maul	Jacob	Jacob Van Aken, Margriet van Garden
	Aert Varway Cornelia Kermer	Hendricus	Jan Kermer, Lisabeth Kermer
Nov. 20.	Jsak Middagh Femmetje Decker	Jsak	Petrus Kuykendal, Jenneke Terwilge
Nov. 18.	David Cole Eleonora Westfael	Samuel	Samuel Van Vliet, Johanna Westfael
Dec. 29.	Benjamin Westbroeck Cathrina Westbroeck	Wilhelmus	Cornelis Westbroeck, Antje Roos, his wife
	Salomon Westbroeck Hester Bevier	Aeltje	Jesse Bevier, Marytje Bevier
	Jan van Sickelen Margriet De Witt	Reynier	Reynier Van Sickelen and wife, Hanna van Leuven
	Thomas Neffi Rebecca Schoonhoven	Rebecca	Willem Cole, Johanna Westfael
1752.			
Jan. 19.	Daniel Consales Lisabeth Van Vliet	Manuel	Manuel Consales, Rymerick Quick, his wife
Feb. 2.	Abram Codebek Hester Swartwout	Jacobus	Jacobus Swartwout, Antje Westbroeck, his wife
	Salomon Decker Lena Quick	Jacobus	Jacobus Quick, Jenneke Van Aken, his wife
	Hendrick Kortrecht Margriet Decker	Jenneke	Thomas Decker, Jenneke Van Nimwegen, his wife
Feb. 16.	Jacobus Rosenkranz Catharina Cole	Alida	Josias Cole, Marytje Kimbell, his wife
	Benjamin Dupuy Lisabeth Swartwout	Moses	Moses Dupuy, Maria his wife
	Johannes Decker Lena Quick	Jacobus	Jacobus Middagh, Sara Decker
	Joris Davis Debora Schoonhoven	Annatje	Antony van Etten and wife, Annatje Decker

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1752.			
Feb. 23.	Johannes Decker Mary Tilburgh	Antje	Broer Decker, Antje Rosa
	Abram Symers Lena Westbroeck	Jacob	Jacob Westbroeck, Lydia Westfael, his wife
March 27.	Mattheus Brinck Abigail Bell	Mary	Benjamin Quick and wife, Hannah Joons.
March 29.	James McCarty Lisabeth Meyer	Lisabeth	William Ennes, Lisabeth Quick, his wife
March 30.	Daniel Westfael Maria Westbroeck	Margriet	Jan Van Etten, Maritje Westfael, his wife
April 5.	Salomon Davis Lea Decker	Salomon	Jacobus Swartwout, Antje Westbroeck, his wife
	Johannes Cole Nelli Van Aken	Willem	Willem Cole, Tjaetje Cole
	Thomas Schoohoven Marya Westfael	David	David Cole, Eleonora Westfael, his wife
May 31.	Abram Westbroeck Maria Helm	Michel	Michel Helm, Johanna Louw, his wife
June 24.	Daniel Kuykendal Lisabeth van Aken	Samuel	Cornelis van Aken and wife, Sara Westbroeck
	Philip Swartwout Antje Wynkoop	Cornelis	Jacobus Wynkoop, Jenneke Bogardus
	Jacobus Middagh Sara Decker	Blandina	Benjamin van vliet, Blandina Rosenkranz
	Joel Quick Christina Middagh	Joris	Joris Davis and wife, Debora Schoonhoven
	Bastiaen Kortrecht Rachel Decker	Elisabeth	Petrus Westfael, Lisabeth Kortrecht
Aug. 9.	Thomas Doff Mary Kane	Elisabeth	Johannes Westfael, Apollonia Kortrecht, his wife
Oct. 1.	Jan A. Rosa Catharina Van Etten	Isaak	Jsaak van Aken, Rachel De Witt, his wife
	Gysbert van Garden Maria Cole	Johannes	Johannes Kortrecht, Catharina Middagh
	Andries Dingenman Cornelia Kermer	Andries	Abram Kermer, Sara Schammers, his wife
Oct. 22.	Jacob Bogaert Nellie Kuyckendal	Benjamin	Benjamin Van Vliet, Debora Van Vliet

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1752.			
Oct. 22.	Abram van Aken Catharina Rosenkranz	Lydia	Herman Rosenkranz, Ariaentje Oosterhout, his wife
Nov. 5.	Jan van Etten Maritje Westfael	Margrieta	Johannes van Etten, Maria Gonsales, his wife
	Thomas Morphy Mary Lundy	Mary	Hendrick Kortrecht, Margriet Jansen
	Joseph Westbroeck Lisabeth Kuykendal	Dirk	Dirk Westbroeck, Jenneke van Keuren, his wife
Dec. 31.	Abram Dirkse Westbroeck Blandina Rosenkranz	Jenneke	Dirk Westbroeck, Jenneke Van Keuren, his wife
	Benjamin Quick Johanna Joons	Anna	Cornelis Brinck, Jun., Anna Quick
1753.			
Jan. 14.	Jacob van Aken Margriet van Garden	Abraham	Isaak van Aken, Rachel De Witt, his wife
	Anthony van Etten Annatje Decker	Antje	Jacob van Etten and wife, Antje Westbroeck
	Jan Van Sickelen Grietje De Witt	Cornelis	Cornelis De Witt, Sara Hoornbeek, his wife
	Andries Reifsnyder Susanna Wallen	Maria	Maria Hoornbeeck
Jan. 28.	Johannes Corn Westbroeck Maria Westbroeck	Jenneke	Dirk Westbroeck, Jenneke Van Keuren, his wife
	Jacobus Quick Jenneke Van Aken	Jacobus	Jacobus van Aken, Sara Van Aken
Feb. 25.	Evert Rosa Westbroeck Marya Kortrecht	Arie	Petrus Kortrecht, Lisabeth Cole
	Benjamin Westr. Vernooy Lydia Westfael	Petrus	Petrus Westfael, Sara van Aken
March 25.	Cornelis Quick Marya Westfael	Lea	Johannes Westfael, Apollonia Kortrecht, his wife
March 11.	John Prys Lucretia Remsen	Philip	Philip Swartwout, Antje Wynkoop, his wife
	John Chandler Margriet Roberts	Antje	Jacobus Swartwout, Antje Westbroeck, his wife

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1753.			
March 11.	Cornelis Westfael Lisabeth Westfael	Jacob	Jacob Westfael, Margriet Westfael
	Joris Kimber Sara Westfael	Sara	Jacob Westfael, Johanna Westfael
	Dirk Rosenkranz Cathrina Van Aken	Arriaentje	Petrus Rosenkranz, Arriaantje Rosenkranz
April 8.	Samuel Fench Lena Rosenkranz	Jacobus	Jacobus Rosenkranz, Catharina Cole, his wife
April 20.	Hendricus Decker Hanna Kermer	Cornelia	Andries Dingenman, Cornelia Kermer, his wife
	Christiaen Keersbi Jenneke van Garden	Heyltje	Jacobus Westbroeck, Heyltje van Garden
April 23.	onecht Elisabeth Van Namen	Sara	Broer Decker, Sara Schammers
June 17.	Johannes Westbroeck Magdalena Westbroeck	Sara	Salomon Kuyckendal and wife, Sara Cole
July 8.	Symon Westfael Jannetje Westbroeck	Wilhelmus	Arie Vredengurgh, Sara Rosenkranz, his wife
Aug. 19.	onecht Hester Meckentesh	Jacobus	Dirk Westbroeck and wife, Jenneke van Keuren
	Jury Philip Windemoet Juliana Huber	Petrus	Petrus Kortrecht, Maria van Garden
Aug. 5.	Samuel van vliet Tjatje Cole	Jacobus	Jan van vliet, Jesyntje Swartwout, his wife
Oct. 7.	Benjamin Westfael Annatje van aken	Cornelis Van Aken	Cornelis van Aken, Sara Westbroeck, his wife
	Jury Philip Windemoet Juliana Huber	Petrus	Petrus Kortrecht, Maria van Garden
Oct. 21.	Petrus Kuyckendal Catharina Kittel	Salomon	Salomon Kuyckendal, Sara Cole, his wife
	Thomas Neffi Rebecca Krom	Helena	Symon Westfael, Jannetje Westbroeck, his wife
Nov. 11.	Abram Shuymers Lena Westbroeck	Hester	Salomon Westbroeck, Hester Bevier, his wife

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1753.			
Dec. 9.	Joseph Westbroeck Lisabeth Kuykendal	Levi	Dirk Westbroeck, Jenneke van Keuren, his wife
Nov. 25.	Abram Codebek Hester Swartwout	Petrus	GerardusSwartwout, Maria Oosterhout, his wife
	Johannes Cole Pieternella van Aken	Maria	Jacobus van aken, Maria Cole
Dec. 16.	Daniel Gonsales Elisabeth van vliet	Benjamin	Benjamin van vliet, Debora van vliet
1754.			
Jan. 27.	Benjamin Dupuy Lisabeth Swartwout	Margrietje	Jacob Hoornbeeck and wife, Elisabeth Dupuy
Feb. 3.	J. C. Fryenmoet Magdalena van Etten	Heyltje	Cornelis van Etten, Heyltje Westbroeck, his wife
Feb. 17.	Jacobus Middagh Sara Decker	Jacob	Jacob Middagh, Sara Kuyckendal, his wife
	Daniel van Aken Lea Kittel	Lydia	Abram van Aken, Janetje de Witt, his wife
	James Wales Lisabeth Kimmer	Femmetje	Casparus Kimmer, Lena Kimmer
Feb. 24.	Mattheus Brinck Abigail Bell	Hester	SalomonWestbroeck, Hester Bevier, his wife
March 17.	onecht Grietje Wildfield	Sophia	Jacob Westfael, Lisabeth Westfael
March 24.	Abram Westbroeck Maria Helm	Martinus	Joseph Westbroek and wife, Lisabeth Kuyckendal
	William Ennes Lisabeth Quick	John	John Van Etten, Maritje Westfael, his wife
April 7.	Abram Middagh Lena van Aken	Moses	Hendrick H. Kortrecht, Margriet Decker, his wife
	Jacobus Gonsales Sara Westbroeck	Manuel	Samuel Gonsales, Rymerich Quick
April 28.	Antony van Etten Annatje Decker	Jenneke	Thomas Decker, Jenneke van Nimwegen, his wife
April 14.	Salomon Decker Lena Quick	Grietje	John Van Sickelen, Grietje De Witt, his wife

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1754.			
April 14.	Jacob De Witt Jannetje van Sickelen	Jacob	Cornelis De Witt, Sara Hoornbeck, his wife
	Francis M'Gee Catharina Quick	Mary	Mattheus Brinck, Ann Quick
May 12.	Jacob Westbrock Lydia Westfael	Saffrein	Petrus Kortrecht, Maria Westfael, his wife
	Cornelis Middagh Lisabeth Bunschoten	Hendrik Kortrecht	Hendrich Kortrecht, Gerretje Bunschoten
	Jan A. Rosa Cathrina Van Etten	Jacob	Jacob van Etten, Antje Westbroeck, his wife
	Benjamin Westbroeck Cathrina Westbroek	Maria	Abram Westbroeck, Maria Helm, his wife
June 2.	Johannes van Etten Maria Gonsales	Manuel	Manuel Gonsales, Jannetje van Etten, his wife
June 22.	Cornelis van Etten Heyltje Westbroeck	Gideon	Gideon Westbroeck, Sara van Etten
	Cornelis Westbroeck, Jr. Lisabeth Kittel	Rachel	Richard Kittel, Rachel van Etten, his wife
July 13.	Salomon Westbroeck Hester Bevier	Moses	Benjamin Westbroeck, Cathrina Westbroeck, his wife
May 23.	Johannes Kuykendal Lisabeth Decker	Lisabeth	Jacobus Middagh, Elizabeth Kortrecht
	Joel Quick Christina Middagh	Maria	Elisa Middagh, Maria Cole
June 23.	James M'Carty Elisabeth Mey	Philip	Philip Windemoet, Maria Juliana Huber, his wife
	Cornelis Cole Claesje Jongbloet	Heyltje	Cornelis van Etten, Heyltje Westbroeck, his wife
June 16.	Philip Swartwout Antje Wynhoop	Annatje	Abram Kodebek and wife, Hester Swartwout
	Thomas Schoonhohoven Marya Westfael	Samuel	Benjamin Thomson, Lisabeth Westfael, his wife

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1754.			
July 5.	Joris Davis Debora Schoonhoven	Maria	Josias Cole, Maria Kimber, his wife
July 7.	Cornelis Westfael Grietje Decker	Dievertje	Andries Decker, Dievertje Maul, his wife
Oct. 10.	Daniel Westfael Maria Westbroeck	Aeltje	Antony Westbroeck, Aeltje van Etten, his wife
Oct. 20.	Bastiaen Kortrecht Rachel Decker	Salomon	Salomon Kortrecht, Lea Kortrecht
Nov. 3.	Daniel Kuychendal Lisabeth van Aken	Maria	Abram Van Aken, Jr., and wife, Catharina Rosenkranz
	Johannes van Aken Marya van Garden	Lisabeth	Daniel Kuykendal, Lisabeth van aken, his wife
	James Risla Catharina Hooghteiling	Margriet	Jacob Westfael, Maritje Hooghteeling
Dec. 15.	Johannes Decker Mary van Tilburgh	Abraham	Abraham van Tilburgh, Sara Clevins, his wife
	Cornelis Quick Marya Westfael	Samuel	Daniel Westfael, Alida Middagh
	Johannes van Garden Margriet Quick	Margriet	Johannes Westfael, Margriet Jansen
	Abram Shymers Lena Westbroeck	Hester	Salomon Westbroeck, Hester Bevier, his wife
Aug. 18.	Abram Westbroeck Blandina Rosenkranz	Dirk	Hendrick Kortrecht, Grietje Decker, his wife
	Jeremias Kittel Lea Davis	Rachel	Richard Kittel, Rachel van Etten, his wife
	Daniel Devoor Lydia Westfael	Engeltje	Cornelis Devoor, Lena Westfael, his wife
Dec. 29.	John Chandlar Margriet Robert	Samuel	Pieter Kuykendal, Femmetje Decker, his wife
1755.			
Jan. 26.	Abram Kittel Christina Westfael	Apollonia	Johannes Westfael, Gerritje Bunschoten
	Thomas Wells Lisabeth Dewitt	Rebecca	Abram J. van aken, Marya Dewitt

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1755.			
Feb. 9	Mattheus Ter Wilgen, Jr. Lisabeth Ratier	Blandina	Wilhelmus Vredenburgh, Blandina Vredenburgh
	Hendrick Kuykendal Lisabeth Cole	Josias	Joseph Westbroeck, Marya Kimber
Feb. 16.	Joris Kimber Sara Westfael	Margriet	Philip Decker, Margriet Westfael
March 2.	Juriaen Westfael Cathrina Terwilgen	Petrus	Petrus Westfael, Ariaentje Rosenkranz, his wife
March 9.	Thomas Duff Mary Keen	William	William Ennes, Lisabeth Quick, his wife
March 23.	John Williams Lea Decker	Ezechiel	Ezechiel Decker, Johanna van Tilburgh, his wife
	Ezechiel Decker Johanna van Tilburgh	Lea	John Williams, Lea Decker, his wife
	Thomas Murphy Mary Lundy	Timothy	
April 20.	Cornelis Brink Lisabeth van Garden	Petrus	Petrus Brink, Lisabeth Brink
	Johannes C. Westbroeck Maria Westbroeck	Jenneke	Dirk Westbroeck, Jenneke van Keuren, his wife
July 7.	Petrus Kortrecht Marya Westfael	Lydia	Jacob Westbroeck, Lydia Westfael, his wife
Oct. 19.	Abram Westbroeck Maria Helm	Johanna	Jacob Helm, Annatje Westbroeck
1756.			
Feb. 13.	Symon Westfael Jannetje Westbroeck	Aeltje	Dirk Rosenkranz, Cathrina van aken, his wife
	Andries Reifsnyder Susanna Wallen	Joseph	Philip Decker, Sara Decker
	Johannes van Aken Marya van Garden	Femmetje	Cornelis van aken and wife, Sara Westbroeck
	Cornelis Westfael Grietje Decker	Margrietje	Jacob Westfael, Margrietje Cole
	Antony van Etten Annatje Decker	Margrieta	Johannes Decker, Jun., Margrieta Gemaer, his wife
	Jacob van Aken Margriet van Garden	Benjamin	Petrus Westfael, Ariaentje Rosenkranz

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1756.			
Feb. 15.	Alexander Ivory Jenneke Decker	Jacobus	Jacobus Westfael, Jannetje Decker, his wife
	Salomon Westbroeck Hester Bevier	William	Aert Middagh, Arriaentje van Etten
April 11.	Johannes Westbroeck Lena Westbroeck	Joel	Antony van Etten, Annatje Decker, his wife
	Dirk Rosenkranz Cathrina van Aken	Lydia	Daniel van Aken, Lea Kittel, his wife
	Johannes Cole Pieternella van Aken	Willem	Willem Cole, Sara van Aken
	Andres Grub Cathrina Romvelden	Sara	Jacob Vigli, Rymerick Decker
April 14.	Mattheus Brink Abigail Bell	Gerret	John Michel Henry, Grietje Quick
	Aert van Weyen Cornelia Kermer	Hendricus	James Mollin, Lisabeth Kermer
	Johannes van Etten Maria Gonsales	Rymerich	Samuel Gonsales, Rymerick Gonsales
	Benjamin Westfael Annatje van Aken	Lisabeth	Jacobus Van Aken, Sara van Aken
July 4.	Salomon Decker Lena Quick	Joseph	Cornelis Quick illegible
	Abram Westbroeck Blandina Rosenkranz	Jacobus	Westbroeck illegible
	Gideon Westbroeck Jannetje M. (rest illegible)	Josephet	Abraham Westbroeck (illegible)
Aug. 22.	Jeremias Kittel Lea Davis	Salomon	Jacobus Davis, Lea Decker
	Johannes Shaubas Catharina Smidt	Susanna	John Kortrecht, Margriet Johnson

Here end the baptisms in handwriting of Rev. J. C. Fryenmoet.

1756.			
Nov. 26.	Abraham Symor Lena Westbroeck	Mari	Daniel Westval, Mari Westbroeck
	Jacobus Middag Sarah Decker	Catrina	Harme Rosekrans, Catrina van Aake
	Philip Windemoet Mari Hoever	Elizabeth	Johannis Westvael, Elizabeth Windemoet

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1756.			
Nov. 26.	Andries Dekker Divertje Moul	Philippus	Benjamin Vanoy, Lidia Westvael
1757.	In handwriting of Rev. J. H. Goetschius.		
June 19.	Hans C. Westbroek Maria dirkse Westbroek	Seletje and Meseri	The parents
	Benjamin Westbrock Catrina Westbrock	Lidia	Anatje Westbroeck, Petrus, broeder and suster (brother and sister)
	Alexander Tvori Janatje Dekker	Wilhelmus	Willem Dekker and syn vrow (and his wife) Nieltje
	Cornelius Quick Maria Westphaal	Lea	Bastian Kortregt and wife, Ragel
	James Everigame Anna Quick	James	Thomas Quick, Margreth, Suster and Broeder (brother and sister)
	Petrus Brinck Alida Middag	Cornelius	Cornelis Brinck, Jun, Elisabeth, his wife
	William Ennes Elisabeth Quick	Cornelius	Cornelius Quik and his wife Maria
	Cornelius Westbroeck Elisabeth Kittel	Susanna	Susanna Kittel, Anthoni Westbroek
	Benjamin Vernoi Lidia Westphaal	Joseph	Joseph Westbroek and his wife Debora
	Hester Mekkentash	Heiltje	Cornelius van Netten, Heiltje Westbroek, his wife
June 24.	Joel Quick Christina Middag	Jacob	Ephraim Middag, Margret Mollen
	Petrus Kuykendal Catrina Kittel	Lisabeth	Cornelius Westbrock, Jr., Lisabeth Quik, his wife
	Petrus Rosenkrans Maria Brinck	Lidia	Jan Lady, Ariantje Rosenkrans
June 25.	Abraham Van Aaken, Jun. Catrina Rosenkrans	Sara	Salomon Kuikendaal, Sara Kool, his wife
	Jacobus Quick Janetje van Aaken	Tomas	Abraham Middag and his wife, Lena Van Aaken
	Abraham Middag Lena van Aaken	Emanuel	William Clinton, Sara van Aaken, his wife

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1757.			
June 26.	Jan Davis Willemtje Lineden	Jan and Jany	Thomas Schoonhoven, Maria, his wife, Daniel Rosenkrans, Debora Schoohaven

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1758.			
Feb. 11.	Abraham Kittel Christina Westval	Jacob	Jacob Helm, Lena van Etten his wife
	Cornelis Brink, Jun. Elisabeth van Garden	Johannes	Johannes Westval, Margriet Quik
	Mattheus Brink, Jun. Sara Terwilge	Margrietje	Jan Kortregt, Grietje Quik
	Evert Rosa Westbroek Maria Kortregt	Jacobus	Cornelis Westbroek, Antje Rosa, his wife
	Benjamin Quik Johanna Johnst	Benjamin	Petrus Brink, Jannetje Middag
Feb. 12.	Isaac van Aaken Margriet Horenbeek	Joseph	Jacob van Aaken and wife, Margriet van Garden
	Willem Vredenburgh van Garden Jenneke Terwilge	Jacobus	Jacobus Osterhout, Annaatje Terwilge, his wife
	Johannes Dekker Debora van Vliet	Levi	Antonie van Etten and wife, Annaatje Dekker
	Jacobus Westval Jannetje Dekker	Joseph	Joseph Westbroek, Debora Krom
	John Breslar Elisabeth Kermer	John	Bastian Kortregt, Rachel Dekker
	Johannes Van Aaken Maria van Garden	Johannes	Gysbert van Garden, Maria Cool, his wife
	Antonie van Etten Annaatje Dekker	Levi	Johannes Dekker and wife, Debora van Vliet
Feb. 13.	Jan Middag Elisabeth Kortregt	Margrietje	Cornelis Cool, Grietje Cool
	Daniel Dekker Blandina Vredenburgh	Sara	Arie Vredenburgh, Sara Rosenkrans
	Salomon Kortregt Cornelia Cool	Catryntje	Salomon Kuikendal, Sara Cool, his wife

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1758.			
Feb. 13.	Jurian Westval Catharina Terwilge	Joseph	Benjamin Vernoi Westbroek, Lydia Westval, his wife
	Daniel van Aaken Lea Kittel	Catharina	Petrus Kuikendal, Catharina Kittel, his wife
	Robert Sinor Lea Middag	Sara	Antonie Westbroek, Lea Kortregt
	James Rusle Catharina Hoogteeling	Annaatje	George Moor, Seitje Terwilge
	James Ransen Lydia Krom	Ruth	William Krom, Debora Davids
	Jacob Neerbas Anna Maria Rakien	Willem	Daniel van Aaken, Lea Kittel, his wife
1759.			
Jan. 27.	Daniel Kuykendal Elizabeth Van Ake	Catryntie	Martynes Kuykendal, Catryntie Kool
	Jacob Van Ake Margariet van Garde	Caspares	Cobus van Sickele, Sarah van Ake
	Johannes Leydi Aryantie Rosekrans	Jacobus	Jacobus van Ake, Catrina van Aeke
	Kornelius van Ette Huyltie Westbroek	Magdalena	Johannes Westbroek, Magdalena Westbroek
	Eliza Middag Marytie Kimber	Tunis	Elias Middach, Elizabeth Buntschote
	Bryan Hammen Blandientie van Ake	John	Abraham Van Ake, Jannetie De Wit
	Benjamin Van Vliedt Johanna Westfael	Samuel	Johannes Deckker, Debora van Vliedt
	Cornelius Westfael Elizabeth Westfael	Cornelius	Cornelius Schoonhove, Grietie Deckker
Jan. 27.	John Davis Willempi Snedeker	Petrus	Petrus Middag, Leonora Westfael
	Wilhel[s] Vreden- Elizabeth van Garde	Elsie	Harme van Garde, Elsie Kuddebeck
	Johannes Westfael Maregriet Quick	David	Jacob Westfael, Leonora Westfael

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1759.			
Jan. 27.	Syme Westfael Jannetie Westbroek	Salomon	Salomon Kuykendal, Sarah Kool
Jan. 28.	Jacob Figeli Belitie Davids	Syme	Syme Westfael, Jannetje Westbroek
	J. H. Deckker Grietje Gamaer	Tomas	Jan Vliedt, Janneke Van Innewege
	Jan van Vliet Lea Deckker	Esyntie	Johannes Deckker, Grietje Gemaer
	Tomas Quick Hannah Middach	Eliza	Eliza Middach, Mareytie Kember
	Alida Westbroek	Heyltie	Cornelius van Ette, Heyltje Westbrock
	Rabecka Schoonhove	Jan vyert	Tonie van Ette, Annatie Deckker
	Abraham Westbroek Blandina Rosekrans	Leonard	Leonard Wintermoet, Jannetie Middach
	Joseph Westbroek Debora Krom	Elizabeth	J. Dirikse Westbroek, Elizabeth Westbroek
	Cornelius Westbroek Elizabeth Citel	Cornelia	Jan Citel, Sarah Cortrecht
	Bn Weltvael Anatje Van Acce	Rusje	Dirrik van Ette, Rusje Westvael
	Tomas Morphe Mary Londi	Mare	Daniel Westvael, Elizabeth Brink
	Jerimia Cittel Lea Davids	Cornelius	Antone Westbroek, Elizabeth Cittle
	Phillip Wintemuth Maria Hoeverin	Elizabeth	James Meguarde, Elisabeth Majerin
	Abraham Seymor Lena Westbroek	Elizabeth	William Ennest, Elizabeth Quick
	Petrus Kotregt Maria Westvael	Janneke	Johannes Cortregt, Jenneke van Garde
	Hendrik Cortregt Catrina Middag	Maria De Wit	John Cortregt, Gerretje Bonschote
	James Mollen Maria Swartwout	Heyltje	Cornelius Cool, Klasje Jonkbloet
	Mateus Brink Abigail Bell	Elisabeth	Adam Cheat, Maria Dewit
	Jacob Swartwout Lidea Dekker	Catrina	Nicolaes Brink, Catrina Germer

The following are in the handwriting of Rev. I. C. Fryenmoet.

1759.			
Aug. 19.	Antony Westbroeck Susanna Kittel	Maria	Daniel Westfael, Maria Westbroeck, his wife

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1759.			
Aug. 19.	Jacobus Quick Jenneke Van Aken	Lisabeth	Cornelis Van Etten, Heyltje Westbroeck, his wife
	Dirk Van Etten Russie Westfael	Sara	Jacob Van Etten, Sara Van Etten
	William Ennes Lisabeth Quick	Alexander	Johannes van Etten, Maria Gonsales, his wife
	Salomon Decker Lena Quick	Thomas	Thomas Wells, Lisabeth De Witt, his wife
	Petrus Brink Alida Middag	Aert	Petrus Brink, Jun., Jannetje Middagh
	Petrus Rosenkranz Marya Brink	Herman	Herman Rosenkranz, Arriaentje Oosterhout
	Jacobus van Aken, Jun. Lisabeth Bunschoten	Levi	Cornelis Van Aken, Sara Westbroeck, his wife
	Antony van Etten Annatje Decker	Alida	Tjerk Van Keuren Westbrock, Alida Decker
	Thomas Wells Lisabeth De Witt onecht Jenneke Quick	Annatje	Elias Kortrecht, Anna De Witt
		Lydia	Johannes Westfael Sara Decker
Aug. 26.	Joel Quick Christina Middag	Beletje	Jacob Viegli, Beletje Davis, his wife
	Thomas Schoonhohoven Marya Westfael	Joris	Jacobus Davis, Debora Schoonhoven
	Joris Kimber Sara Westfael onecht Maria Cole	Petrus	Josias Cole, Margriet Mollen, his wife
		Lisabeth	Salomon Kuykendal, Sara Cole, his wife
	Robert Simour Lea Middagh	Jacomyntje	Willem Kodebek, Jacomyntje Elten, his wife
	Clea Farletier Margriet Titsoort	Moses	Abram Kortrecht, Margriet Kuykendal, his wife
	Mattheus Terwilligen Lisabeth Latier	John	Juriaen Westfael, Cathrina Terwilligen, his wife
	Andries Kroeg Cathrina Romfeld	Lisabeth	John Leydy, Arriaentje Rosenkranz, his wife

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1759.			
Aug. 26.	Abraham Middagh Lena van Aken	Souverign	Abram Van Aken, Jun., Cathrina Rosenkranz, his wife
	Petrus Kuykendal Cathrina Kittel	Christyntje	Pieter Kuykendal, Femmetje Decker, his wife
	Philip Swartwout Antje Wynkoop	Gerardus	Johannes Oosterhout, Jannetje Swartwout, his wife
	Hugh Shellet Anna Quick	Grietje	Andries Decker, Saertje Decker
	Baptized by the Rev. I. H. Goetschius.		
Nov. 21.	Johanes Westbroek Magdalen Westbroek	Gideon	Daniel van Vliet, and his wife Sara
	Daniel van Aaken Lea Kettel	Eliza	Jeams Klerk, Sara van Aaken
	Abraham Kudebek Hester Gemaa	Willem	Willem Kudebek and his wife Jakemyntje
Nov. 22.	Martinus Kuykendaal Catryntje Kool	Hermanus	Hermanus Van Inwegen, Grietje, his wife
	Jan Middag Lisabeth Kortregt	Seeletje	Hans Dekker, Jun., and his wife Grietje
	Jacob De Witt Lea Kortregt	Heiltje	Johanes De Witt, Hyltje De Witt
	Salomon Cortregt Cornelia Kool	Hendrick	Hendrik Kortregt, and his wife Margrita
	Josias Kool Margret Mollen	David	Jan Devis and wife, Leanora Westfael
1760.			
April 20.	Benjamin Westbroek Catrina Westbroek	Cornelius or Cornelia	
	Abram Westbroek Blandina Rosekrans	Cobus	
	Benjamin Van Noj Lydia Westvael	Usselje	Evert Roosa Westbroek, Maria Westbroek
	Petrus Cortregt Maria Westvaal	Arie	
	Johannes van Aaken Maria van Gorde	Usseltje	Gysbert van Gorden, Catrina van Gorden

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1760.			
April 20.	Wilhelmus Vredenburg Elisabeth Van Gorden	Arie	Arie Vredenburg, Sara Vredenburg
	Johannis Schouwers Catrina Smith	Maria	James McKater, Maria McKater
	William Nylen Sara Van Aak	Elisabeth	Cornelius van Aaken, Sara van Aaken
	Jacob Helm Helena Van Etten	Maria	Jacob Van Etten, Maria Helm
	Cornelius Brink Elisabeth van Garde	Maragrita	Juriaen Westvaal, Maragrita Quik
	Abram Westvaal Elisabeth Titsoort onecht Jenneke van Garden	Maria Johannes Cortregt	Andries Dekker Maragritie Dekker William Ennes, Elisabeth Ennes
April 22.	Daniel Devoor Lydia Westvaal	Abram and Isaac	Cornelius Schoonhohoven, Lena Schoonhoven, David Devoor, Eva Davids
	Jurian Westvaal Catrina Terwyligen	Sara	Benjamin Tamson, Elisabeth Tamson
	William Vredenburg Van Gorden Janneke Ter Wyligen	Sytje	Mathew Ter Wyligen, Sytje Ter Wyligen
	Abram van Aaken Catrina Roosenkrans	Cornelius	Juriaan Westvaal, Catrina Westvaal
	Abram Coddebak Hester Swartwout	Abram	Abram Coddebak, Jun., Hester Gemaar
	Jsaac Schoonhoven	Ezechiel	Walter van Tuil, Maria van Vliet
	Elisa Middag Maria Timber	Casparus	Petrus Kuykendal, Catrina Kuykendal
	Hendrick Kuikendal Elisabeth Cool	Tatji	Martinus Kuikendal, Catrina Kuikendal
June 29.	John Cral Antje Dekker	Samuel	Cobus van Vliet, Catrina van Vliet
	Stephanus Dekker Annatje Kuikendal	Neeltje	Henderikkus Kuikendal, Lea Dekker

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1760.			
June 29.	Martinus Dekker Janneke Westbroek	Petrus	Abram Cool, Catrina Cool
	Derick Wintviel Elisabeth Kortregt	Emmanuel	Corneles Cool, Maria Cool
	Harmanus Van Nimwegen Gritje Cool	Gerardus	Gerardus Van Nimwegen, Gritje van Nimwegen
	onegt Lydia Krom	Benoni	Abram Van Aaken, Leonora Westvaal
July 6.	James Clark Sarah Van Aaken	Elisabeth	Daniel Van Aaken, Lea van Aaken
	Joseph Westbroek Debora Krom	Derik	Abram Westbroek, Blandina Westbroek
Nov. 9.	Joel Quik Christina Middag	Antje	Daniel Kortregt, Antje Westbroek
	Cornelius Schoonhoven Lena Devoir	Thomas	Thomas Schoonhoven, Maria Schoonhoven
	Johannis Lydi Ariantje Rosekrans	Henderikkus	Harmen Rosekrans, Ariaentje Rosekrans
	Simon Westvaal Janetje Westbroek	Blandina	Peter Kuikendal, Catrina Kuikendal
	Matheus Terwilligen Elisabeth Rattier	Isaac	Isaac Middag, Femetje Middag
	Cornelius Cool Maria Dekker	Lena	Petrus Dekker, Lena Dekker
Dec. 21.	Abram Shymer Lena Westbroek	Maragrit	John Cortregt, Maragrit Johnson
	Hendrik Cortregt Catrina Middag	Hendrick Johnson	Elias Cortregt, Gerritje van Benschouten
	Mateues Brenck Sara Terwielger	Yuerrean	Yuerrean Westvael, Griette Quick
1761.			
Jan. 3.	Christian Chress Maria Dey	John	
Jan. 18.	Johannes van Etten Maria Consalus	Jacobus	Jacob Helm, Lena Helm
March 8.	Johannis Westvaal Maragrita Quik	Benjamin	Benjamin Quick, Hannah Quik
	Petrus Brink Alida Middag	Petrus	John Brink, Elisabeth Westvaal
	Evert Roos Westbroek Maria Cortregt	Antje	Benjamin Westbroek, Catrina Westbroek

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1761.			
March 20.	Abram Kettel Christina Westvaal	Richard	Richard Kettel, Rachel Kettel
	Daniel Cortregt Russe van Aaken	Gideon	John Cortregt, Lydia Cermer
	Jacob Vigely Oseltje Davids	Zacharias	Jacob Westbroek, Lydi Westbroek
May 3.	Cherk Van Cuiren Westbroek Maria Helm	Abram	
June 14.	Antony Van Ette Annatie Dekker	Hendricus	Salomon Kuikendal, Sarah Kuikendal
	Johannes Dekker, Jr. Grietie Gomaar	Theatie	Peter Gomaar, Maria Gomaar
	Cobus Van Aken, Jun. Elisabeth Bunschoten	Gerritje	Cobus Bunschoten, Gerritie Cotregt, widow
July 26.	Peter Brink Catrina Davids	Jacobus	Jacobus Brink, Catrina Cortregt
	Thomas Welsch Elisabeth De Witt	Jacobus	Cornelius De Witt, Sarah Dekker
Aug. 2.	Daniel Dekker Blandina Vredenburg	Hendrik	Harmanus Van Nimwegen, Maragrietie van Nimwegen
Sept. 13.	Salomon Dekker Lena Quik	Jacob	Jacob Westbroek, Lydia Westbroek
Sept. 20.	Johannis van Aken Maria van Garden	Wilhelmus	Harmanus Brink, Lena Brink
Oct. 17.	Derick van Etten Russia Westvaal	Joseph	Johannis Westbroek, Lydia Westbroek
	Jacob Helm Helena van Etten	Samuel	Jan van Etten, Maragret van Etten
Oct. 18.	Petrus Westbroek Lydia Vredenburg	Cornelius	Cornelius Westbroek, Lea Westbroek
Nov. 10.	Jeremie Kettle Maria Davids	Daniel	Daniel Van Aaken, Lea Van Aaken
	Daniel Westvaal Maria Westbrock	Hannatje	Benjamin Westvaal, Hannatje Westvaal
	Jacobus Westvaal Jannetje Dekker	Elisabeth	Jacobus Kermer, Elisabeth Kermer
	Jacob De Witt Jannetje Van Sikkelen	Rynier	
Dec. 27.	Philip Windemout Maria Hoogeling	Benjamin	

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1762.			
Feb. 21.	Gisbert van Garden, Jun. Annatje Westbroek	Samuel	Samuel Westbrock, Lea Westbrock
March 21.	Abram Westbroek Blandina Rosekrans	Sara	
April 9.	Benjamin Westbroek Catrina Westbroek	Abram	
	Cornelius Van Etten Heyltje Westbroek	Magdalena	Johannis Casparus, Fryenmoet, Magdelena Frynmoet
May	onegt Rebbecka Schoonhooven	Christoffel	Abraham Van Aaken, Catrina Kuykendal
June 9.	Daniel Devoir Lidja Westvael	Helena	
	Johannis De Pui Rachel Devoir	Susanna	Do. Thomas Romein, Susanna Romein
	Josias Cool Maragriet Mullen	Hejltje	Joris Cimmer, Sarah Cimmer
	Thomas Schoonhove Maria Westfael	Josias	Josias Cool, Maragriet Cool
	onegt Sarah Schoonhove	Joseph and Benjamin	Jacobus Rosekrans, Elisabeth Westfael, Cornelius Devoir, Leonora Westfael
	Petrus Middag Debora Schoonhoove	Jacobus	Ephraim Middag, Sarah Middag
July 18.	Andries Crub Catrina Rumvelt	Petrus	Petrus Lot, Sarah Lot
	Hendrick Johnson Elisabeth Coon or Boom	Lea	Abram Johnson, Lea Johnson
July 27.	Benjamin van Noj Lydia Westvaal	Sarah	
	Ezechiel Dekker Johanna Tillburg	John	John Tillburg, Lena Tillburg
Oct. 16.	onegt Elisabeth Westvaal	Johannis	Johannis Westvaal, Maragriet Westvaal
Nov. 26.	Cherk van keuren Westbroek Maria Helm	Janneke	
	Abram Van Aaken, Jun. Maria Dewitt	Rachel	Abram Van Campen, Rachel van Campen

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1762.			
Dec. 12.	Johannis Lyde Ariaantje Roosekrans	Maragriet	Isaac Van Aaken, Maragriet van Aaken
	Christophel Cattington Maria Oosterhout	Joseph	
1763.			
Jan. 1.	Edmond Panborn Maria Oostrander	William	
	Benjamin De Pui —— Swartwoudt	John	John De Pui, Lena De Pui
Jan. 2.	Pétrus Rosekrans Maria Brink	Cornelius	Cornelius Dekker, Catrina van Aaken
Jan. 9.	Jacobus Westvaal Jannetje Dekker	Abram and Sarah	Abram Chambers, Lena Chambers, Daniel Westvaal, Maria Westvaal
Jan. 23.	Petrus Cool Jannitie Keter	Gideon Westbroeck	Daniel Westvael, Maria Westfael
Feb. 6.	Johannis van Etten Maria Gonsalis	Elisabeth	Peter Helm, Elisabeth Helm
	John Van Sikelen Grietie Dewit	Abram	Abram Van Aeken, Maria Van Aeken
	Hugh Shirrid Anna Quik	Lena	Samuel Westbroek, Grietje Ennes
	Hannis Van de Merken Janneke Cortregt	Jannetje	Hendrik Cortregt, Jannetje Cortregt
	Jeremias Kettel Lea Davids	Abram and Joseph	Abram Chambers, Lena Chambers, Joseph Westbroek, Debora Westbroek
	David or Daniel Cortregt Rusja van Aaken	David	Andries Dingman, Cornelia Dingman
	William Krom Catrina van Garden	Cornelius	Joseph Westbroek, Debora Westbroek
Feb. 23.	Peter van Nest	Isaac	Isaac van Nest
Feb. 28.	Stephanus Dekker Femetje Kuikendal	Jacobus	William Kuikendal, Hanna Forbis
	John Croel Antje Croel	Lea	Jacob Dekker, Lea Lea Dekker
	Brient Hamel Blandina Van Aaken	Daniel	

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1763.			
March 20.	Cornelius Cool Maria Dekker	Martinus	Martinus Dekker, Jonecke Dekker
	Philip Swartwoud Antje Wynkoop	Cornelius Wynkoop	Cornelius Cool, Maria Cool
March 27.	Abram Kittel Christina Westvaal	Mosis	Adam Beemer, Catrina Cortregt
April 3.	Johannis Van Garden Cornelia Cool	David or Daniel	David or Daniel Westvaal, Maria Westvaal
	Johannis Cortregt Susanna Kittel	Gisbert	Gisbert van Garden, Jr., Annatje van Garden
May 1.	Hendrick Williamse Cortregt Catrina Middag	William	William Cortregt, MaragrietCortregt
May 8.	Matheus Ter Willigen Elisabeth Ratier	Maria	Jacobus Divans, Maria Divans
	Jacob Turner Elsje Meclean	Elisabeth	Benjamin De Pui, Elisabeth De Pui
	Harmanus Van Nimwegen Maragriet Cool	Caletta	John Davids, Leonora Davids
	Abram Cuddebek Hester Gemaar	Jacob	Jacob Gomaar, Alida Gomaar
May 9.	Benjamin Thomson Elisabeth Westvaal	Catrina	Jacobus Rosekrans, Catrina Rosekrans
	Benjamin Forguson Mary Buk or Cuk	Benjamin	Thomas or Hanna Forguson
May 22.	Jacob Feydlie Belletje Davids	Adam	Adam Beemer, Engeltje Davids
June 12.	Stephanus Tietsoort Catrina Kuikendal	Sara	Salomon Kuikendal, Sara Kuikendal
	Josias Dekker Sarah Tietsoort	Boudewyn	Hendrikkus Dekker, Femmetje Cole or Foly
	Jacobus Quik Janneke van Aaken	Greetje	Johannes Westvaal, Maragriet Westvaal
July 5.	Benjamin Westvaal Annatje van Aaken	Daniel	Daniel Westvaal, Maria Westvaal
	Derik Wintviel Elisabeth Cortregt	Joseph	John Wood, Catrina Cortregt
	Petrus Brink Alida Middag	Hendrik	Hendrik Cortregt, Catrina Cortregt

(*To be continued.*)

THACHER-THATCHER GENEALOGY.

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Family No. 3

B R, vol. ix, p. 182, Gee, Joshua and Eliza Harrise were married at Boston by the Rev. Joshua Moody, September 25th, 1688. Town Records.
" " " " p. 184, Gee, Peter, son of Joshua and Eliza, born December 16th, 1689. Town Records.
" " " " p. 190, Gee, Eliza, dau. of Joshua and Eliza, b. November 22nd, 1690. Town Records.
" " " " p. 195, Gee, Eliza, ——; baptized December 28th, 1690. 1st Church Records.
" " " " p. 201, Gee, Joshua, son of Joshua and Eliza, b. August 18th, 1692. Town Records.
" " " " p. 204, Gee, Joshua, son of Joshua and Eliza, died August 18th, 1692. Town Records.
" " " " p. 205, Gee, Joshua, ——; buried August 21st, 1692. 1st Church Records.
" " " " p. 207, Gee, Mary, dau. of Joshua and Eliza, b. January 25th, 1693-4. Town Records.
" " " " p. 220, Gee, Mary, ——; baptized January 28th, 1694. 1st Church Records.

Notice here the lapse of two years and six months between the date of birth of the last child named above, Mary Gee, and the date of birth of the following child, Samuel Gee, recorded below. Bear in mind that Joshua[4] Gee who married Elizabeth[4] Thacher was a widower when he married her (according to Freeman;) also bear in mind the fact that Elizabeth Gee (the mother of Rev. Joshua[5] Gee) survived her husband (who died in 1722-3) and married 2nd on August 27th, 1727, to Rev. Peter[4] Thacher of Milton; and most important of all, bear in mind that on November 4th, 1698, Joshua[4] Gee refers to his wife's brother. Thomas[4] Thacher of Yarmouth, and remember that Joshua[4] Gee was a brother-in-law of Thomas[4] Thacher and had a son Joshua[5] Gee born, as we will see below, June 29th, 1698. From all of which it will appear quite evident that Joshua[4] Gee must have married Elizabeth[4] Thacher at least as early as September 29th, 1697, and perhaps earlier; which suggests that Elizabeth Harrise, 1st wife of Joshua[4] Gee, died subsequent to January 25th, 1693-4, the date of birth of Mary Gee, the last child above recorded.

B R, Vol. ix, p. 232, Gee, Samuel, son of John and Eliza, b. June 10th, 1679. Town Records.
" " " " p. 240, Gee, Joshua, son of John and Elizabeth, b. June 29th, 1698. Town Records.
" " " " p. 247, Gee, John, son of John and Eliza, b. Feb. 27th, 1699. Town Records.
" " " xxiv, p. 15, Gee, Ebenezer, son of John and Elizabeth, b. Dec. 22, 1702. Town Records.
" " " " p. 28, Gee, Elizabeth, dau. of John and Eliza, b. June 14th, 1704. Town Records.

Now bearing in mind that Elizabeth[4] Thacher is said to have married Joshua Gee as his 2nd wife, and that she was the mother of Joshua[5] Gee born June 29th, 1698, and that she married a 2nd time (after the death of Joshua[4] Gee her 1st husband) on August 12th, 1727: it is conclusively proven that Elizabeth[4] Thacher must have married Joshua[4] Gee previous to September 29th,

1697 (which is 9 months previous to the birth of Joshua[5] Gee). It also follows that Elizabeth (Harrise) Gee, 1st wife of Joshua[4] Gee must have died previous to September 29th, 1697.

The question then arises as to who was the mother of Samuel Gee born June 10th, 1697, which up to the present point of our demonstration is somewhat in doubt, as there is nothing that we have shown up to now which prevents Elizabeth (Harrise) Gee having been Samuel Gee's mother, nor have we proven that Elizabeth (Thacher) Gee was not.

It is a matter of record that Elizabeth[4] Thacher was the eldest child of Judiah[3] Thacher and that she was born October —, 1667. Mary (Thornton) Thacher (widow of Judah[3]) was admitted to the 2nd Church, Boston (Cotton Mather's Church) November 1st, 1691, and her daughter Ann[4] Thacher joined the same church May 10th, 1696; her son Judah[4] Thacher joined the same church January 29th, 1698-9; and her daughter Mary[4] Thacher, joined that church September 26th, 1703. The only daughter (in fact the only child that reached maturity) of Judah[3] Thacher who is not recorded as joining that church is Elizabeth[4] Thacher and as she was living all during these year it is a fair inference that she had during that period married and joined that church or some other church under her married name. As her entire family excluding herself belonged to the 2nd church we naturally would look in the records of the 2nd church to see if she is recorded as joining that body under a married name.

From the History of the 2nd Church, Boston we obtain the following record of admissions thereto:

May 2nd, 1679. Joshua Gee, admitted to 2nd Church Boston.
May 2nd, 1697. Elizabeth Gee, " " " " "

These entries bearing the same date taken in connection with the fact that on November 4th, 1698, Joshua[4] Gee refers to Thomas[4] Thacher (brother of Elizabeth[4] Thacher) as his wife's sister prove conclusively that Joshua[4] Gee had married Elizabeth[4] Thacher as his 2nd wife before May 2nd, 1697, and if Elizabeth[4] Thacher was the wife of Joshua[4] Gee previous to May 2nd, 1697, she must have been the mother of Samuel[5] Gee who was born June 10th, 1697, as well as of all the children born subsequently to Joshua[4] Gee as recorded under head of Family No. 3, viz:

Joshua[5] Gee, b. June 29th, 1698.
John[5] Gee, b. February 27th, 1699 (or 1699-1700).
Ebenezer[5] Gee, b. December 22nd, 1702.
Elizabeth[5] Gee, b. June 14, 1704.

And this is rended all the more probable, as in the record of the Baptisms in the 2nd Church, Boston (see History of said Church) we find the above children's baptisms recorded in one group as follows:

June 13th, 1697. Gee, Samuel, son of Joshua baptized.
July 3rd, 1698. " Joshua, " " " "
March 3rd, 1700. " John, " " " "
Dec. 27th, 1702. " Ebenezer, " " "
June 18th, 1704. " Elizabeth, daughter of Joshua, baptized.

And the foregoing are *all* of the children whose baptisms are grouped under this heading.

The natural and inevitable conclusion from all of the preceeding records is that Joshua[4] Gee while married to his 1st wife Elizabeth (Harrise) Gee belonged to the 1st Church, Boston, and that on marrying Elizabeth[4] Thacher after his first wife's death he was dismissed to, and with his 2nd wife joined the 2nd Church which was the place of worship of all of his 2nd wife's family. Granting that Joshua[4] Gee who married Elizabeth[4] Thacher was a widower at the time of his marriage to her (which fact is distinctly stated to be so by various contemporaneous authorities); he, Joshua[4] Gee, married 1st Elizabeth Harrise on September 25th, 1688 and by her had all the children grouped under head of Family No. 3 up to and including Mary[5] Gee born January 25th (baptized January 28th), 1694. His wife Elizabeth (Harrise) Gee died subsequent to January 25th, 1694, the date of birth of her last child, and Joshua[4] Gee

then married 2nd to Elizabeth[4] Thacher in time to have by her a child Samuel[5] Gee born June 10th, 1697, and hence he must have married her at least nine (9) months previous to that date, or on or previous to September 10th, 1696. Joshua[4] Gee had by his 2nd wife Elizabeth[4] Thacher all the children above recorded as born in the years 1697-98-99-1702 and 1704.

The records as they are found to exist in no way disagree with the traditions of the family and the statements of numerous authorities Savage and Bond excepted; and we claim to have corrected the statements of these two latter authorities in establishing beyond cavil the following facts:

1st Joshua[4] Gee married 1st Elizabeth Harris, on September 25th, 1688; she died previous to September 10th, 1696.

2nd Joshua[4] Gee married 2nd Elizabeth[4] Thacher (Judah[3]) on or previous to September 10th, 1696.

3rd Joshua[4] Gee under date of November 4th, 1698, is quoted by Sewall as speaking of Thomas[4] Thacher (brother of Elizabeth[4] Thacher) of Yarmouth, Mass., as his wife's brother,

4th Elizabeth[4] (Thacher) Gee, widow of Joshua[4] Gee, married a 2nd time on August 12th, 1727, to Rev. Peter[4] Thacher, of Milton, Mass., which is a matter of record.

5th Rev. Joshua[5] Gee was according to his own statement a "son-in-law" (a term used by him to signify step-son) of Rev. Peter[4] Thacher of Milton. This statement being made by him in a funeral sermon delivered subsequent to the death of his step-father which occurred December 17th, 1727.

Joshua[4] Gee (father of Rev. Joshua[5] Gee), who married as his 2nd wife Elizabeth[4] Thacher, was in his early life a mariner evidently engaged as ship-master or merchant in trade with the Mediteranean Sea countries and while on some voyage connected with his vocation was captured and held in slavery by the Moors in Morocco. This fact is made clear by reference to vol. i, series vi, of the Mass. Hist. Soc. Collections, in which we see that Joshua Gee was liberated from captivity by the Moors previous to September 20th 1687. That the Joshua Gee who was then liberated was the same Joshua[4] Gee who married, subsequent to his 1st wife's death, to Elizabeth[4] Thacher is made clear by a letter in this same volume from Sewall to Ive under date of November 4th, 1698, in which Sewall says "Mr. Gee knows the heart of a captive;" and this same letter makes it clear that once captive Joshua Gee had married Elizabeth[4] Thacher, as in the letter Mr. Gee is quoted as speaking of Thomas[4] Thacher of Boston as "his wife's brother."

Joshua[4] Gee when liberated from captivity returned to Boston aud became a shipwright and married as we have above shown 1st to Elizabeth Harrise and 2nd to Elizabeth[4] Thacher. He made his will under date of January 15th, 1722-3, and it was probated March 11th, 1722-3; hence he died between these dates. In this will he mentions his wife Elizabeth and his sons Joshua and Ebenezer, no other children being mentioned, and he appoints the three as his executors.

On the hypothesis (which we think we have established as a fact) that Joshua[4] Gee who married Elizabeth[4] Thacher was married twice and was a widower when he married Elizabeth[4] Thacher, and that his 1st wife was Elizabeth Harrise, we must from the terms of his will assume that all of his children by his 1st wife, as given in Family No. 3, were on January 15th, 1722-3, either dead without issue, or that they had been previously provided for by *ante mortem* settlements, as they are not mentioned in their father's will of that date; and also that all of his children by his 2nd wife (Elizabeth[4] Thacher) except Joshua[5] and Ebenezer[5] Gee were also dead on that date or had been previously provided for by *ante mortem* settlements as they are none of them mentioned in their father's will. The History of the 2nd Church, Boston gives dates of baptisms and admission to the Church but does not give any dates of deaths or burials; therefore I have been unable to determine positively the dates of the death of those children by 1st and 2nd marriages who are not mentioned in their father's will; but as no mention is made of them in said will it seems a fair presumption that they were dead without issue on January 15th, 1722-3.

Family No. 4.

B R, Vol. ix, p. 134, Thorton Mary, dau. of Timothy and Experience, b. April 2nd, 1674. Town Records.
" " " " p. 135, Thornton, Mary, dau. of Timothy and Experience, bapt. 5th day, 2nd mo. 1674. 1st Church Records.
" " " " p. 136, Thornton, Thomas, son of Timothy and Experience bapt. 21st day, 9th mo., 1675. 1st Church Records.
" " " " p. 143, Thornton, *Elizabeth, dau. of Timothy and Experience, born Nov. 17th, 1677. Town Records.*
" " " " p. 150, Thornton, Ann, dau. of Timothy and Exeprience, born Nov. 7th, 1679. Town Records.
" " " " p. 156, Thornton, Timothy, son of Timothy and Experience, born May 6th, 1681. Town Records.
" " " " p. 176, Thorton, Priscilla, dau. of Timothy and Experience, born Feb. 23rd, 1687. Town Records.
" " " " p. 219, Thornton, wife of Timothy, died Mar. 23rd, 1694. Town Records.

The error and confusion which has arisen regarding the identity of the Joshua Gee who married Elizabeth Thornton on December 7th, 1705, is thus explained.

Joshua Gee (son of John and Joane Gee) born January 19th, 1680 (see Family No. 2), married on December 7th, 1705, to Elizabeth Thornton (daughter of Timothy and Experience Thornton, see Family No. 4) who was born November 17th, 1677. They were both of marriageable age in 1705 and were the Joshua Gee and Elizabeth Thornton who married December 7th, 1705. John Gee who married Joane ——, and Joshua Gee who married 1st Elizabeth Harrise and 2nd Elizabeth[4] Thacher were brothers, and were sons of Peter Gee a fisherman of Boston possibly by his wife Grace ——, both of whom (Peter and Grace) were living in 1681 as will be seen by consulting Suffolk County, Mass. Deeds, vol. xii, p. 130; and therefore the Joshua Gee who married December 7th, 1705, to Elizabeth Thornton was a nephew of Joshua Gee who married 1st to Elizabeth Harrise and 2nd Elizabeth[4] Thacher; and in the records the former sometimes mentioned as Joshua Gee, Jr., to distinguish him from his uncle Joshua Gee.

From the above facts we are enabled to construct the record of Family No. 5.

B R, Vol. xxviii, p. 10, Joshua Gee was married at Boston by Rev. Cotton Mather on Dec. 7th, 1705, to Elizabeth Thornton and had the following children.
" " " " p. 45, Gee, John, born March 23rd, 1706. Town Records.
" " " " p. 61, Gee, Eliza, born January 15th, 1709. Town Records, recorded as dau. of Joshua, Jr.
" " " " p. 82, Gee, Ann, born March 4th, 1711-12, Town Records.

Joshua Gee, the father of the above family No. 5 died when his daughter Anne was 18 months old hence died about September 4th, 1712-13. Elizabeth Thornton-Gee widow of this Joshua Gee was married a 2nd time at Boston on January 11th, 1722, by the Rev. Cotton Mather to William Fine, a "slatter." The following abstracts of the wills and settlements of the estates of Joshua Gee, son of Peter, and Joshua Gee, son of John, will render it quite clear that they were not one and the same individual.

Abstract of will of Joshua Gee (son of Peter Gee), shipwright. Will dated January 15th, 1722–3, probated March 11th, 1722–3, Gives to Elizabeth Gee, his wife, in lieu of dower, his home and land and garden in north end of Boston with all privileges and appurtenances for life, with privilege to dispose of the same at her death to either of his two sons (Rev. Joshua[5] and Ebenezer[5]) as she may see fit; also gives to his wife ½ of plate and household goods and furniture (with certain exceptions) and the sum of £100, and the testator's negro woman Diana and her child. Gives to his son Joshua a certain Library of books located in chamber of his house together with other contents of said chamber and all of his land in County of York and a silver cup. Gives to his son Ebenezer Gee certain lands and books, gold seal ring "with ye coat of arms," silver

tankard, gun and sword. Joshua and Ebenezer his sons residuary legatees. Executors wife Elizabeth and sons Joshua and Ebenezer. No other individuals mentioned. Witnesses: Benjn. Edwards, John Harrod, Sam'l White. Admitted to probate on oath of witnesses by Samuel Sewall, March 11th, 1722–3.

Abstract of settlement of estate of Joshua Gee, shipwright of Boston (son of John and Joane.) He died about September 4th, 1712–13, intestate leaving a widow and 3 children; John, Eliza and Ann. No immediate settlement of his estate was made, the widow having possession of same until November 25th, 1724. She having previously, on January 11th, 1722, married a 2nd time to William Fine, a "slatter" of Boston, it was probably regarded by the Court as necessary to have the estate of her 1st husband, Joshua Gee, administered, in order to safeguard the interests of her children by her 1st marriage. On November 25th, 1724, Judge Samuell Sewall appointed William Fine and Elizabeth his wife to administer the estate of said Joshua Gee and make report thereupon before November 25th, 1725. In compliance with said administration, an inventory of estate was submitted to Court of said estate on November 30th, 1724, signed by Robert Renton, Thomas Jones and Tho. Tippin and also sworn to by William Fine and Elizabeth his wife. On April 9th, 1725, an additional inventory was submitted signed by Timo. Crouchington, Ferdinando Bowd and Joseph Poumery, and sworn to by William Fine and Elizabeth Fine. Attached to this inventory is a statement of a claim against said estate made by William Fine and Elizabeth Fine for expenditures made in bringing up the children (John, Elizabeth and Anne) of Joshua Gee by his wife Elizabeth (Thornton) Gee who married as her 2nd husband, Wm. Fine. In the statement of this claim it is specifically stated that the child John was 10 years old in 1715; that Elizabeth was 7 years old in 1715, and that Anne was 18 months old at the time of her father's death; all of which ages in 1715 agree with the dates of birth of said children as given in Family No. 5. On December 20th, 1725, a 3rd statement of said estate was submitted to the Court by William and Elizabeth Fine; and on January 7th, 1725–6, the final statement of William Fine and Elizabeth Fine as administrators of Estate of Joshua Gee was submitted to the Court and approved.

Suffolk Co., Mass., Deeds, vol. vi, pp. 124 and 134, and vol. ix, p. 97, and vol xii, p. 130, show conclusively that John Gee and Joshua Gee (father of families No. 2 and No. 3 respectively) were brothers and sons of Peter Gee, fisherman of Boston, whose wife in 1668 and 1681 was Grace —— and this Grace was perhaps the mother of these two sons John and Joshua; there is some doubt, however, as to whether she was their mother, as in one of the deeds above referred to she is described by Peter Gee as "my now wife" suggesting the possibility of her being a 2nd wife and not of necessity the mother of his children.

In the Memorial History of Boston, vol. i, p. 555, we have the following extract which shows conclusively the connection which existed between the Gee and Thatcher Families, viz:

"In 1711 Samuel Sewall and his wife Hannah conveyed a part of what had been once the pasture of old John Hall the mint-master, to the town of Boston to form a part of the Copp's Hill Burying ground and in the deed of transfer there was a reservation made of 'one rodd square in which Mrs. Mary Thacher now lyeth buried,' which rodd square had previously in 1708-9 been conveyed by them (Sewall and his wife) 'with no right of way except across the old burying ground' to Joshua Gee."

Mrs. Mary Thacher was the mother-in-law of the above referred to Joshua Gee and hence the reason for his buying the title to her burial place. This Little "rodd square" is even to this day private property of the Gee heirs (unless subsequently deed by them) although it is located in the midst of Copp's Hill Burying Ground, which is the property of the City of Boston.

In vol. ii, p vii, of this same Memorial History of Boston can be seen a fac-simile of the signature of Joshua Gee who married as his 2nd wife Elizabeth[4] Thacher; and also the statement that early in the 18th century he owned a ship yard on the S. W. side of Prince Street and that his home stood on the S. W. corner of Salem and Prince Street. He also owned some of the adjacent property which fell in 1722-3 to his sons Joshua and Ebenezer (the latter of whom died in 1730) and finally fell wholly to Joshua who died in 1748, when

the estate was divided, according to a document which the "Gleaner" calls one of the most important in the Boston Probate office.

From all of the above it will be seen that D. W. Allen in his *Thacher Genealogy*, on p. 35, is absolutely in error in stating that Elizabeth[4] Thacher (daughter of Judah[3] Thacher) married Joshua Gee, December 7th, 1705. She did marry him however on or previous to September 10th, 1696.

59. THOMAS[4] THACHER (Judah,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., May 18th, 1669; he resided at Yarmouth and was a mariner by profession; he died at Mequinez, Morocco, while held there in slavery by the Moors, date of death previous to June 17th, 1702; he was probably buried in Mequinez. We have no record of his ever having married and he is presumed to have died single.

Thomas[4] Thacher came of age May 18th, 1690, and according to the terms of the settlement of the estate of his father Judah[3] Thacher he received his father's house and one-half of the land most convenient thereto. Inasmuch as Judah[3] Thacher inherited one-half of the land of Antony[2] Thacher, it follows that Thomas[4] Thacher's inheritance was one-fourth of the real estate of Antony[2] Thacher, which was a goodly portion for those days.

D. W. Allen in his *Thacher Genealogy,* p. 36, states that this Thomas[4] Thacher settled in Tolland, Conn., in which statement he is entirely in error. He probably derived this impression from the first part of the MSS. Thacher Genealogy by the Hon. George Thacher. Hon. George Thacher was self-confessedly very ignorant of the records of the descendants of Judah[3] Thacher and records the *tradition* that Thomas[4] Thacher had gone to Tolland, Conn., but never gave any facts in substantiation of such tradition. Lack of knowledge of the descendants of Judah[3] Thacher up to a recent date was due to the primary fact that the family became extinct in the male line with the death of Thomas[4] and Judah[4] both of whom died not married, leaving no issue. And as they both died long before Hon. George Thacher was born, leaving in their immediate branch of the family none of the name in Hon. George Thacher's day, it is not remarkable that his sole knowledge of them was an unfounded tradition. However, we of more recent times, due to the publication of old records have been able to find out somewhat about Thomas[4] Thacher.

Probably starting at manhood he chose the sea as a means of livelihood, whether as a sea captain or as a trader does not appear, but as he was of some means it is presumed that he commanded his own vessel. Apparently his calling required voyages to southern European waters as is shown by his fate; as on his last voyage he was captured by the Moors and held a slave in captivity, in Mequinez, Morocco, where he died early in 1702, previous to June 17th, of that year.

In the *Mass. Hist. Soc. Collections,* vol. i., series vi., there is as I have before noted a series of letters from Sewall to John Ive, probably of London, Eng.; these letters begin October 30th, 1695, and bear largely upon the concerted endeavor then being made in New England to secure the liberation from slavery of Thomas[4] Thacher of Yarmouth, then held a captive by the Moors in Mequinez, and who had as a companion in this captivity one James Ball, at one time of Boston, New England, and later of Bristow, England. This correspondence continues, Sewall from time to time sending money to Ive to be used in the interest of the captives, either in ameliorating their condition or affecting their release by ransom or escape. During all this time Joshua Gee, who about 1696 married Elizabeth[4] Thacher (sister of the captive Thomas[4] Thacher) was largely instrumental in raising the necessary funds, subscribing thereto himself to the amount of £50 towards effecting the release of Thomas[4] Thacher. Joshua Gee had himself previously been a captive slave of the Moors and was released from such captivity previous to September 20th, 1687. It may have been that Joshua Gee had been a fellow captive with Thomas[4] Thacher of Yarmouth, at Mequinez, and after his escape or ransom (it does not appear which), out of friendship for Thomas[4] Thacher became acquainted with Thomas[4] Thacher's family who subsequent to 1691 were living in Boston; and this acquaintance ripening into friendship resulted in the marriage not later than 1696 of Joshua Gee to Elizabeth[4] Thacher, the sister of Thomas[4] Thacher, who was still a captive at Mequinez. However, that may be we have among the papers of Sewall the following account rendered by Sewall of funds raised by Joshua Gee under date of March 29th, 1694, viz:—

"Account of money collected for Thomas Thacher of Yarmouth, given me by Joshua Gee, March 29th, 1694.

By his relatives	£50-00.00
By Joshua Gee	50-00.00
By Miss Copp and Gill	39-15.02
By Hingham	10-17.00
By Barnstable	8-14.00
By Sandwich	3- 8.00
By Eastham and Harwich	16- 5.00
By Judith Thacher	9-11.00
By a friend	7.00
	£187-17-02

Bills of Exchange	£202.10.0
Deduct	187.17.2
Rests	14.12.10."

From this account we see that Thomas[4] Thacher of

Yarmouth was in captivity as early as 1694 when the fund was raised. And as news travelled slowly in those days it is more than probable that he had been in captivity some little time before it was known, and the funds raised for the betterment of his condition. It has been asked who was the Judith Thacher who in the above account subscribed £9-11.00. No Judith Thacher that we know of was living at that time, and it has been suggested that Thomas[4] Thacher may have married a Judith ——, who was the party who sent this amount to him to aid in his release. I do not think that this was the case as Thomas[4] Thacher was born in 1669 and was in captivity in 1694, when he was not yet 25 years old, and had been there for sometime in such captivity, and as we have no record of his marriage in the early colonial records, I do not think that he ever married. I account for *Judith* Thacher in this way. It is a noticeable fact that in the records of that period the name Juda (Judah) was often recorded Judith, and *vice versa* Judith was frequently recorded Juda (Judah). My belief is that the Judith Thacher here above recorded as sending the £9-11.00 was in reality Thomas[4] Thacher's brother Judah[4] Thacher, born December 7th, 1676, and who was in 1694 almost of age, and who may have received the authority of the Court to thus subscribe for his brother's ransom. This Judah[4] Thacher was at this date living in Boston, where he joined the Second Church in 1698.

These letters of Sewall to Ive continue and in them as before stated (under the record of Elizabeth[4] Thacher) on November 4th, 1698, Joshua Gee is quoted as speaking of Thomas[4] Thacher of Yarmouth as his (Joshua Gee's) wife's brother; and on June 17th, 1702, in a letter from Sewall to Ive, Sewall states, "I have yours per Captain Foster, giving further account of the return of the captives, and of the death of poor Thacher of Yarmouth, which Anthony Haywood, now come in the *Centurion,* also informed me of." Sewall then goes on to instruct Ive to return the balance of the account in favor of Thomas Thacher[4] of Yarmouth to enable him (Sewall) to return it *pro rata* unto those who gave it. It is not specifically stated whether Thomas[4] Thacher of Yarmouth died in Mequinez during his captivity or soon after his release, but I have assumed from the term of the letter that he died in captivity. The Anthony Haywood, of the *Centurion,* referred to in the letter of Sewall was in all likelihood the father of Margaret Haywood, who married Thomas[5] Thacher (Thomas[4]), of Boston, who was the Thomas Thacher, of Boston, who was a fellow captive in Mequinez of Thomas[4] Thacher of Yarmouth, and who was liberated on or before June 17th, 1702. The John Ive who was Sewall's correspondent, it has appealed to me may have been a relative of the John Ive who was one of the vestry-

men of St. Edmund's Church, during the incumbency of Rev. Peter[2] Thacher of Salisbury.

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60. MARY[4] THACHER (Judah,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, Mass., March 17th, 1671; she resided before marriage at Yarmouth, Mass., and Boston, Mass.; she died at ——; date of death ——; she married first, at Boston, Mass., November 3rd, 1692, to Moses Draper (as his second wife), born at ——; date of birth ——; he resided at Roxbury and Boston, Mass.; he died at Boston, Mass., August 14th, 1693, and is buried in Copp's Hill Burying Ground, Boston, where a gravestone marks his grave; his parentage is unknown, but he was perhaps a son of James Draper of Dedham, Mass.

Child: 1 (Draper) son, born at Boston, Mass.

182 i. Moses,[5] born September 12th, 1693; baptized September 17th, 1693, at Second Church, Boston. I know nothing further of this child. However, in Boston Record Commission Report, vol. 28, p. 276, we have the intention of marriage published in Boston (marriage not recorded there) between Moses Draper and Mary Allen, November 26th, 1743. This may have been this Moses Draper, but if so it was probably not a first marriage as on that date he was 50 years of age. *N. E. Hist. Gen. Reg.,* vol. iv., p. 68, mentions Capt. Moses Draper as being in Regiment of Thomas Gardner of Cambridge (25th Regt.) July 6th, 1775; and vol. xxvii., p. 121, speaks of Capt. Moses Draper being at Battle of Bunker Hill. (Authorities, *Hist. Second Church, Boston,* p. 242, and Savage's *Gen. Dic.,* vol. ii., p. 71; iii., p. 616.)

Mary[4] Thacher-Draper was admitted to Second Church, Boston, September 26th, 1703. Moses Draper, Sr., confessed Jesus and was admitted to full communion in Roxbury Church and was baptized there December 17th, 1683.

Moses Draper, Sr., married first at ——, on July 7th, 1685, to Hannah Chandler; she was born at ——; date of birth ——; she was admitted into full communion in Church at Roxbury, Mass., in 1689. She died at Roxbury, Mass., June 9th, 1692, aged 22-8-21, and was buried at Roxbury, Mass., gravestone. She was a daughter of Deacon John and Elizabeth (Douglas) Chandler, of Woodstock, Conn.

Children: 3 (Draper), daughters. *Not in Thacher line.*

1. Hannah, born April 8th, 1686.

2. Elizabeth, first, born ——, 1687; died November 5th, 1687.
3. Elizabeth, second, born November 17th, 1688; died November 17th, 1688, and was buried in Roxbury, Mass., gravestone.

A stone to the memory of Moses Draper is in Copp's Hill Burying Ground and is thus inscribed:

"Here lyeth buried ye body of Moses Draper, aged about 31 years, deceased ye 14th of August, 1693."

From a book of transcripts of Land Records at Roxbury, Mass., September 22nd, 1715, lot No. 33 is recorded in name of Moses Draper. This must refer to Moses Draper, Jr., who was born September 12th, 1693.

Mary[4] Thacher-Draper, (widow of Moses Draper, Sr.), was married a second time at Boston, Mass., on August 19th, 1704, by Mr. James Allen to Joseph Grant. He was born at Boston, February 15th, 1660-61 and resided at Boston; he died at Boston, date of death ——, and was buried in Copp's Hill Burying Ground where a footstone marks his grave with no date thereon. Joseph Grant was a son of Edward Grant, of Boston, a shipwright who died ——, 1682, (leaving a widow, Sarah and one child Joseph) and his wife Sarah (Ward) Grant, (daughter of William Ward, (or Ware) who died in Boston, March 25th, 1690. Edward Grant was a freeman in 1672.

Child: 1. (Grant), son, born at Boston, Mass.

+183 ii. Samuel,[5] born October 13th, 1705; died ——; married Elizabeth Cookson.

From *Boston Record Commission Report,* vol. 9, p. 196, we obtain the following extract:

"Joseph Grant, son of Joseph and Hannah, born at Boston, June 22nd, 1691," from which it appears possible that the above Joseph Grant (Mary[4] Thacher's second husband) may possibly have been previously married to one Hannah ——. I have however been unable to establish this as a fact.

From *Boston Record Commission Report,* vol. 28, p. 51, we obtain the following extract:

"Joseph Grant and Dorothy Allen were married by Rev. Cotton Mather, October 6th, 1714," and from same *Records,* vol. 24, we obtain the following record of births:

"P. 119. 1. Joseph, son of Joseph and Dorothy Grant, born June 7th, 1716.

"P. 129. 2. John, son of Joseph and Dorothy Grant, born March 5th, 1717-18.

"P. 136. 3. Edward, son of Joseph and Dorothy Grant, born Dec. 11th, 1719.

"P. 186. 4. William, son of Joseph and Dorothy Grant, born April 2d, 1728."

From which records it appears possible that Joseph Grant, who married Mary[4] Thacher as her second husband, may have married a third time to Dorothy Allen. It seems, however, more probable that the Joseph Grant who married Dorothy Allen was the Joseph Grant (son of Joseph and Hannah Grant), born June 22d, 1691. From the data at hand and time at my disposal, I have been unable to determine which (if either) of these surmises is correct; but it does not materially matter to this record as the children of the issue are not of Thacher blood.

A Mary Draper was either baptized in or admitted to the First Church, Boston, October 13th, 1695. I do not think that this was Mary[4] (Thacher) Draper, (although it may have been she), as her only child by Moses Draper, senior, was baptized in the Second Church, Boston, September 17th, 1693, and her second husband, Joseph Grant, was also of the Second Church. Yet it may have been she, as her child may have been baptized in the Second Church, which was the church of her mother's family, and she may have subsequently been dismissed to the First Church subsequent to her first husband's death; and again on September 26th, 1703, may have been again dismissed back to her old church, the Second Church of Boston.

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64. JABEZ[4] HOWLAND (Bethia[3] Thacher, Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Plymouth, Mass., November 15th, 1669; he resided at Plymouth, Mass., and Bristol, Rhode Island; he was a blacksmith and cooper, succeeding to his father's business; he was an industrious and thrifty man; he died at Bristol, R. I., October 17th, 1732, aged 64, and was buried in St. Michael's P. E. Churchyard, Bristol, R. I., on October 19th, 1732. His estate was $15,000 in value. Executors, his daughters Bethia Bragg, a widow, and Elizabeth Howland, spinster. He married at ——, date of marriage ——, to Patience Stafford, who was born at ——, date of birth ——, 1669 (see age at death); she died at Bristol, R. I., October 23rd, 1721, aged 52, and was buried in St. Michael's P. E. Churchyard being the first body interred there. She was re-interred in 1726. She was a daughter of Samuel Stafford (born ——, 1636; died March 20, 1718), and his wife Mercy Westcott (who died March 25, 1700), of Warwick, R. I.

Children: 9 (Howland), 2 sons and 7 daughters, all born in Bristol, R. I.

184 i. Patience, 1st,[5] b. ——; baptized 7-2-1706; died October 5th, 1707, at Bristol, R. I.

+185 ii. Bethiah,[5] b. Saturday A. M., December 5th, 1702; died ——; married, first, Nicholas Bragg; second, Simon (or Simeon) Davis; (third, Daniel Green?)

+186 iii. Mercy (or Mary[5]), b. January 27th, 1704; died ——; married, first, George Pierce (Pearse or Pearce); second, Isaac Martindale.

187 iv. Elizabeth, 1st,[5] b. May 15, 1707; died ——, 1707; in infancy, at Bristol, R. I., and was buried there. No issue.

+188 v. Elizabeth, 2nd,[5] b. July 17th, 1709; died ——; married Otis Little.

+189 vi. Sarah,[5] b. April 10th (or 30th), 1711; died ——; married Isaac Lawton.

190 vii. Jabez,[5] born July 20th, 1713; died May ——, 1739, at sea; marriage intention published 11th of 3rd month, 1738, with Mary Green, of Warwick, R. I., said to have left no issue.

+191 viii. Patience, 2nd,[5] born March 23rd, 1716-17; died ——; married Samuel Barker.

192 ix. Thomas,[5] born February 5th, 1719-20; died ——; said to have left no issue, and I have obtained no record of his marriage.

At the Easter meeting, 1724, the first vestry meeting of St. Michael's P. E. Church at Bristol, R. I., Jabez[4] Howland was elected a vestry man and Senior Warden of that church. In front of the old wooden church which was burned on December 5th, 1858, there stood an old slate gravestone which marked the resting-place of Patience, wife of Jabez[4] Howland. This stone was thus inscribed:

"Ye body of Patience, ye wife of Jabez Howland, died October 23, 1721, aged 52, being ye first interred in St. Michael's churchyard."

This stone also bore the following epitaph:

"The Dame who takes her rest within this tomb,
Had Rachel's comely face and Leah's fruitful womb,
Abigail's wisdom, Lydia's purer heart,
Martha's just care and Mary's better part."

From the *Vital Records of R. I.*, vol. vi., p. 28, we obtain the following extract:

Jabez Howland, of Bristol, and Mary Green, of *Warren*, published their intention to marry in Bristol, March 11th, 1727. This may have been the above Jabez[4] Howland who intended to marry a second time, but I have found no record of the actual marriage; it could hardly have been Jabez[5] Howland (Jabez[4]) who was the contracting party as at the date, March 11th, 1727, he was only 14 years of age.

We have also the published intention of marriage of Jabez Howland and Mary Green, of Warwick, R. I., 11-3, 1738. This was undoubtedly Jabez[5] Howland (Jabez[4]). I think that these two entries in the original records were duplicates of the same publication and that in transcription the date March 11th, 1727, was incorrectly copied 1727, being in the original record 1737; if this were the case it would read March 11th, 1737, which was old style for the year and would be March 11th, 1738, New Style; and this would be 11-3-1738, agreeing with the second record, the name *Warren* being also incorrectly transcribed for Warwick.

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67. JOSIAH[4] HOWLAND (Bethiah[3] Thacher, Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born Plymouth, Mass., August 6th (or 1st), 1776; died at Bristol, R. I., February 8th, 1717, and was buried there. He was a blacksmith and inn-keeper at Bristol, R. I. He married at ——; date of marriage 7-4-11-1709, to Yetmercy Shove (mentioned in her father's will), born at Taunton, Mass., November 7th, 1682; died at ——; date of death——; she survived her husband and kept up the inn. She was a daughter of Rev. George Shove (who was ordained at Taunton, Mass., November 16, 1665, and who died April 21st, 1687), and his second wife Hannah (Bacon) Walley, who died September (or December 22nd), 1685, and who was a daughter of Nathaniel Bacon and widow of Thomas Walley.

Children: 6 (Howland), 3 sons and 3 daughters (probably all born at Bristol, R. I.).

+193 i. Yetmercy,[5] born March 11th, 1712-13; died August 8th, 1737; married, first, Isaac Palmer, and second, Nathaniel Howland.
194 ii. Elizabeth,[5] born ——; died ——.
195 iii. John,[5] born ——; died ——.
196 iv. Samuel,[5] born ——; died ——.
197 v. Patience,[5] born ——; died ——.
198 vi. Josiah,[5] born April 9th, 1717; baptized 5-8-1722; died February 6th, 1748, at Bristol, R. I.

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68. JOHN[4] HOWLAND (Bethiah[3] Thacher, Antony,[2] Rev Peter[1]), born Plymouth, Mass., July 26th, 1679; he died at ——; date of death ——; previous to May 15th, 1748, as his brother Samuel[4] Howland administered on his estate on that date. *Davis' Landmarks of Plymouth,* p. 150, states that this John[4] Howland married Martha Wardwell. This statement I think is in error. First because at the date of the record of marriage, October 24th, 1736, John[4] Howland would have been 57 years old, which, while not impossible, is rather improbable for a first marriage, and no other marriage of his has been discovered by me after a somewhat exhaustive search. Secondly, because John[5] Howland (son of Samuel[4] Howland), who was born September 27th, 1713, was of a suitable marriageable age on October 24th, 1736, to be the John Howland who married Martha Wardwell, and moreover because this John[5] Howland's three sisters, Phebe,[5] Mary[5] and Mehitable[5] Howland all married brothers of Martha Wardwell, thus showing a strong tendency of this generation and family of Howlands and Wardwells to intermarry; and the entries of the record of the marriages of John,[5] Phebe,[5] Mary[5] and Mehitable[5] Howland occur also in the books in such a manner as to suggest them to have been of one family while not specifically so stating.

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71. DEACON SAMUEL[4] HOWLAND (Bethiah[3] Thacher, Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born Bristol, R. I., May 16th, 1686; died at Bristol, R. I., May 15th, 1748; he resided at Bristol, R. I., joined the Congregational Church there August 1st, 1708; he was Justice of the Peace, 1740, and also Town Clerk of Bristol and a school teacher and a Deacon in the Congregational Church. He was married, first, at Bristol, R. I., by the Rev. Mr. Sparhawk, on May 6th, 1708, to Abigail Carey. She was born at Bristol, R. I., August 31st, 1684, and was a member of the Congregational Church there, June 29th, 1707; she died at Bristol, R. I., August 6th, 1737, aged 53, and was buried at Bristol. She was a daughter of John and Abigail (——) Carey, who came from Bridgewater, Mass., and settled in Bristol, R. I.

Children: 8 (Howland), 3 sons and 5 daughters, all born at Bristol, R. I.

+199 i. Samuel,[5] born April 3rd, 1709; died ——; married, first, Lucie Smith; second, Abigail Moon.

+200 ii. Abigail,[5] born October 18th, 1710; died August 8th, 1737; married Israel Church.

+201 iii. John,[5] born September 27th, 1713; died August 21st, 1786; married Martha Wardwell.

+202 iv. Tabitha,[5] born January 13th, 1715-16; died ——; married, first, Nathaniel Carey; second, John Peckham.

203 v. Seth,[5] born July 9th, 1719; died August 6th, 1719, at Bristol, R. I., and was buried there. No issue.

+204 vi. Phebe,[5] born March 9th, 1720-21; died November 30th, 1794; married Joseph Wardwell.

+205 vii. Mary,[5] born March 18th, 1722-23; died ——; married William Wardwell.

+206 viii. Mehitable,[5] born February 1st, 1724-25; died February 13, 1764; married Stephen Wardwell.

Samuel[4] Howland married a second time at ——; date of marriage ——; intention published at Bristol, R. I., February 18th, 1741-2, and at Barrington, R. I., February 19th, 1741-2, to "Madame" Rachel Allen, of Barrington, R. I. (widow of Samuel Allen). She died at Barrington, R. I., January 25th, 1744-5, and was buried at Barrington, gravestone. By this marriage we have the record of no children.

Samuel[4] Howland from 1709 to 1712 was a school teacher in Bristol, Mass., at a salary of £40 a year, and was the Town Clerk there for many years. On January 27th, 1746-7, Bristol, Mass., became a part of Rhode Island and on February 10th, 1746-7, he was chosen Town Clerk of Bristol, R. I.

The following is the inscription on the gravestone of the second wife of Samuel[4] Howland, which stone marks her grave in the burying ground in the woods on the hill in Barrington, R. I.: "In memory of Mrs. Rachel Howland, ye wife of Samuel Howland, who departed this life January ye 25th, 1744-5, on or about ye 64th year of her age." Her will was dated January, 1744, and refers to her as the wife of Samuel of *Barrington,* R. I., and in said will she gives to Samuel Allen the sword and gun, etc., of my former husband, Samuel Allen, to whom she also gives one silver tankard.

Samuel[4] Howland administered on the estate of his brother John[4] Howland.

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73. JOSEPH[4] HOWLAND (Bethiah[3] Thacher, Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Bristol, R. I., October 14th, 1692; baptized 8-9-1695, at First Congregational Church, Bristol, R. I.; he resided at Bristol, R. I., and possibly at Newport, R. I. He died at ——; date of death, August 16th, 1737; he married at ——; date of marriage, 1712 about, to Bathsheba Carey. She was born at Providence, R. I., August 14th, 1693; before marriage she resided at Swansea, Mass.; she died at ——, 16-8-

1775. She was a daughter of David and Elizabeth (——) Carey, of Providence, R. I.

Children: 3 (Howland), 1 son and 2 daughters, all born at Bristol, R. I.

207 i. Lydia,[5] born November 6th, 1715; died ——; married Edward Belcher, of Newport, R. I., 22-6-1747.

+208 ii. Joseph,[5] born December 6th, 1717; died March ——, 1775; married Sarah Barker.

209 iii. Elizabeth,[5] born February 14th, 1719-20; died ——; married at Newport, R. I., November 3rd, ——, to Constant Taber, of Newport, R. I., by whom she had one son, Constant[6] Taber, born ——; died ——; aged 83; this child was living in Newport, R. I., in 1816.

FIFTH GENERATION.

75. THANKFUL[5] THACHER (Hon. Peter,[4] Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, January 13th, 1693-4; died at Yarmouth, Mass., February 9th, 1768, and was buried in old Cemetery at Yarmouth probably; no gravestone. She was married at Yarmouth, August 2nd (or 24th), 1716, by Hon. Peter[4] Thacher, Esq. (her father), to John Hallett. He was born in Yarmouth, ——, 1688 (see age at death and date of death); he resided at Yarmouth, where he built a large mansion which in 1888 was occupied by the widow Elizabeth Gorham and Howard Crowell. He was sheriff and a man of note; Rep. to Gen. Court, 1741-5, and Selectman of Yarmouth from 1741 for 13 years; he died at Yarmouth, April 8th, 1765, aged 77, or "in his 78th year," and was buried in old Cemetery, Yarmouth, where a stone marks his grave. He was a son of John[3] Hallett (Andrew,[2] Andrew[1]), and his wife, Mary (Howes) Hallett, of Yarmouth, Mass.

Children: 3 (Hallett), 2 sons and 1 daughter, all born at Yarmouth.

+210 i. Mary,[6] born December 17th, 1717; died August 19th, 1741; m. Isaac Gorham.

+211 ii. John,[6] born August 9th, 1719; d. February 14th, 1760; m. Rebecca Hallett.

+212 iii. Peter,[6] born October 7th, 1721; died February ——, 1794; m. first, Eunice Allen; second, Sarah Snow; third, Lydia Bearse.

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78. SARAH[5] THACHER (Hon. Peter,[4] Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born Yarmouth, February 2nd, 1708-9; died at Barnstable, Mass., presumably, although I have no record of her gravestone. She was married at Yarmouth, presumably, on September 12th, 1727 (the year date is given incorrectly as 1737 in *Allen's Thacher Genealogy* and *Otis' Barnstable Families*) to George Lewis. He was born at Barnstable, April 5th, 1704; he resided at Barnstable, where he was a hard-working industrious man, not distinguished in public life; he died at Barnstable, date of death ——, will dated July 19th, 1757, and he was probably buried in Barnstable, but I have no record of his gravestone. He was a son of Ebenezer Lewis and his first wife, Anna (Lothrop) Lewis, who resided at Barnstable, Mass.

Children: 12 (Lewis), 4 sons and 8 daughters, all born in Barnstable.

+213 i. Annah,[6] born December 9th, 1728; died ——; married Nathaniel Gorham.

214 ii. Thankful, 1st,[6] born January 10th, 1729; died March 16th, 1729, at Barnstable and was buried there.

+215 iii. John,[6] born October 5th, 1731; died ——; married Deborah Phinney.

216 iv. Thankful, 2nd,[6] born April 6th, 1734; died ——. I know nothing more of her.

+217 v. Sarah,[6] born July 31st, 1737; died June 23rd, 1785; m. Otis Loring.

218 vi. Temperance, 1st,[6] born August 25th, 1739; died September 4th, 1739, at Barnstable and was buried there.

+219 vii. George,[6] born April 9th, 1741; died July 24th, 1819; married, first, Mary Davis, and second, Desire Parker.

220 viii. Temperance, 2nd,[6] born June 13th, 1743; died June 4th, 1744, at Barnstable and was buried there.

+221 ix. Josiah,[6] born April 29th, 1745; died ——; married ——?

222 x. Temperance, 3rd,[6] born October 20th, 1747; died ——. I know nothing more of her.

+223 xi. Susannah,[6] born September 5th (or 26th), 1749; died September 25th, 1841; married Jonathan Davis.

224 xii. James,[6] born August ——, 1753; died October 17th, 1773; drowned; not married.

George Lewis, sr. (husband of Sarah[5] Thacher) resided at Barnstable, Mass., in the old dwelling house of his father, Ebenezer Lewis, which was still standing at the time of the writing of the *Amos Otis Barnstable Families*. He was a hard-working, industrious man, not distinguished in public life. His children probably

inherited the energy and decision which characterized them from their mother. In his time the garden and grounds of Frederick W. Crocker, deceased, in front of his house, was a thick and almost impenetrable swamp. He was called Junior all his life to distinguish him from his Uncle George Lewis, who outlived him 12 years. In his will, dated July 19, 1757, he mentions his daughters Annah Gorham, Sarah Loring, Temperance and Susannah Lewis, and his sons John (Executor), George, Josiah and James, his wife Sarah and his father Ebenezer. The inventory of his estate amounted to £284-6-2.

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79. TEMPERANCE[5] THACHER (Hon. Peter,[4] Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, September 16th, 1711; died at West Barnstable, Mass., July 11th, 1736, aged 24, and was buried at West Barnstable. She married at Yarmouth, presumably on July 24th (or June 1st), 1734, to Seth Crocker (as his second wife). He was b. at Barnstable, Mass., June 13th, 1708; he resided at West Barnstable until about 1781, when he removed to Lee, Mass.; he died at West Barnstable, Mass., March 25th, 1770, aged 62 and was buried there. He was a son of Thomas Crocker (born May 28th, 1671; died April ——, 1728; married March 25th, 1696), and Hannah (Green) Crocker, of Boston, (born ——, 1675; died January 23rd, 1728-9), who resided at West Barnstable, Mass.

Child: 1 (Crocker), son, born at West Barnstable, Mass.

+225 i. Thomas,[6] born June 8th, 1735; died July 5th, 1796; married Mercy Hamblin.

Seth Crocker married, first, April 16th, 1730, to Joanna Leavet, born ——, 1712; died at West Barnstable, August 4th, 1732, aged 20, and was buried there; she left one child, Hannah Crocker, born July 18th, 1732, baptized July 23rd, 1732, which child was feeble minded. Seth Crocker married a third time in 1742, to Abigail Blish(daughter of Joseph Blish and Hannah (Child) Blish), born at Barnstable, November 29th, 1705, and died at Lee, Mass., April 10th, 1795, "in her 90th year," and was buried in Lee, Mass.; gravestone.

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80. LIEUT. PETER[5] THACHER (Hon. Peter,[4] Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, August 24th, 1712; he resided at Yarmouth, Mass., where he was a selectman from

1729 for four years and a Lieutenant in the Militia; he died at Yarmouth, August 22nd, 1775 (Town Records), or August 21st, 1775 (gravestone), in his 63rd year and was buried in Old Cemetery, Yarmouth, where gravestone marks his grave. He was married at Yarmouth, Mass., by Hon. Peter[4] Thacher, his father, Justice of the Peace, on October 24th, 1734 (1735 according to *Hinckley's Barnstable Records,* N. E. Hist. Gen. Soc., which is probably incorrect, on account of date of birth of his first child), to Anner Lewis, born at Barnstable, February 3rd, 1715-16; died at Yarmouth, January 17th, 1784, and was buried there in Old Cemetery. She was a daughter of George Lewis (born ——, 1673; died November ——, 1769, in 96th year; buried in Old Burying Ground; married June 14th, 1711, by Col. John Otis), and Alice Crocker (born December 25th, 1679, at Barnstable; died February 3rd (or 23rd), 1718, aged 39, daughter of Josiah Crocker), of Barnstable, Mass. George Lewis and his wife lived at Barnstable, Mass.

Children: 11 (Thacher), 7 sons and 4 daughters, all born in Yarmouth.

+226 i. Josiah,[6] born July 22 (or 25th), 1735 or 1736; died October 5th, 1799 (or 1800); married, first, Elizabeth Hamblin; second, Elizabeth Lothrop.

+227 ii. Peter,[6] born November 25th, 1737; died September 21st (or 27th), 1802; married Betty Howes.

+228 iii. Temperance,[6] born February 22nd (or 25th), 1739-40; died ——, 1805; married John Hedge.

229 iv. Lewis, 1st,[6] born March 15th, 1741-2; died November 24th, 1742, aged 8 mos., at Yarmouth, Mass., and was buried there in Old Cemetery; gravestone.

230 v. Lewis, 2nd,[6] still born, about 1743.

231 vi. Thankful,[6] born February 28th, 1744-5; died March 5th, 1764, at Yarmouth, Mass., and was buried there. Not married. No issue.

232 vii. Anner,[6] born July 2nd, 1747; died August 9th, 1748, at Yarmouth, Mass., and was buried there; died in infancy; no issue.

+233 viii. Sarah,[6] born June 5th, 1749; died January 28th, 1808-9; married Isaac Gorham.

234 ix. Lewis, 3rd,[6] born November 23rd, 1751; died November 7th, 1778, aged 27, at Yarmouth, Mass., and is buried there. Not married. His will is recorded at Barnstable.

+235 x. George,[6] born April 12th, 1754; died April 6th, 1824; married Sarah Savage.

+236 xi. Thomas,[6] born January 20th, 1757; died February 24th, 1806-7; married Mary Churchill.

The will of Lieut. Peter[5] Thacher, dated November 14th, 1772, and probated September 27th, 1775, mentions son Peter, who received "little gun and cain"; grandson Peter Thacher "silver buttons on my jaccoat"; grandson John Hedge "silver Buttons on my breeches"; Peter Lewis, son of John Lewis, "one good ewe sheep"; children Josiah, Thomas, Lewis, Sarah and George and Temperance Hedge, son-in-law John Hedge. Josiah[6] Thacher, son of Lieut. Peter[5] Thacher, was made guardian of his youngest brother Thomas[6] Thacher; and in his accounting is this item: "To one pair of trowsers when you went privateering." George Lewis willed to his daughter Anner (wife of Lieut. Peter[5] Thacher) a room in his house in Barnstable which he called his study. Amos Otis says that Hon. Peter[4] Thacher used to occupy this room as his office during the sessions of the Court at Barnstable.

In her will Anner (Lewis) Thacher mentions her grandson, Lewis Thacher, to whom she gives her "assembly notations"; she also mentions Benjamin Lothrop Thacher and Joseph Lewis Thacher.

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83. REBECCA[5] THACHER (Deacon Josiah,[4] Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, date of birth ——. She was admitted to Second Church at Yarmouth, August 6th, 1727, and was on list of communicants at Brattle Street Church, Boston, December 5th, 1736, from East Yarmouth, Mass.; she died at —— (Boston, probably), date of death ——(subsequent to 1736). She was married at —— (Yarmouth, probably, although we have no record thereof); date of marriage ——, 1716, about (between October 1st, 1716, and December 12th, 1717), to John Paddock. He was born at Yarmouth, June 24th, 1695; he lived at Yarmouth (East Parish); he was admitted to Second Church, Yarmouth, August 6th, 1727, and on June 16th, 1729, he was on a committee to locate meeting house in Wellfleet (then Eastham); he died at —— (East Yarmouth, probably), September 30th, 1732, "in his 38th year," and was buried at East Dennis, Mass., in the Paddock Burying Ground. He was a son of Captain John Paddock (born May 5, 1669; died February 18th, 1717, in 49th year; marriage pub. ——, 1694; son of Zachariah Paddock and Deborah (Sears) Paddock) and Priscilla Hall (born February ——, 1671; died January 2nd, 1724, in her 57th year; daughter of John and Priscilla (Bearse) Hall), of Yarmouth, Mass.

Children: 9 (Paddock), 3 sons and 6 daughters, all born in Yarmouth, Mass.

237 i. Anna, 1st,[6] born September 23rd, 1717; died January 31st, 1718, aged 4 mos., at Yarmouth, and was probably buried in Paddock Burying Ground, East Dennis.

+238 ii. Anna, 2nd,[6] born November 2nd, 1718; died ——; married Benjamin Hawes.

239 iii. Mercy, 1st,[6] born June 8th, 1720; died November 20th, 1728, aged 8 yrs., 5 mos., at Yarmouth, and was probably buried in Paddock Burying Ground, at East Dennis.

240 iv. Elizabeth, 1st,[6] born April 16th, 1722; died April 2nd, 1725, at Yarmouth, and was probably buried in Paddock Burying Ground, at East Dennis.

241 v. John,[6] born March 9th, 1723-4; died ——.

242 vi. Elizabeth, 2nd,[6] born April 25th, 1726; died ——.

+243 vii. Adino,[6] born March 14th, 1727-8; died March 25th, 1804; married Lydia Snelling.

+244 viii. Enoh,[6] born March 18th, 1728-9; died ——; married Martha Dickinson.

245 ix. Mercy, 2nd,[6] born March 29th, 1732; died April 6th, 1742, aged 10 years, at Boston, Mass., and was probably buried at East Dennis, in Paddock Burying Ground.

After the death of her husband, Rebecca[5] Thacher-Paddock removed to Boston and is thought to have lived there in the home of her son-in-law, Benjamin Hawes, whose name is next below hers in the list of communicants in the Brattle Street Church, Boston, under date of January 2nd, 1737. Samuel P. May, in his *Sears' Genealogy,* states that John Paddock married a second time to Hannah ——, but later discovered his error; and to his careful research I am indebted for the whole of the above record. The John Paddock who married Hannah —— (which Hannah Paddock was admitted to Second Church, Yarmouth, December 3rd, 1738), may have been John[6] Paddock (No. 241 above); I am not positive in this suggestion, as I have no more definite information concerning him than I have given above.

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84. MARY[5] THACHER (Deacon Josiah,[4] Hon. Col. John,[3] Antony,[2] Rev. Peter[1]), born at Yarmouth, date of birth ——; she was admitted to church at Harwich, March 14th, 1721; dismissed to Mr. Dennis' church December 8th, 1734, but her name is not recorded at the latter church; she was dismissed to church

at Norwalk, Conn., March 28th, 1736; she died at Norwalk, Conn., date of death ——; her son Isaac administered on her estate July 25th, 1761; she was buried presumably at Norwalk, Conn., in Pine Island Burying Ground, where an unmarked mound exists between the grave of her husband and that of her son Nathaniel; she married at Yarmouth, Mass., September 17th, 1719, to Joshua Sears. He was born at Harwich, Mass., May 3rd, 1697; he lived in Harwich, Mass., and West Brewster, Mass., and removed to and settled in Norwalk, Conn., about 1734; he died at Norwalk, Conn., July 21st, 1734, in his 58th year, and was buried there in Pine Island Burying Ground, where a blue stone gravestone marks his resting-place. He was a son of Samuel Sears (born Yarmouth, Mass., last of January, 1663-4; died West Brewster, Mass., January 8th, 1741-2, in his 78th year; gravestone West Brewster, Mass.), and of Mercy Lumpkin-Mayo (born ——; died January 20, 1748-9, in 84th year; gravestone West Brewster, Mass.; widow of Deacon Samuel Mayo, of Boston, Mariner), who resided at West Brewster, Mass.

Children: 9 (Sears), 7 sons and 2 daughters, first 7 born in West Brewster, Mass., 8th and 9th born in Norwalk, Conn.

246 i. Josiah,[6] born June 14th, 1720, baptized May 21st, 1721; died about 1761; married Sarah ——; his will was administered upon by his wife, July 6, 1761.

247 ii. Nathaniel, 1st,[6] born July 21st, 1722; baptized August 19th, 1722; died January 4th, 1724-5, at West Brewster, Mass., and was buried there; gravestone.

+248 iii. Joshua,[6] born May 15th, 1724; died ——; married Rachel Marvin.

+249 iv. Nathaniel, 2nd,[6] born ——; baptized April 20th, 1725-6; died December 19th, 1752, "in 22nd year;" married Ruth Raymond.

250 v. Mary,[6] born ——; baptized April 25th, 1728; died ——; married —— Ketchum.

+251 vi. Isaac,[6] born ——, 1730; baptized July 12th, 1730; died October 28th, 1786; married Sarah Drake.

+252 vii. Phebe,[6] born ——; baptized April 8th, 1733; died December 8th, 1807; married, first, Antony Squire; married, second, Thaddeus Hobbell.

253 viii. John,[6] born ——; died ——; mentioned in his father's will, dated 1754.

254 ix. Anthony,[6] born ——; died ——; mentioned in his father's will, dated 1754.

Joshua Sears, sr., about 1719, built his house where he lived in West Brewster, at Bound Brook, nearly opposite the ancient Sears'

Burying Ground; and there in the lower south end room the first seven (7) of his children, including Isaac[6] Sears, the famous "Liberty Boy" of Revolutionary War fame, were born.

He removed to Norwalk, Conn., about 1734 (not 1724 as stated by E. H. Sears in his *Sears' Genealogy,* published in 1857); and was dismissed from church in Harwich to the church in Norwalk, Conn., March 28th, 1736.

In 1732 Joshua Sears purchased from his brother-in-law, Josiah[5] Thacher, jr., one acre of the so-called "Home Lot," situated on Washington Avenue, South Norwalk, Conn., and marked on Hall's Norwalk plan of that town with the names of C. Raymond and W. Raymond; and in the house which he built upon this ground he lived until his death. The house of his great-grand-daughter, Mrs. Charles Raymond, had, for foundation, stones taken from the old homestead of Joshua Sears.

The Thacher (Josiah[5]) house stood where the "Pottery" is marked on Hall's map of Norwalk.

Joshua Sears possessed other lands in Norwalk which at various times he deeded to his children, amongst which was land at "Old Well," now South Norwalk, deeded to sons Nathaniel and Joshua, jr.

Family tradition relates that he was an excellent man, a prominent citizen, occupying various positions in the gift of the town, a good husband and a generous father. He is said to have been "an oysterman" and to have sold fish and oysters about Norwalk. This statement was given me by S. P. May, Esq., on the authority of Judge Jones (?) *History of New York,* but Mr. May thinks the statement an unauthorized one. Joshua Sears, sr., was buried in Pine Island Cemetery, Norwalk, Conn., a blue stone marking his grave; near by his grave is a similar memorial to his son Nathaniel, and a nameless mound between the graves of father and son is supposed to be the unmarked grave of Mary[5] (Thacher) Sears, his widow and the mother of his children. His will was dated June 11th, 1754, and was proved October 15th, 1754; in it are mentioned his wife Mary, and his children, Josiah, Mary Ketchum, Phebe Squire, Joshua, Isaac, John and Anthony; and his grandsons, Nathaniel and Thacher. The estate was appraised at £1640.

In the *Sears' Genealogy,* by Rev. E. H. Sears, Joshua Sears' wife is erroneously stated to have been "Mercy, daughter of John[3] Thacher." She was, as we have above and previously stated, Mary, daughter of Deacon Josiah[4] Thacher. No record of her death has been discovered by me, but her estate was administered upon by her son Isaac, July 25th, 1761.

The following deed of land from Joshua Sears to his brother-in-law, Josiah Thacher, shows one of his earlier land transactions and fixes the relationship of Mary, his wife, to Josiah[5] Thacher of Norwalk, viz:

"Know all men by these presents that I, Joshua Sears of ye town of Norwalk, in ye County of Fairfield, and Colony of Con-

necticut in New England, for and in consideration of ye sum of seventy-five pounds, four shillings and three pence, money received to my full satisfaction of my *brother-in-law* Josiah Thacher of ye aforesaid town and county, have given and granted and by these presents do give, grant, bargain and sell and confirm with ye said Josiah Thacher, his heirs and assigns, viz: one acre, three roods and five rods of land precise measure as it lyes undivided with my land, in that parcel of land I bought of James Hoyt, lying in ye field on ye west side of Norwalk Harbor, the whole of said piece of land besides three Roods I sold to Thomas Raymond, contains three acres, three roods and twelve rods, and bounded north by said Thomas Raymond's land. East by said Raymond's and my own land, West and South by Highway.

"Also two roods and one rod of land precise measure of that three roods of land I bought of Thomas Raymond; said two roods and one rod is bounded North by said Thomas Raymond's land, East ye Bank, south ye said Thacher's land and West my own land."

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Date, Nov. 18, 1735. (sgd) Joshua Sears.
Witnesses: John Copp, John Rowe.
Recorded: Nov. 18, 1735, per John Copp, Register. See Land Records, Norwalk, Conn., Book No. 8, folio 11.

AUTHORITIES.

Allen's Thacher Genealogy, p. 37.
S. P. May's Sears' Genealogy, pp. 73-76.
Freeman's Cape Cod, Vol. II, p. 206.
Selleck's History of Norwalk, Conn., p. 461.

CORRECTIONS TO BE NOTED IN THIS ARTICLE:

Errors caused by the contributor's absence during the printing of these records.

Page 393. The children Samuel, Joshua, John, Ebenezer and Elizabeth (Gee), as extracted from B R., vol. ix, pp. 232, 240, 247, and vol. xxiv, pp. 15, 28, should be recorded as the children of "Joshua and Elizabeth (Gee)," and not as the children of "John and Elizabeth (Gee)."

Page 393. 15th line from bottom: Gee, Samuel, son of Joshua and Elizabeth, was born "1697," and not "1679," as printed.

Page 394. 10th line from top: "Judiah[3] Thacher" should read "Judah[3] Thacher."

Page 394. 17th line from top: "year" should read "years."

Page 394. 25th line from top: "May 2, 1679, Joshua Gee admitted to 2nd Church, Boston," should read "May 2, 1697."

Page 394. 22nd line from bottom: "rended" should read "rendered."

Page 395. 36th line from top: between the words *that* and *once* insert the word *the*.

Page 396. 32nd line from top: between the words *former* and *sometimes* insert the word *is*.

Page 397. 9th line from bottom: "deed" should read "deeded."

Page 405. 21st line from top: Josiah[4] Howland was born "1676," not "1776" as printed.

Page 405. 24th line from top: Josiah[4] Howland married "24-11-1709," not "7-4-11-1709" as printed.

Page 405. 31st line from top: parenthesis should follow word December, and not the date, 22nd, as printed.

Page 413. 20th line from top: +244 "Enoh,[6]" should read "Enoch.[6]"

Page 414. 11th line from top: date of death of Joshua Sears should read "1754," not "1734" as printed.

Page 414. 7th line from bottom: "Thaddeus Hobbell" should read "Thaddeus Hubbell."

(*To be continued.*)

DESCENDANTS OF EDWARD TRE(A)DWELL THROUGH HIS SON JOHN.

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Continued from Vol. XLII, p. 318 of the Record.

The lettering was uninjured and remarkably clear. On the foot-stone was inscribed, *Hannah Tredwell.* This head-stone should be repaired and reset, or the location of the grave will soon be lost.

The descendants of Thomas[3] Tredwell are eligible to membership in the Society of Colonial Wars.

Tredwell Children:

The order of birth of Charity and Hannah may not be correct.

6 i. John.[4]
7 ii. Elizabeth.[4]
8 iii. Benjamin.[4]
9 iv. Samuel.[4]
10 v. Thomas Star.[4]
11 vi. Charity.[4]
12 vii. Hannah.[4]
13 viii. Timothy.[4]

Notes Referring to Third Generation.

Note 1. Extract from deed, Capt. John[3] Tredwell to Thomas[3] Tredwell: "To All christian people to whome these presents shall come or any waise concern capt. John Tredwell of Hempsted in Queens county on Nashaw Island Esquire sends greetting know yee that the said John Tredwell for divers good causes & considerations him thereunto moving have given granted Enfeoffed Remissed Releassed and forever quit claimed . . . unto capt. Thomas Tredwell of the town county & Island aforesaid Esquire . . . forever all that the Right Title Estate Interest property possesion claim and demand whatsoever the he the said John Tredwell now hath ever had or can may mought should or ought to have of in or unto all that the houses out houses lands both divided and undivided & the meadow Land both salt & fresh meadow whatsoever that Their father John Tredwell Equire Late of Hempsted Deceassed was possesed & Dyed seized & possesed of (Exepting all the Land & meadow that he the said John Tredweil deceassed had on a neck of Land & meadow lying within the bounds of Hempsted aforesaid and on the south side of Nashaw Island comonly called Hixes neck and also exepting a lot lying in the Town of Hempsted containing about five aces Lying on North side of the meetting House and also exepting one Lot of Land containg one hundred and thirty and six acres as it was Laid out lying upon a neck called cowneck within the pattent of Hempsted all also exepting the equall moity or half part of all the Right of Land undevided that the Said John Tredwell Deceassed had at the time of his death by both propriaty Right & by patten Right both in South woods & the plains) To have & To Hold . . . to him the said Thomas Tredwell . . . in Witness whereof the said John Tredwell hath set to his hand and fixed his seall this twenty and fift day of January annoq Domini: one thousand seven hundred & nineteen-twenty and in the sixt

year of the Reign of our Soveraign Lord George King of great Britain france & Ireland &c.

Signed Sealled & Delivered in the presence of
Theod: van wyck
William Willis
John Jackson

John Tredwell (seal)

memorandum that on the twenty & sixt Day of January 1719-20 the above named John Tredwell personally apeared before mee John Jackson Esquire one of his Majesties Justices of the peace for Queens county assigned & acknowledged the above written deed to be his free & voluntary act & Deed.

Jo^{n}: Jackson

Ent^{d}: in the Registry of Queens County & duely examined this seventeenth of July seventeen twenty eight in book D fol. 28-29.

℔ And: Clark cl:"

NOTE 2. Copy of the Commission of Thomas^{3} Tredwell as captain: "*Benjamin Fletcher*, Captain General and Governour in Chief of his Majesties Province of New York, and all the territories and tracts of Land depending thereon in America, and Vice Admiral of the same, His Majesties Leiutenant and Comander in Chief of the Millitia and of all the forces by Sea and Land within his Majesties Collony of Conecticutt and of all the Forts and places of strength within the same.

To Thomas Tredwell, Captain Greeting

Reposing Special trust and confidince as well in the care, dilligence and circumspection, as in the Loyalty courage and Readiness of you to do his Majestie good and faithfall service, I have nominated constituted and Appointed and Do by Vertue of the Power and Authority to me given by his Majesties Letters Pattents under his Great seal of England, hereby Nominate Constitute and Appoint you the said Thomas Tredwell to be Captain of the Millitia Company of Foot whereof Major John Jackson was Late Captain in Collonell Thomas Willets Regiment Now vacant by his being Advanced Major to the said Regiment, which Company you are to take into your charge and care as Captain thereof and Duly to Exercise both Officers and Soldiers in arms, and as they are hereby Comanded to Obey You as their Captain so you are therefore to observe and follow such Orders and Directions as you shall from time to time Receive from your Collonell or any other your supperiour Officer or Officers Accordung to the Rules and Discipline of War in pursuance of this trust Reposed in You And for so doing this shall be your sufficient Warrant & Comission. Given under my Hand and Seal att Fort William Henry New York this twenty fifth day of January in the ninth year of his Majesties Reign Ano Dmi 1697.

Benj Fletcher

By His Excellencies Command"

NOTE 3. Copy of Inventory of Estate left by Thomas^{3} Tredwell:

"A True Invitary of ye Estate of Captain Thomas Tredwell of Great-Neck Late Decease^{d} as it was Taken And Valued by Daniel Kissam & Abel Smith Sworn appraisers of ye S^{d} Estate. The 27 the 25 & 26 of May 1722.

	£	s.	d.
Forty three Sheets & Nineteen Coverlids & six bed blankets....	25	19	06
four bed blankets.....	02	00	00
Seven feather Beds.....	23	10	00
Three Bolsters, & five Pillows.....	02	02	00
Six Bedsteads & three pair of Curtains and Rods.....	07	16	00
Seven Bolster Cases & twelve Pillow Cases.....	01	03	00
four table-Cloths & nine Napkins.....	01	17	00
Eighteen yards of Diaper & twenty Seven yards of Bedtick.....	07	08	06
Ninety one yards and half of Drugget & seventy three y^{ds} of Linnen.....	26	05	07½
twenty five y^{ds} of tow Cloth & Wearing Cloaths.....	18	10	00
Six Cane Chairs 4£ 10s. & eighteen other chairs.....	05	18	00
One Cupboard, three tables, four Chests, & on Trunck.....	04	13	00
twelve Kielers, eight Milk trays, four Barrels.....	01	18	00

	£	s.	d.
Seven Iron potts & Kettles, three tramels one Spit & a pair of Andirons, 2 pair of fire-tongs 2 fire shovels 1 frying pan, a Gridiron & a trivet, 2 Smoothing Irons	07	06	00
Candlesticks, a Dripping pan, a Skillet, 3 brass Kettles	04	13	00
A Log-Chain, a p[r] of Beetle-rings & 3 Wedges	01	10	00
Six Narrow axes, 2 broad axes, 3 broad hoes, 1 Stubbing hoe, 1 Mattok, 2 adds, 1 Spade	02	15	00
two ploughs & harnesses 5£, 1 Waggon & harnesses	10	10	00
One Iron Harrow and 2 others, 1 pleasure Slea, 1 Wood Slead	02	06	00
One Iron Crow & old Iron, 3 pitch-forks & a Dung-fork	01	05	00
Slea bridles & lines, 1 p[r] of Cleves belonging to an Oxe Cart	00	08	00
33 Acres of Winter-Corn growing	49	10	00
300 Bush[ls] of Wheat	56	05	00
70 Bush[ls] of Rye & 20 Bush[ls] of Barley & 30 Bush[ls] of Indian-Corn	15	00	00
2 barrels, 1 Butter tubb, 1 Whitening pott, 1 half Gallon	00	12	00
A Case of Bottles	01	00	00
4. 4 yr old Steers, 4. 2 yr & 2. 2 yr Olds	27	15	00
20 Cows, 11 Calves, 2 horses, 1 Mare & Colt	69	00	00
2 Mares, 1 Colt, 4 horses	23	18	00
4 Spinning Wheels, 1 Small Bible & 9 other Books	01	17	00
2 pair of Scales, 1 Sadle, 3 bridles, 1 Grindle-Stone	02	17	00
Carpenters tools, 7 Sickles, 130 lb. of Wool, 100 lb. of flax	12	13	10
	420	01	05½

	£	s.	d.
1 Case of knives & forks 1 Gun & Bayonet, Sword Cartouch box & Cane	03	06	00
5 Hides, 2 Skins, Loomb & tackling for weaving	03	14	00
7 Sides of Leather & 2 Skins, 12 Sows & Piggs, 16 Shoats	14	01	00
A Negro Man & Woman	05	00	00
five Negroes & a Negroe boy 231	231*	00	00
1 Mare & yearling, 1 black horse	21	00	00
Pewter, 19 Large Cask, 2 Looking-glasses	08	18	00
64 Sheep and 19 Lambs, 2 Meat tubbs, 1 Bucket	20	15	06
A Canoo, 1 pair of Shoe-boots	01	05	00
6 trays, 2 Bowls, 1 Piggin, 1 Large tubb, 1 Butter-tubb, 1 Churn, 1 cheese-fat 2 Guns, 1 Cupboard, 1 table 1 old Chest	03	09	00
2 Bells, 1 Large Iron Kettle, 2 Iron Potts	03	03	00
1 Brass Kettle, 1 Tramel, 7 Chairs, 5 Coverlids, 2 Sheets	04	07	00
3 Sheets, 2 Blanckets, 2 Bolster-Cases, two table Cloths	02	10	06
1 Case of bottles & Looking Glass	01	11	00
1 Nogin & 2 branding Irons, 12½ ℔ of Pewter	01	04	00
1 Stone Jugg, 1 Stand, 1 p[r] of AndIrons	00	07	00
1 Spinning wheel, 1 reel	00	11	00
1 Bed, 2 Coverlids, 1 pepper box 3 earthen Cups	01	01	06
1 Sett of Cart hoops & Boxes	00	16	00
Six 3 y[r] old Cattle, ten yearlings 7. 2[y] Cattle	28	18	00
83.† 7.† 12.† of plate	35	08	06
In Cash £9 2/	09	02	00
1 Hetchel, ½ Hamock & ½ a Rugg & ½ a bolster, ½ close-stool	01	15	00
2 Sithes and tackling	00	10	00
more credet Due‡	04	00	00
	405§	13	00
May ye 26th 1722	825:	14:	5½

* These figures are blurred and apparently written over 229.
† Writing or mark above it illegible.
‡ In a different handwriting.
§ This total should be £407. See *.

This day appeared before me Daniel Kissam & Abel Smith and
& declared upon oath this to be a true Invitary or reprizal of y^e
aboves^d estate to ye Best of their Knowledge taken & made.

Theod: van wyck"

NOTE 4. Extract of unrecorded deed, Hannah Tredwell, widow of Thomas[3] Tredwell, to her son, Benjamin[4] Tredwell: "*To all Christian People* To whom These presents may Come . . . I Hannah Tredwell Widow and Relique of Thomas Tredwell of Mad Nans Neck in the Township of Hamstead in Queens County In the province of New York Gent: Late Deceased . . . in Consideration of the sum of one hundred and sixty pound . . . paid . . . by Benjamin Tredwell of the sd. place Gent: . . . Have Given Granted Alinated Released . . . unto . . . the said Benjamin Tredwell . . . all my Right Title property possession claim Intrest Challenge and Demand whatsoever unto that Certaine Tract farm or plantation of Land Scituate and Being on Mad Nans Neck aforenamed (on which ye sd. Benjamin Now Liveth on which the sd. Thomas Tredwell Deceased formerly Lived) and To all & every part & parcell of the sd. farm or plantation with all houses out houses Buildings Edifices Emoluments Orchards Gardens Meadows Marrishes ways paths Easements . . . *To have and To hold* . . . unto . . . the said Benjamin Tredwell . . . as *Wittness* her hand & seal this seventh Day of Aprill In the Eight Year of our Soveraign Lord George the Second King of Great Brittaine &c. Annoqe Domini One Thousand seven hundred thirty five

Signed Sealed & Delivered
in presence of
Timothy Smith
Wm Burch

Hannah
The marke of H T (seal)
Tredwell

FOURTH GENERATION.

6. John[4] Tredwell (Thomas,[3] John,[2] Edward[1]) born before 31st August, 1698, died between 26th December, 1740, and 2nd March, 1740–1; married Mary Mott, died after 7th March, 1737, predeceasing husband, daughter of Richbell and Elizabeth (Thorne) Mott of Hempstead, New York.* John[4] Tredwell resided in the town of Hempstead (probably south side), New York. He was a farmer; a lieutenant in the local militia; vestryman and warden of St. George's Church, Hempstead. The only local offices he seems to have held were that of assessor and that of fence viewer. On the records he is designated as "junior" and described as "yeoman" and "Mr." It is not known where he or his wife was buried.

The earliest mention of John[4] Tredwell is found in the 1698 census, the part quoted under John[2] Tredwell (p. 186.)

By deed dated the 18th of June, 1722, John[4] Tredwell, "eldest son and heir to Thomas Tredwell late of Hempstead, Gent, deceased," conveyed to his two brothers, Thomas[4] Tredwell and Timothy[4] Tredwell, the two younger sons of said Thomas Tredwell, deceased, his interest in the 151½ acres in the township of Rye, Harrison's precinct, Westchester county, New York, which his father bought from Silas Titus (see p. 316); also the 170 acres adjoining the preceding tract, which his father purchased of David Eustace† (p. 317.)

* For Mott ancestors, see *The Jones Family of Long Island*, by John H. Jones, 1907, p. 373. See also *The Descendants of Adam Mott of Hempstead, Long Island, N. Y.*, by E. D. Harris, 1906, p. 5.

† *Rye, N. Y., Town Records*, vol. marked "D—1723 to 1832," p. 143.

On the same date, John[4] Tredwell, yeoman, conveyed to "his brother," Benjamin[4] Tredwell, "Second Son of . . . Thomas Tredwell Deceassd," the homestead on Madnans Neck where their father died.* This deed is among the family papers belonging to Mr. Henry Hewlett Tredwell.

The Act of the New York legislature that was passed the 17th of June, 1726, empowered and directed John Tredwell, Jr., and Capt. John Tredwell, with others, to stop the practice of setting fire to the old grass on Hempstead Plains.†

In Onderdonk's list of the wardens and vestrymen of St. George's Church, Hempstead, John[4] Tredwell's name appears for the years 1728 and 1729.‡

At the town meeting held in Hempstead on the 1st of April, 1729, "Mr. John Treadwell Juner" was chosen a fence-viewer for that year.§ This office he continued to hold for the next three years.‖

John Kearle, Jr., of Hempstead, New York, named John[4] Tredwell one of the executors in his last will, dated the 6th of February, 1730–1, and probated the 6th of March, 1730–1.¶

In the Hempstead town records for the years 1731 and 1732, John[4] Tredwell is mentioned as lieutenant.**

He was chosen an assessor for the year 1732,** and again for the year 1734.††

Mary Tredwell, the wife of John[4] Tredwell, is mentioned in both the will of her father, dated the 22nd of September, 1734,‡‡ and the will of her mother, dated the 7th of March, 1737,§§ although in neither case by her last name.

John[4] Tredwell left a last will dated the 26th of December, 1740, which was probated in Queens county, the 2nd of March, 1740–1, and recorded in Liber 14 of Wills, page 34, in the office of the Surrogate of the county of New York.‖‖ The original testament is still to be seen on file in said Surrogate's office. It was signed by the testator making a mark, notwithstanding he wrote an excellent hand, as is shown by the deed from him now in the possession of Mr. Henry Hewlett Tredwell.

In his will, John[4] Tredwell mentioned his son Thomas, to whom he devised all his real estate; his sons, John and Samuel, not of age, to each of whom was bequeathed £100; his daughter, Mary Tredwell, not 18 years of age, to whom was bequeathed £10, testator's tankard, "and all things that were her mothers."

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* Liber D of Deeds, pp. 26–27, Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, N. Y.

† Laws of the Colony of New York for 1726, ch. 482.

‡ *The Annals of Hempstead; 1643 to 1832, &c.*, by H. Onderdonk, Jr., 1878, p. 80.

§ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iii, p. 100.

‖ *Ib.*, vol. iii, pp. 107, 118–119.

¶ *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1894, pp. 24–25.

** *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iii, p. 118.

†† *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 153.

‡‡ *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1894, pp. 163–164.

§§ *Ib.*, pp. 260–261.

‖‖ *Ib.*, pp. 321–322.

The executors named were testator's brother, Benjamin[4] Tredwell, and his brother-in-law, Joseph Mott.

The receipts given by John[4] Tredwell's children upon the settlement of his estate have been preserved among the papers belonging to Mr. Henry Hewlett Tredwell.

TREDWELL CHILDREN:

The receipts last mentioned show that Thomas[5] was the oldest, and Samuel,[5] the youngest son. The following order may be incorrect as to the daughter. According to the records of St. George's Church, Hempstead, all four children were baptized on the 7th of June, 1739, the three sons being entered as adults.*

14 i. Thomas.[5]

ii. John,[5] b. between 26th Dec., 1719 (father's will), and 21st Sept., 1724 (receipt of legacy from his father's executors), d. 1759, between 7th May and 8th June; mar. Hempstead, N. Y., 1750 (?4th April), Phebe Denton,† bapt. 5th Jan., 1731–2, dau. of James and Elizabeth (Cornell) Denton.‡ She mar. (2) Hempstead, 17th March, 1762, Samuel Searing§ of Hempstead, a weaver; mar. bond, dated 15th March, 1762, Samuel Nicholls of Queens Co., cordwainer, acting as surety.‖ Residence, Hempstead, N. Y. It is not known where John[5] Tredwell or wife was buried.

In the receipt dated 21st Sept., 1745, for the legacy left him by his father, John[5] Tredwell described himself as a carpenter.¶ As he must have been of age then, it is apparent his birth occurred before 21st Sept., 1724.

In a certificate dated 30th July, 1746, John[5] Tredwell is given as a lieutenant in Capt. Peter Wraxall's company.**

On the 20th Oct., 1750, a highway to the salt water, to facilitate the transportation of produce, was certified to have been laid out upon the petition of John[5] Tredwell and others.††

He was one of the witnesses to the last will of Peter Titus of Hempstead, dated 18th Oct., 1753, and

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* *The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, vol. x, p. 17.

† *Records St. George's Church, Hempstead, N. Y.; The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, vol. xii, p. 141.

‡ See will of William Cornell, pp. 405–406, *Genealogy of the Cornell Family*, by Rev. John Cornell, 1902.

§ *Records St. George's Church, Hempstead, N. Y.; The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, vol. xiii, p. 140.

‖ *Names of Persons for Whom Marriage Licenses were Issued by the Secretary of the Province of New York, Previous to 1784*, printed 1860, p. 398.

¶ Papers in possession of Henry H. Tredwell.

** *New York Calendar of Historical Manuscripts*, part ii, English, 1664–1776, by E. B. O'Callaghan, 1866, p. 579.

†† *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iv, p. 31.

probated 5th Feb., 1754.* Also he and wife witnessed the last will of Peter Titus' son, Robert Titus of Hempstead, dated 26th Sept., 1756, and probated 16th Oct., 1756;† and he witnessed the codicil made by John Titus of Westbury, Hempstead, dated 17th May, 1757, and probated 27th June, 1757.‡

John[5] Tredwell left a last will dated 16th Oct., 1758, and a codicil thereto dated 7th May, 1759, which were probated in the City of New York, 8th June, 1759, and recorded in Liber 21 of Wills, p. 330, office of the Surrogate of the county of New York.§ The originals are on file in said Surrogate's office. The will mentions the testator's wife, Phebe; his brother, Thomas Tredwell; his cousin (nephew), John Tredwell, son of his said brother, Thomas Tredwell; and that his property, real and personal, should be sold at public vendue. Patrick Mott, Samuel Clowes, 3rd, and Timothy Clowes were named the executors.

John[5] Tredwell left no issue.

15 iii. Samuel[5].

iv. Mary[5], b. after 26th Dec., 1722, living 1st Oct., 1750, before which date she was married in Dover, Delaware, by Mr. Reading, Rector of the Parish Church of St. Georges, in New Castle county, in the "Teritories of pensilvany," to George Manlove of Little Creek Hundred in the county of Kent upon Delaware, gentleman. (See note 1.)

She was one of the legatees under the last will of her grandmother, Elizabeth Mott of Hempstead, dated 7th March, 1737, and probated 16th April, 1739.‖ John[3] Tredwell devised to her his silver punch-bowl.

7. Elizabeth[4] Tredwell (Thomas[3], John,[2] Edward[1]) born before 31st August, 1698, living 11th March, 1749–50; married, first, Jonathan Smith of Hempstead, New York, who died in 1733; secondly, in Hempstead, 15 May, 1736¶ (marriage bond dated 27th April**), Joseph Halstead of Hempstead, who died March, 1749–50.

Jonathan Smith left a last will dated the 22nd of February, 1731, which was probated the 3rd of April, 1733, and recorded in

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* *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1895, pp. 477–478.

† *Ib.*, 1896, p. 135.

‡ *Ib.*, 1896, p. 180.

§ *Ib.*, pp. 315–316.

‖ *Ib.*, 1894, pp. 260–261.

¶ *Records of St. George's Church, Hempstead, N. Y.; The N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Record*, vol. xii, p. 80. See also ibid, foot note, vol. x, p. 17.

** *Names of Persons for Whom Marriage Licenses were Issued by the Secretary of the Province of New York, Previous to 1784*, printed 1860, p. 167.

Liber 11 of Wills, at page 504, in the office of the Surrogate of the county of New York.* It was made while he was sick and in it he directed his grist mill at Herricks to be sold. It mentions his wife, Elizabeth; his four sons, Richard, Jonathan, William, and Elijah; and his daughters, Hannah, Elizabeth and Mary.

Joseph Halstead left a last will dated the 11th of March, 1749, which was probated 21st of March, 1749–50, and recorded in Liber 17 of Wills, at page 80, in the office of the Surrogate of the county of New York.† It was made while he was sick and in it are mentioned testator's wife, Elizabeth; his four sons, Lawrence, Joseph, Jonah, and John; his daughters, Sarah Penney and Mary; and his brother, Robert Marvin.

Elizabeth[4] (Tredwell) Halstead probably left no issue through her second marriage.

SMITH CHILDREN:

The order of birth given below follows the order in the will of Jonathan Smith and may be incorrect.

i. Richard.[5]
ii. Jonathan.[5]
iii. Treadwell,[5] bapt. 14th May, 1729,‡ d. probably before 22nd Feb., 1731 (date of father's will).
iv. William,[5] b. 14th Aug., 1727,§ bapt. 14th May, 1729,‡ d. 15th June, 1781;§ mar. 20th Sept., 1749,‖ Elizabeth Birdsall, b. 15th April, 1731,§ d. 1st July, 1777.§ 6 children.§
v. Elijah.[5]
vi. Hannah.[5]
vii. Elizabeth,[5] bapt. 1st Oct., 1739.¶
viii. Mary.[5]

8. Benjamin[4] Tredwell** (Thomas,[3] John,[2] Edward[1]) born 27th September, 1702, died on his farm on Great Neck, town of Hempstead, Tuesday, 27th August, 1782, buried on his farm; married first, Huntington, Suffolk county, New York, 25th August, 1727,†† Phebe Platt, died 18th January, 1738–9, aged 28 years, 4 months, and 18 days, buried same plot where husband is buried, daughter of Epenetus and Elizabeth (Smith) Platt of Huntington; married, secondly, Hempstead, Queens county, New York, 6th

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* *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1894, pp. 100–101.

† *Ib.*, 1895, p. 259.

‡ *Records St. George's Church, Hempstead, N. Y.; The N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Record*, vol. ix, p. 184.

§ *The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, vol. xxvii, p. 100.

‖ *Records St. George's Church, Hempstead, N. Y.; The N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Record*, vol. xii, p. 83.

¶ *Ib.*, vol. x, p. 17.

** See *The Jones Family of Long Island*, by John H. Jones, 1907, pp. 328–329.

†† *Records St. George's Church, Hempstead, N. Y.; The N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Record*, vol. xi, p. 134.

January, 1739–40,* Sarah Allen, born 8th August, 1717,† died 11th April, 1782, buried in the said Tredwell plot, daughter of Henry and Mary Allen of Great Neck. Benjamin[4] Tredwell resided on Great Neck, town of Hempstead (part now the town of North Hempstead), New York.

He was a colonel in the militia; vestryman of St. George's Church, Hempstead, 1739–1744;‡ apparently held only two local offices, that of assessor (year 1757§), and of overseer of highways (years 1747,‖ 1757,¶ 1758,** 1759,†† and 1763‡‡). His business was farming.

The name of Benjamin[4] Tredwell appears in the list of William Mott's neighbors on Mad Nan's Neck to whom he addressed the petition to hang a "gate on ye high way yt leads towards my neighbour Treadwells," which was granted the 15th of January, 1724.§§

On the 11th of April, 1724, Benjamin[4] Tredwell registered his cattle mark as follows, "a latch on ye fore side of the neor ear & a hole in ye same & a slipe under ye of ear."‖‖

He was one of the subscribers in 1733 towards building a new church in Hempstead.¶¶

In the list of militia offiicers for Queens county, New York, for the year 1738, Benjamin[4] Tredwell appears as major in Col. John Cornell's regiment.*** This rank he held until, at least, the 7th of April, 1747. A survey "made for Coll. Benjamin Tredwell," in the possession of Mr. Henry Hewlett Tredwell, bears date, 10th of April, 1750. But, according to one of the compiler's unverified memoranda, Benjamin[4] Tredwell held that rank as early as August, 1748.

Benjamin[4] Tredwell's first wife was buried a little north of the center of the family burying ground on Great Neck described on page 317, a slate stone marking the grave. It is the oldest inscribed stone in this plot. The inscription on it is:

Here lyes the Body of Phebe Tredwell wife of Major Benjamin Tred | well & Dau^{r} to Mr Epenetus | Platt att Huntington | Dyed January 18th 1738–9 | aged 28 years 4^{ms} & 18 D^{s}. (Then follows an epitaph.)

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* *Records St. George's Church, Hempstead, N. Y.; The N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Record*, vol. xii, p. 81.

† Bible formerly belonging to Samuel[5] Tredwell.

‡ *History of St. George's Church, Hempstead, Long Island, N. Y.*, by Rev. W. H. Moore, 1881, p. 287.

§ *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iv, p. 252.

‖ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 474.

¶ *Ib.*, vol. iv, p. 252.

** *Ib.*, vol. iv, p. 274.

†† *Ib.*, vol. iv, p. 300.

‡‡ *Ib.*, vol. iv, p. 446.

§§ *Ib.*, vol. iii, p. 75.

‖‖ *Ib.*, vol. ii, p. 187.

¶¶ *History of St. George's Church, Hempstead, Long Island, N. Y.*, by Rev. W. H. Moore, 1881, p. 48.

*** *New York State Historian's Report*, 1897, Colonial Series, vol. ii, p. 497.

Epenetus Platt left a last will dated the 17th of January, 1741–2, probated the 31st of August, 1745, in which he left £100 to his *son-in-law*, Benjamin[4] Tredwell, and ⅓ of his residuary estate to the four children of his daughter, Phebe.*

Robert Mitchell of Hempstead made his "friend," Benjamin[4] Tredwell, one of the executors of his last will dated the 8th of October, 1746, and probated the 22nd of April, 1748.†

Benjamin[4] Tredwell's wife, Sarah, is mentioned as daughter in the will of Mary Allen, widow of Henry Allen of Great Neck, dated the 22nd of December, 1746, and probated the 22nd of June, 1747.‡

The New York Mercury of the 5th of April, 1756, and of the 22nd of December, 1762, contains, respectively, an item describing the large cattle raised by Col. Benjamin Tredwell, which had just been killed in the City of New York for market.§

On the 24th of December, 1756, Thomas Star[4] Tredwell executed a mortgage to Benjamin[4] Tredwell on certain lands in Harrison's Purchase, Westchester county, New York.‖ This mortgage was discharged on the 6th of October, 1759.‖

The Hempstead town records contain a memorandum dated the 14th of December, 1759, of the satisfaction by Benjamin[4] Tredwell of a mortgage made in 1706 by Peter Vergereau, Sr., to Thomas Jones, which had been assigned by the latter's son, David Jones, to Benjamin[4] Tredwell on or about the 25th of May, 1752.¶

In 1767, Benjamin[4] Tredwell recovered a judgment in the Inferior Court of Common Pleas at Jamaica, Queens county, New York, for £440, besides costs, against the estate of John Forbus, the Elder, and the property left by the latter was sold by the Sheriff to satisfy the same, the deed bearing date the 17th of June, 1767.**

The second wife of Benjamin[4] Tredwell was buried in the central row of graves in the old family burying ground, the third grave from the northerly line of the plot. The inscription on the head stone is as follows:

In | memory of | Sarah Tredwell | wife of Col. Benjamin Tredwell. | She died April 11th 1782 | in the 65th year of her | age.

Benjamin[4] Tredwell lies buried between his two wives, and the head stone marking his grave contains the following inscription:

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* *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1895, pp. 52–54.

† *Ib.*, pp. 165–166. See copy deed, *Hempstead Town Records* (printed), vol. iv, pp. 187–188.

‡ *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1895, pp. 131–132.

§ *Queens County in Olden Times*, by Henry Onderdonk, Jr., 1865, pp. 27 and 34.

‖ Liber A of Mortgages, pp. 8 and 29, office of the Register of Deeds for Westchester county, N. Y.

¶ Vol. iv (printed), p. 339.

** *Ib.*, vol. v, p. 104.

In | memory of | Col. Benjamin Tredwell | who departed this Life | August 27th 1782 | aged 79 years | and 11 months.

His demise elicited the writing of the following words of esteem dated the 4th of September, 1782:

"Died, Tuesday sennight, at his house, at Great Neck, in the eightieth year of his age, Colonel Benjamin Tredwell, a gentleman who ever supported an unblemished character and was remarkable for his hospitality, cheerfulness and affability."*

Benjamin[4] Tredwell left a last will dated the 3rd of August, 1782, which was probated the 2nd of September, 1782, and recorded in Liber 35 of Wills, page 72, in the office of the Surrogate of the county of New York, where the original remains on file.†

The will of "Benjamin Tredwell, the elder, of Madnans Neck, otherwise Great Neck . . . in . . . perfect health" mentions his son Benjamin, to whom was devised, upon certain conditions, the homestead farm whereon the testator was then living; his son William, to which two sons were devised testator's other lands, meadows, marsh, and beach, and rights in the undivided lands in the township of Hempstead or elsewhere; his grandchildren, Thomas, Benjamin, Phebe Wooley, Sarah Tredwell, John, Elizabeth, and Richard, children of his deceased son John; William, Elizabeth, and Susanna Tredwell, children of his deceased son, Samuel; his daughters, Peggy, Phebe, and Sarah, to whom he left his plate in addition to other legacies; Abigail Bennet, who lived in testator's home many years. His son, Benjamin, his son-in-law, Hendrick Onderdonck, and his friends, William Thorne and John Allen, Jr., son of Henry Allen, deceased, were named the executors.

A release from the executors recorded in the office of the county clerk of Queens county shows that the conditions mentioned were duly fulfilled by Benjamin[4] Tredwell.‡

Tredwell Children:

The dates of birth of Benjamin[4] Tredwell and of his children are taken from the Bible formerly belonging to his son William[5] Tredwell. The same record is also in the old Floyd-Jones' Bible now owned by Mr. Thomas Floyd-Jones of Nutley, New Jersey. See also the Onderdonk record.§

16 i. Peggy.[5]
17 ii. Phebe.[5]
18 iii. John.[5]
19 iv. Benjamin.[5]
20 v. Sarah.[5]
21 vi. Samuel.[5]
22 vii. William.[5]

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* *Queens County in Olden Times*, by Henry Onderdonk, Jr., 1865, p. 57.

† *New York Historical Society Collections*, 1901, pp. 276–278.

‡ Liber E of Deeds, p. 267.

§ *Genealogy of the Onderdonk Family in America*, by E. Onderdonk, 1910, pp. 302–303.

viii. Gloranah,[6] b. 2nd Nov., 1751; grave, third south of father's. The inscription is as follows:

In | memory of | Gloranah Tredwell | daughter of Col. Benj[n] | & Sarah Tredwell | She Died April 19th 1753 | in the 2nd year of her | age.

ix. Elizabeth,[6] b. 8th Sept., 1753, bapt. 24th Jan., 1760;* grave, third south of sister Gloranah's. The inscription is as follows:

In | memory of | Elizabeth Tredwell | daughter of Col. Benjamin | & Sarah Tredwell | who died Oct[r] 20th 1770 | in the 18 year of | her age.

9. Samuel[4] Tredwell (Thomas,[3] John,[2] Edward[1]) born after 1702, died between 4th September, 1747† (? January, 1747–8†), and 19th April, 1748; married Margaret Thomas, died 1789, between 20th January, and 21st March, daughter of Rev. John Thomas, Rector of St. George's Church, Hempstead, New York. Margaret (Thomas) Tredwell married, secondly, Judge David Jones of Fort Neck, Queens county, New York, born 16th September, 1699, died 11th October, 1775.§ Samuel[4] Tredwell resided in the town of Rye (part now town of Harrison), Westchester county, New York, where his widow was residing at the time of her decease. The place of burial of neither Samuel[4] Tredwell nor his wife is known.

Samuel[4] Tredwell held the following local offices: assessor, 1726;‖ surveyor of highways for Harrison, 1732;‖ justice of the peace, 1738–1745 (probably longer); commissioner of highways, 1747;‖ supervisor, 1747.‖ He was also one of the commissioners to look after the public highways in Rye and White Plains for 1744¶ and for 1745;** vestryman, 1728, 1734, 1741, and 1744, and warden, 1745 and 1746, of Christ's Church, Rye, New York;†† on committee to repair the church, 1727;‖ and also on committee to repair the public buildings, 1740.‖ On the records he is described as "yeoman" and "gentleman."

Samuel[4] Tredwell entered his cattle mark on the Rye town records the 27th of January, 1723–4, as follows: "a Step on the fore side of each ere."‖

The late Mrs. Susan Amelia (Lay) Treadwell of Jamaica, Queens county, New York, widow of Joseph Augustus Treadwell,

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* *Records of St. George's Church, Hempstead, N. Y.; The N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Record*, vol. xi, p. 47.

† See Return of the Highway laid out in Rye, signed 4th September, 1747, by Samuel Tredwell, recorded Liber G of Deeds, p. 397, office of Register of Deeds for Westchester county, N. Y.

‡ Probable date of his will.

§ *Floyd-Jones Family*, by Thomas Floyd-Jones, 1906, p. 28. See also *The Jones Family of Long Island*, by John H. Jones, 1907, p. 63.

‖ *Rye Town Proceedings*, vol. marked "1698–1838."

¶ Laws of the Colony of New York for 1744, ch. 762.

** *Ib.*, for 1745, ch. 801.

†† *Two Hundredth Anniversary, Parish of Rye, New York*, printed 1895, pp. 66–67.

had, in 1890, many old papers relating to Samuel[4] Treadwell and his descendants and, among them, were the following:

Four bills of sale of slaves to Samuel[4] Tredwell, (1) from Jeremiah Gonong of Rye, dated 15th of March, 1730; (2) from Jane Stevenson, widow, of Rye, dated 14th of August, 1732; (3) from William Fowler of Rye, dated 6th of June, 1737; (4) from Thomas Hatfield of Rye, dated 26th of January, 1740. Bond in the sum of £2,100, dated 2nd of November, 1732, from Thomas Esmond and Jeremiah Fowler, both of Rye, to Samuel[4] Tredwell and Samuel Thorn, both of said town, to save the obligees harmless as sureties for the payment of said Esmond's debt to Isaac Willett of the Borough of Westchester, Westchester county. Power of attorney, dated 21st of May, 1733, from Benjamin Smith of Hempstead, Queens county, yeoman, to his "trusty friend," Samuel[4] Tredwell, yeoman, to sue on bond from John Minthorne to said Smith. Deed, dated 20th of March, 1734, from Thomas Esmond and wife, Elizabeth, of Rye, yeoman, in consideration of £255, to Samuel[4] Tredwell, Gent., conveying a farm in Harrison's Purchase in Rye, part of the tract grantor bought of Isaac Willett, bounded, easterly, by the middle line of Harrison's purchase; southerly, partly by land of Christopher Isinghartt and partly by grantor's land; westerly, by Mamaroneck River; northerly, to grantor's land, making 100 acres. Bond in the sum of £313, 10s, dated 14th of May, 1742, from Edward Stevenson and Samuel[4] Tredwell, both of Westchester county, to secure to Johannes Clook of Amwell township, Hunterdon county, New Jersey, upon the payment of £156, 15s, the conveyance of 234 acres in said township, excepting 16 acres sold to John Mullen, bounded, westerly, by land formerly Benjamin Hields, now Herman Dorotes and Johannes Shavers; easterly, by land formerly Edward (?) ——, now Timothy Roses; northerly, by land of Johannes and Jery Behtelseymer; southerly, by said John Mullen's land. Deed, dated the 3rd of November, 1742, from Joseph Merritt of Rye, yeoman, in consideration of £10, to Samuel[4] Tredwell, conveying ⅓ of an 18th share in the ledges or ledge ground within "pening Neck purchase" in Rye, including all the salt meadows in grantor's possession, bounded, southerly, by Roger Park's meadow and running northerly to David Haight's and John Clap's meadow purchased from George Lanesen, deceased, as appears by his deed dated the 9th of April, 1723. Award by Samuel Purdy, John Lyon, and Samuel[4] Tredwell, arbitrators, dated 6th of August, 1743, reciting that Thomas Carpenter, in behalf of his son, Stephen Carpenter, and Samuel Thorn, in behalf of Hannah Chement, had bound themselves to abide by the judgment of said arbitrators that the said Stephen Carpenter should bring up the male child of which the said Hannah Chement and Stephen Carpenter were the parents. Warrant, dated at Rye, the 15th of May, 1730, which seems to have been signed by Samuel[4] Tredwell,—part of the signature having been torn off,—directing the constable of White Plains to bring Paterek Sherrard and wife Catherine (maiden name, Ward), lately married, before him, to give security for the maintenance of the

child the said Catherine had while single, of which Thomas Warren, the schoolmaster, was the father, both being of Rye. Deed, dated the 27th of May, 1746, from John Budd, proprietor in the township of Rye, "formerly belonging to the Colony of Connecticut now under the province of New York," quit-claiming all grantor's rights belonging or descending to him by virtue of the grant of the general court held at Hartford, Connecticut, to the ancient proprietors of Rye, in two parcels of land in Rye, on the west side of Blind Brook, part of the ten lots released by the other proprietors of Rye unto Daniel Purdy, Joseph Kniffin, Samuel Brown, and Jonathan Brown, and commonly called Harrison's Purchase; one piece of 200 acres lying on the east side of the Middle Line (so called) of said Harrison's Purchase, bounded, northerly, by land of James and Nathaniel Stevenson; easterly, by said Blind Brook to William Willet's land; southerly, by said Willet's land; westerly, by said Middle Line; the other piece, containing 174 acres, lying on the west side of said Middle Line, bounded, easterly, by said Middle Line; southerly, by said William Willet's land; westerly, by Mamaroneck River; northerly, by land of Christopher Isinghart.

(*To be continued.*)

CLUES FROM ENGLISH ARCHIVES

Contributory to American Genealogy.

By J. Henry Lea and J. R. Hutchinson.

(Continued from Vol. XLII, p. 301, of The Record.)

Will of John Cheesman of the parish of St. Mary Magdalen in Bermondsey, Co. Surry, gent., dated (*blank*) December, 1663, 15 Charles II. Lands in Heese or Hessen, Norwood, Norcourt or Norcote, Southall, Eling *als* Zeling, old Brentford and new Brentford, Co. Middx., both free & copyhold, to my wife Margarett for life to educate my granchild Anna Cheesman till 24 June 1670 or her marriage & to her remainder of lands after wife's decease, with remainder to my brother Edmond Cheesman, with remainder to my nephews Edmond and Thomas, sons of said brother, they to pay £200 to each of the daughters of my said brother. All lands in Braban, co. Kent, (*Brabourne*) to heirs of my deceased nephew Thomas Cheesman who was my eldest brother's sonne. To said grandchild Anna Cheesman all lands, plantations etc. in County of Gloucester in continent of Virginia, remainder to said nephews Edmond and Thomas Cheesman, sons of said brother Edmond but to be to my wife during her widowhood with remainder to my said brother Edmond for his life. My lease of now dwelling to said wife, remainder to Thomas, my said deceased nephew Thomas Cheesman's sonne, or £40. To Elisabeth

Bynn, widow, 20s. yearly. To servant Ellinor Harvill £10 & to Elizabeth Harvill her sister 20s. yeerley for six years. To poor of St. Mary Magdalen aforesaid where I dwell £10. To poor widows of Redriffe, co. Surrey, £5. My 2 negroes Misce & Mary his wife, now in Virginia, to be free on my wife's death. My wife Margarett Res: Leg. & Extrx: or, if she marry, my friends Mr. James Betts of London, grocer, Mr. Robert Skrine, Cittizen & Iremonger of London, Mr. John Harrison of the parish of Stepney, co. Middx., marriner, & Mr. William Turner of London, merchant, Exors: in trust till 24 June 1670 & then account to said nephews at their ages of 21. [*John Chesman*]. Witnesses: Richard Childe, Jonathan Monday, Lewis Andrewes, Scr. Proved at London, 2 May, 1665, by relict and Extrx: named.

(P. C C. Hyde, 46.)

We have here the will of Lieut. John Chisman of Elizabeth City, Virginia, who came out in the *Flying Hart* in 1621, with his brother, called in the ship's list *Edward*, but undoubtedly identical with the *Edmond* of the will. The will of his widow, Margaret Cheeseman (proved 21 July, 1680, P. C. C. Bath, 92) has already been printed by Mr. Waters with annotations by the writer* calling attention to its value in throwing light on the Mason family of Virginia and others.

Will of Obadiah Ingram, Citizen and Merchant Adventurer of London (*Citizen and Merchant Tailor but died abroad*†) Draper, in good health, dated 20 January, 1632, 8 Charles, to mother Martha Harvey, first wife of Edward Ingram in London, two thirds of my estate. Uncle Thomas Lee, armorour of London, to be Exor: with my mother & to bestow her said share on her in time of need, soe long as it shall please god her husband Symon Harvey liveth with her. Sister Martha Harvey £10 which her father Symon Harvey oweth by bond due in January 1623. Uncle Lee's children each a bible of 20 shillings. Cosin Thomas Lee, said uncle's eldest son, to be Exor: if he die. [*Obadiah Ingram*]. Witnesses: John Alsop, Thos: Middleton. Pro. at London, 24 April, 1635, by Martha Harvey, mother and Extrx:, Thomas Lee, the other Exor: being deceased.

(P. C. C. Sadler, 32.)

Reference may be made to will of Joseph Ingram of Virginia in the preceeding number‡ and the Edward Ingram named in note thereto, who came out in the *Blessing* from London in 1635. The wills of the uncle and Exor:, Thomas Lee of London and *his* son, Capt. Thomas Lee, follow and may be useful in the identification of these people.

Will of Thomas Lee, Citizen and Armorer of London (*of St. Bride's Parish*§), dated 29 December, 1632. Six children now

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* *N. E. Register*, xlvii, 250, and *Water's Gleanings*, i, 691–2.
† In Probate Act Book.
‡ *July, 1911*, vol. xlii., p. 296.
§ Probate Act Book.

living wch are vnprefferred, viz. Thomas, Jonathan, Nathaniell, Barbara, Sarah and Rebecca Lee each £100. Daughter Mary, now wife of Tristram Stephens, Mariner, £5 over and above her portion already given. The Armorers Company of London £5 for a peece of plate. Poor of St. Brides, London, where I now dwell £5. To wife Barbara all lands at Padnell *als* Padnall Corners in parish of Barking, co. Essex, also two new houses in Lambe Alley, near Bishopsgate Street in parish of St. Buttolph, with reversion to son Thomas, also one thirty second part of shipp Raynbow of London and she Extrx. Proved 9 December, 1634, by relict Barbara. (P. C. C. Seager, 113.)

Will of Captain Thomas Lee of shipp *Crispine*, uppon the Coast of Chormandell, dated 4 October, 1636,. To brothers Jonathan and Nathaniel Lee and 5 sisters, Sara, Martha, Rebecca, Marie and Barbery, each one ninth of estate. Uncle, Captain William Reignsbery, dwelling in Wapping, one ninth estate. To poor of East India Company's Hospital £3. Poor of St. Brides parish, London, £3. To mother, Barbery Lee, dwelling in St. Brides parish, one ninth of estate and she Extrx: or, if she be dead, my Vncle Reignsbury Exor. Witnesses: Aar° Baker, Humphrey Weston, Richard ffitch. Died abroad, will pro. 30 July, 1638, by mother Barbara Lee *als* Buckeridge.*
(P. C. C. Lee, 87.)

Will of John Howett of Elizabeth City in Virginia in the parts beyond the seas, planter, dated 6 September, 1654. To wife Elizabeth if living at my death and be unmarried, contrary to the now report from Virginia, one third of my whole estate. To my brothers and all my kindred one shilling each. Residuary Legatee and Exor: friend Mr. Thomas Howett, citizen and cooper of London. Witnesses: Rob't Earle of Prior, Hy. Fancon. Proved 28 July, 1659, by the Exor: named in the will.
(P. C. C. Pell, 524.)

Will of William Langton of Citty of Bristol, merchant, sick and weake, dated 17 June, 1654. To brother John Langton all lands given me by will of my uncle William Burrowes of Bristoll, Gent., with remainder to my brother Joseph Langton. Sister Elizabeth Langton, wife of brother John, 40 shillings. Mrs. Katherine Bridge same. Mrs. Anna Symes same. Brother Thomas Langton all goods I have in the providence and all money due me for freight in last voyage & as for such goods as I haue lately Come home from the barbadoes & goods I expect daily from said Barbadoes I give to my brothers Joseph and Ezekaell Langton & to my two sisters Mary Vaughan & Joane Langton. To Mr. William Callis & his wife each 40 shillings. Ralph Hayens for service in my sickness 40 shillings. Brother John Langton Res: Leg: and Exor: [*Willm. Langton*]. Witnesses: William Atwood, Ralph Haines. Proved at London, 20 May, 1656, by Exor: named. (P. C. C. Berkeley, 141.)

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* Probate Act Book.

Nuncupative will of JOHN PARRY, whilst he lived inhabiting in Virginia, dated 24 March, 1637. To Samuel Minifrey,* his servant, all coopers tooles, suit of clothes & a shirt. To John Martin certain clothing. To Stephen Pendle same. To Raph Hunter, groome, Bedd and Rugg. To brother William Parry his wages & all debts due him. Witnesses: Josua James & Raph Hunter, groome. Proved 30 July, 1638, and admon. with will annexed granted to brother William Parry. (P. C. C. Lee, 87.)

Will of JOHN DIGGS, dated at Rotterdam, 5 March, 1656. Body to be embalmed, wrapped in lead and sent to Feaversham, thence to Chilhang (*sic.*) there to be layed in the vault of my fathers. Brother Edward Diggs sole Exor: and to him £2000. Sister Anne Hammond £200, half of which I was once tould by her husband was a sufficient Legacie. To poor of Chilham parish £50. Overseers: friends Mr. George Smith and Mr. Mathew Bulwer, marchants, and to each £100. [*Mark*] Signatum John Diggs et sigillatum cum sigillo in cœrâ rubrâ sub Impresso Vlterius est subscriptum. Witnesses: Cuthbert Morley, *mark*, John Webb, meig. Jacobi Astell, N. P., August, 1656. Proved 30 September, 1656, and Letters of Admon. granted to George Smith and Mathew Bulwer, Trustees to administer for sole use and during absence of Edward Diggs the brother and sole Exor:, for that he is now governor of the Jsland of virginia and residing there and cannot speedilie doe the same.
(P. C. C. Berkeley, 455.)

The above testator was second son of the well known Sir Dudley Diggs, Knt., of Chilham, co. Kent, Ambassador to Russia, etc., who took so prominent a part in the discoveries of his time and in the settlement of Virginia. His mother was Mary, younger daughter and co-heir of Sir Thomas Kempe, Knt., of Olantigh, co. Kent, who brought Chilham Castle to her husband as her dower.†

The brother and executor, Edward Diggs, was Governor of Virginia, 1655 to 1658, and died 15 March, 1675, in Virginia, his holograph will being admitted to probate in the General Court of Virginia and commission issued to Elizabeth Diggs, his relict and Executrix.‡ Captain (afterward Colonel) William Diggs, one of the witnesses, (probably another of the eight sons of Sir Dudley,) married a daughter of Henry Sewell of Pautuxent, Maryland, and became a prominent citizen of that state.§

The sister, Anne Hammond, was the wife of Anthony Hammond of Nonington, co Kent, gentleman, son of Sir William Hammond, of St. Albons in same place Knt.,‖ by his wife Eliza-

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* Cf. will of Thomas Mathewes of Va., surgeon, (pro. 3 July, 1645, Com. Lond. xxx, 50) ptd. in *Record* (Oct. 1909, xl, 239) with note *re* George Menefie.

† *Visit. Kent in Harl. Soc.*, xlii, 64–5, and Alex. Brown's *Genesis of U. S.*, ii, 878–9.

‡ Neill's *Va. Carolorum*, 383.

§ *Loc. cit.*

‖ *Visit. Kent. in Harl. Soc.*, xlii, 47.

beth, daughter of Anthony Aucher, gentleman.* Her name is shown by the will reference and the Visitation pedigree to have been Anne, but she is called "*Mary*" by a clerical error in her marriage license.†

The will of Richard Kempe, which follows, is interesting in this connection as probably concerning some member of the family of the mother of the Governor and the preceeding testator.

Will of RICHARD KEMPE of Kich-neck in the Collonie of virginia, Esquire, sick and weake, dated 4 Jan., 1649. My wife Elizabeth and daughter Elizabeth my Executrycs of whole estate in Virginia and all moneys due in England by Accompte and all proceeds of Tob: shiped this yeare. My vnckle Ralph wormeley to be Exor: during minority of my child. Kich-neck and all lands belonging to be sold and to make good a sale of 300 acres on the other side of the creeke I have made, hee putting in security to pay 10000 weight of Tob: in cash. My will is that my Exors: grant vnto George Keado 50 acres in barren necke where he liveth, for my plantation at Kappalianocke I leave it to discretion of my Exors: and the servants also. My wife and child to depart this Cuntry. My part of the house Att Towne to be sould, Mr. Richard Bennett to make good the sale. To vncle Ralph wormeley £10 for a ring. To brother Edward Kempe £5. To nephew Edmund Kempe one new servant, 2 cowes, 500 lbs of Tobaccoe towards his buildings. To my beloved friend Richard Lee 40 shillings for a ring. I pray god to bless this Collony. To Sir William Berkeley £10 desiring his favour to my poore wife and child and not to be of any Jnterruption to their departure out of the Collonie. Signed [*Rich: Kempe*]. Witnesses: Richard lee, Edmunde Kempe. Proved at London, 6 December, 1656, by Elizabeth Lunsford *als* Kempe, relict and one of the Executrices named, Elizabeth Kempe, the daughter and Ralfe wormley the other Exors: being both deceased.

(P. C. C. Berkley, 455.)

Richard Bennett was one of the associates with Edward Benett, merchant of London, and others, 21 November, 1621, in a Patent for the old grant of the Isle of Wight plantation, also called Warrosquoyak and Lawne's Creek, in Isle of Wight county, which had been granted to Christopher Lawne and his associates, but had lapsed from the death of the said Lawne in 1620.‡

(*To be continued.*)

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* *Visit. Kent in Harl. Soc.*, xlii, 47.

† The license reads "Anthony Hammon of Nonington, *armiger*, and Mary Digges, daughter of Dulei (*i. e.*, *Dudley*) Digges of Chilham, *miles*, at Chilham, June 21, 1633." *Cant. Marr. Licences*, Cowper's edition, ii, 447.

‡ Neill's Va. Company of London, 194. See also will of Christopher Lawne (pro. 17 June, 1620, P. C. C. Soame 56) printed in RECORD (April, 1909, xl, 84) with notes by the writer.

No. 25. THACHER.....MAURICE HUDSON THATCHER

(Continued from Vol. XLII., p. 340 of the RECORD).

2. **Hon. Antony Thacher,*** b. ....., 1588–9, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng.; d. bet. June 30 and Aug. 22, 1667, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (1) ....., about 1619, at ....., to **Mary** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. July .., 1634, at Salisbury, Co. Wilts, Eng.; m. (2) Feb. .., 1635, at ....., to **Elizabeth Jones,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., subsequent to March 5, 1667–8, at Yarmouth, Mass., probably.

Res. Q. C., Co. Som. Eng., Salisbury, Eng. Came over on *James* 1635. Arr. Boston, Mass., June 4, 1635. Res. at Marblehead, Mass. Set. at Yarmouth, Mass. Dep. G. C. Ply. Col.; Council of War.

Children: 1st m., William, Edith, Mary, Peter, Benjamin; 2nd m., John, Judah, Bethiah.

3. **Hon. Col. John Thacher,*** b. March 17, 1638–9, at Marblehead, Mass.; d. May 8, 1713, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (1) Nov. 6, 1661, at Marshfield, Mass., to **Rebecca Winslow,** b. July 15, 1643, at Marshfield, Mass.; d. July 15, 1683, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (2) Jan. 1, 1683–4, at Yarmouth, Mass., to **Lydia Gorham,**† b. Nov. 6, 1661, at Barnstable, Mass.; d. Aug. 2, 1744, at Yarmouth, Mass.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass. Dep. and Asst. G. C. Ply. Col. Asst. Com. Mass. Col. in Mil. Service. J. P.

Children: 1st m., Peter, Josiah, Rebecca, Bethiah, John, Elizabeth, Hannah, Mary, child, sex not stated; 2nd m., Lydia, Mary, Desire, Hannah, Mercy, Judah, Mercy, Ann, Joseph, Benjamin, Mercy, Thomas.

4. **Deacon Josiah Thacher,** b. April 26, 1667, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. May 12, 1701 or 1702, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. Feb 25, 1690–1, at Yarmouth, Mass., to **Mary Hedge,** b. March .., 1671, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d ....., at .....; she is bur. at Yarm., Mass.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass. Deacon in church there.

Children: Anthony, Rebecca, Mary, Elisha, Josiah.

5. **Capt. Josiah Thacher,** b. July 7, 1701, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. Aug. 22, 1780, at Norwalk, Conn.; m. (1) Feb. 17, 1724, at Norwalk, Conn.. to **Ann Burne,** b. March 25, 1699, at .....; d. Feb. 25, 1733–4, at Norwalk, Conn.; m. (2) Aug. 7 (or Sept. 15), 1735, at Boston, Mass., to **Mary Greenleaf-Blinn** (wid. James Blinn), b. Aug. 29 (or Sept. 25), 1706, at Cambridge, Mass.; d. April 2 (or 6), 1774, at Norwalk, Conn.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass. Set. at Norwalk, Conn. Sea captain. Large land owner in Norwalk, Conn.

Children: 1st m., Ann, Josiah, Ann, Mary; 2nd m., Elizabeth, Daniel, John, Hannah, Elizabeth, Stephen Greenleaf.

6. **Capt. John Thacher,**‡ b. July 25, 1742, at Norwalk, Conn.; d. Jan. 16, 1805, at Stratford, Conn.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Ann Perry,** b. Feb. 19, 1744, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) ....., 1777–8, at Stratford, Conn. (prob.), to **Mehitable Ufford-Thompson** (wid. of Lieut. William Thompson); b. March 16, 1745, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Sept. 6, 1807, at Litchfield, Conn.

Res. Norwalk, New Milford, Conn. Settled at Stratford, Conn. Capt. Rev. War, wounded and taken prisoner Valcour's Island, Oct. 11, 1776, paroled and exchanged.

Children: 1st m., Partridge, Stephen Greenleaf, Betsey; 2nd m., Anthony, Mehitable, Anthony, Mehitable, Daniel.

7. **Anthony Thatcher,** b. Jan. 7, 1782, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Dec. 26, 1844, at New London, Conn.; m. Feb. 24, 1806, at New London, Conn., to **Lucretia Christophers Mumford,** b. Aug. 10, 1785, at Salem, Conn.; d. April 6, 1871, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn, Cashier New London Bank.

Children: Nathaniel Woodbridge, Lucretia Mumford, Mary Woodbridge, John Christophers, Eloise Hardy, George Thompson, Daniel Anthony, Henry Perkins, Abby Mumford, Julia Hubbell, Elizabeth Wetmore, Mary Perkins, Anthony, Antoinette.

8. **John Christophers Thatcher,** b. Feb. 29, 1812, at New London, Conn.; d. Dec. 20, 1884, at Walworth, Wis.; m. (1) Oct. 4, 1837, at Philadelphia, Pa., to **Mary Fitch,** b. Jan. 6, 1820, at Philadelphia, Pa.; d. Oct. 23, 1856, at New York City; m. (2) Sept. 21, 1863, at Vincennes, Knox Co., Ind., to **Mary Tyler Graves,** b. Dec. 15, 1841, at Nashville, Tenn.; d. ....., at .....

Res. He resided at New London, and Bridgeport, Conn., New York City, Chicago, Ills., and Walworth, Wis. He was a merchant, his widow resided in 1910 at Morgantown, Ky.

Children: 1st m., Thomas Fitch, Mary Olivia, John Christophers; 2nd m., Anthony, Maurice Hudson.

9. **Maurice Hudson Thatcher,** b. Aug. 16, 1870, at Chicago, Ill.; d. ....., at .....; m. May 4, 1910, at Frankfort, Ky., to **Anne Bell Chinn** (dau. of Frank and Elizabeth Elliott (Hunt) Chinn of Frankfort, Ky.), b. Sept. 10, 1876, at Frankfort, Ky.; d. .....; at .....

Res. Louisville, Ky. Lawyer, State Examiner of Kentucky; Civil Governor of Canal Zone, Panama Canal Commission.

Children: none.

NOTES: * Descendants eligible to Soc. of Colonial Wars. † Descendants eligible to Soc. of Mayflower Descendants. ‡ Descendants eligible to Soc. of Sons of the Revolution.

No. 26. THACHER.....ARCHIBALD GOURLAY THACHER

THACHER ARMS: *Gules,* a cross moline *argent:* on a chief *d'or,* three grass-hoppers, *proper.*

CREST: A grass-hopper, *proper.*

1. **Rev. Peter Thacher,** b. ....., about 1545–1549, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng., possibly; d. ....., previous to May 7, 1624, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng.; m. ....., at ....., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng., Vicar Ch. Eng. there 1574–1624.

Children: Peter, Antony, John, Giles, Thomas.

THACHER—*Continued.*

2. **Hon. Antony Thacher,*** b. ....., 1588–9, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng.; d. bet. June 30 and Aug. 22, 1667, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (1) ....., about 1619, at ....., to **Mary** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. July .., 1634, at Salisbury, Co. Wilts, Eng.; m. (2) Feb. .., 1635, at ....., to **Elizabeth Jones,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., subsequent to March 5, 1667–8, at Yarmouth, Mass., probably.

Res. Q. C., Co. Som. Eng., Salisbury, Eng. Came over on *James* 1635. Arr. Boston, Mass., June 4, 1635. Res. at Marblehead, Mass. Set. at Yarmouth, Mass. Dep. G. C. Ply. Col.; Council of War.

Children: 1st m., William, Edith, Mary, Peter, Benjamin; 2nd m., John, Judah, Bethiah.

3. **Hon. Col. John Thacher,*** b. March 17, 1638–9, at Marblehead, Mass.; d. May 8, 1713, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (1) Nov. 6, 1661, at Marshfield, Mass., to **Rebecca Winslow,** b. July 15, 1643, at Marshfield, Mass.; d. July 15, 1683, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (2) Jan. 1, 1683–4, at Yarmouth, Mass., to **Lydia Gorham,**† b. Nov. 6, 1661, at Barnstable, Mass.; d. Aug. 2, 1744, at Yarmouth, Mass.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass. Dep. and Asst. G. C. Ply. Col. Asst. Com. Mass. Col. in Mil. Service. J. P.

Children: 1st m., Peter, Josiah, Rebecca, Bethiah, John, Elizabeth, Hannah, Mary, child, sex not stated; 2nd m., Lydia, Mary, Desire, Hannah, Mercy, Judah, Mercy, Ann, Joseph, Benjamin, Mercy, Thomas.

4. **Judah Thacher,** b. Aug. 20, 1693, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. Jan. 8, 1775, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. June 4, 1724, at Yarmouth, Mass., to **Sarah Crosby,** b. Feb. 4, 1701–2, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. Oct. 20, 1771, at Yarmouth, Mass.

Res. Yarmouth. Merchant; Representative in General Court 1737; Selectman 1737, for 5 yrs.; Town Treasurer 1737, for 12 yrs.; Town Clerk 1740, for 8 yrs.

Children: A daughter, Joseph, David 1st, David 2nd, Josiah, Judah, Sarah, John, William.

5. **Joseph Thacher,** b. Sept. 10, 1726, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. Dec. 24, 1771, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. July 27, 1749, at Yarmouth, Mass., to **Abigail Hawes,** b. Sept. 16, 1730, at Yarmouth Mass.; d. June 21, 1789, at Yarmouth, Mass.

Res. Yarmouth. Blacksmith.

Children: Solomon, Peleg, Ebenezer, Lydia, Isaac, Joseph, Sarah, Temperance, Daniel, Barnabas, Ezekiel.

6. **Barnabas Thacher,** b. Aug. 26, 1768, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. Sept. 26, 1836, at Yarmouth, Mass. m. April 18, 1793, at Yarmouth, Mass., to **Mary Howes,** b. Aug. 28, 1769, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. Aug. 11, 1838, at Yarmouth, Mass.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass.

Children; Ezekiel, George, Sarah, Barnabas, Jr., Edward, Olive, Anner, Isaac, Mary.

7. **Isaac Thacher,** b. July 7, 1808, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. Feb. 15, 1883, at Boston, Mass.; m. Nov. 5, 1835, at Boston, Mass., to **Eliza Hichborn,** b. Aug. 26, 1806, at Boston, Mass.; d. Aug. 23, 1856, at Boston, Mass.

Res. Boston. East India merchant, member of firm of Fearing, Thacher & Co., Pres. Lawrence Duck Co., officer Plymouth Duck Co., officer or trustee of Suffolk Savings Bank, Tremont Nat. Bank, Provident Institution for Savings, Children's Hospital, etc.; noted for his benevolence and charity.

Children: Sarah, Eliza, George.

8. **George Thacher,** b. Sept. 7, 1843, at Boston, Mass.; d. April 4, 1905, at New York City; m. June 21, 1873, at Paris, France, to **Isabel Gourlie** (or **Gourlay**), b. ....., at New York City; d. ....., at .....

Res. Boston, Mass., and New York City. Trustee of Suffolk Savings Bank, Director Tremont Nat. Bank, Trustee of Children's Hospital, President Lawrence Duck Co., etc.

Children: Archibald Gourlay, George Oxenbridge, Hamilton.

9. **Archibald Gourlay Thacher,** b. Jan. 16, 1876, at Boston, Mass.; d. ....., at .....; m. Aug. 9, 1902, at Newport, R. I., to **Ethel Davies,** b. March 19, 1876, at New York City; d. ....., at .....

Res. 49 East 51st Street, New York City. Member law firm Wallace, Butler & Brown. Grad. Harvard A. B. 1897; Harvard Law School 1900.

Children: Alice Davies (deceased), Archibald Gourlay, Jr.

NOTES: * Descendants eligible to Soc. Colonial Wars. † Descendants eligible to Soc. of Mayflower Descendants.

No. 27. **THACHER.....JAMES TOTTEN**

THACHER ARMS: *Gules,* a cross moline *argent:* on a chief *d'or,* three grass-hoppers, *proper.*

CREST: A grass-hopper, *proper.*

1. **Rev. Peter Thacher,** b. ....., about 1545–1549, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng., possibly; d. ....., previous to May 7, 1624, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng.; m. ....., at ....., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng., Vicar Ch. Eng. there 1574–1624.

Children: Peter, Antony, John, Giles, Thomas.

THACHER—*Continued.*

2. **Hon. Antony Thacher,*** b. ....., 1588–9, at Queen Camel, Co. Som., Eng.; d. bet. June 30 and Aug. 22, 1667, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (1) ....., about 1619, at ....., to **Mary** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. July .., 1634, at Salisbury, Co. Wilts, Eng.; m. (2) Feb. .., 1635, at ....., to **Elizabeth Jones,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., subsequent to March 5, 1667–8, at Yarmouth, Mass., probably.

Res. Q. C., Co. Som. Eng., Salisbury, Eng. Came over on *James* 1635. Arr. Boston, Mass., June 4, 1635. Res. at Marblehead, Mass. Set. at Yarmouth, Mass. Dep. G. C. Ply. Col.; Council of War.

Children: 1st m., William, Edith, Mary, Peter, Benjamin; 2nd m., John, Judah, Bethiah.

3. **Hon. Col. John Thacher,*** b. March 17, 1638–9, at Marblehead, Mass.; d. May 8, 1713, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (1) Nov. 6, 1661, at Marshfield, Mass., to **Rebecca Winslow,** b. July 15, 1643, at Marshfield, Mass.; d. July 15, 1683, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. (2) Jan. 1, 1683–4, at Yarmouth, Mass., to **Lydia Gorham,**† b. Nov. 6, 1661, at Barnstable, Mass.; d. Aug. 2, 1744, at Yarmouth, Mass.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass. Dep. and Asst. G. C. Ply. Col. Asst. Com. Mass. Col. in Mil. Service. J. P.

Children: 1st m., Peter, Josiah, Rebecca, Bethiah, John, Elizabeth, Hannah, Mary, child, sex not stated; 2nd m., Lydia, Mary, Desire, Hannah, Mercy, Judah, Mercy, Ann, Joseph, Benjamin, Mercy, Thomas.

4. **Deacon Josiah Thacher,** b. April 26, 1667, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. May 12, 1701 or 1702, at Yarmouth, Mass.; m. Feb 25, 1690–1, at Yarmouth, Mass., to **Mary Hedge,** b. March .., 1671, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d ....., at .....; she is bur. at Yarm., Mass.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass. Deacon in church there.

Children: Anthony, Rebecca, Mary, Elisha, Josiah.

5. **Capt. Josiah Thacher,** b. July 7, 1701, at Yarmouth, Mass.; d. Aug. 22, 1780, at Norwalk, Conn.; m. (1) Feb. 17, 1724, at Norwalk, Conn.. to **Ann Burne,** b. March 25, 1699, at .....; d. Feb. 25, 1733–4, at Norwalk, Conn.; m. (2) Aug. 7 (or Sept. 15), 1735, at Boston, Mass., to **Mary Greenleaf-Blinn** (wid. James Blinn), b. Aug. 29 (or Sept. 25), 1706, at Cambridge, Mass.; d. April 2 (or 6), 1774, at Norwalk, Conn.

Res. Yarmouth, Mass. Set. at Norwalk, Conn. Sea captain. Large land owner in Norwalk, Conn.

Children: 1st m., Ann, Josiah, Ann, Mary; 2nd m., Elizabeth, Daniel, John, Hannah, Elizabeth, Stephen Greenleaf.

6. **Capt. John Thacher,**‡ b. July 25, 1742, at Norwalk, Conn.; d. Jan. 16, 1805, at Stratford, Conn.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Ann Perry,** b. Feb. 19, 1744, at Fairfield, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) ....., 1777–8, at Stratford, Conn. (prob.), to **Mehitable Ufford-Thompson** (wid. of Lieut. William Thompson); b. March 16, 1745, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Sept. 6, 1807, at Litchfield, Conn.

Res. Norwalk, New Milford, Conn. Settled at Stratford, Conn. Capt. Rev. War, wounded and taken prisoner Valcour's Island, Oct. 11, 1776, paroled and exchanged.

Children: 1st m., Partridge, Stephen Greenleaf, Betsey; 2nd m., Anthony, Mehitable, Anthony, Mehitable, Daniel.

7. **Anthony Thatcher,** b. Jan. 7, 1782, at Stratford, Conn.; d. Dec. 26, 1844, at New London, Conn.; m. Feb. 24, 1806, at New London, Conn., to **Lucretia Christophers Mumford,** b. Aug. 10, 1785, at Salem, Conn.; d. April 6, 1871, at New London, Conn.

Res. New London, Conn, Cashier New London Bank.

Children: Nathaniel Woodbridge, Lucretia Mumford, Mary Woodbridge, John Christophers, Eloise Hardy, George Thompson, Daniel Anthony, Henry Perkins, Abby Mumford, Julia Hubbell, Elizabeth Wetmore, Mary Perkins, Anthony, Antoinette.

8. **Julia Hubbell Thatcher,** b. March 6, 1823, at New London, Conn.; d. Jan. 31, 1906, at New London, Conn.; m. Dec. 5, 1843, at New London, Conn., to **Gen. James Totten,** U. S. Army; b. Sept. 11, 1818, at Cincinnati, Ohio; d. Oct. 1, 1871, at Sedalia, Mo.

Res. various posts in service U. S. Army. U. S. M. A. 1841. Lieut. Col. and Inspector General U. S. A. Served Mexican and Civil Wars.

Children: William Anthony, Charles Adelle Lewis, John Reynolds.

9. **Charles Adelle Lewis Totten,** b. Feb. 3, 1851, at New London, Conn.; d. April 12, 1908, at Milford, Conn.; m. (1) Aug. .., 1871, at N. Y. City, to **Eda Smith,** b. Sept. 11, 1856, at Benecia, Cal.; d. Jan. 8, 1884, at Garden City, Long Island, N. Y.; m. (2) Jan. 18, 1888, at Garden City, L. I., to **Mary Bunker,** b. Oct. 25, 1866, at N. Y. City; d. ....., at .....

Res. various posts U. S. Army. Settled Milford, Conn. Trinity College 1869. U. S. M. A. 1873. 1st Lieut. 4th Art., U. S. A. Resigned from U. S. A. 1893. Prof. of Mil. Science at Amherst Agricultural College and at Garden City, L. I., School for Boys, and at Sheffield Institute, Yale University. Author. Publisher of *Our Race*, Studies of Biblical Prophecy.

Children: 1st m., Eda, James, Tea Tephi; 2nd m., Muriel, Gurdon Saltonstall, Denis Bunker.

10. **James Totten** (Captain U. S. Army), b. June 1, 1880, at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....; m. April 17, 1907, at Barancas Barracks, Pensacola, Fla., to **Julia Willoughby Walke,** b. Sept. 24, 1884, at Norfolk, Va.; d. ....., at .....

Res. in Milford, Conn., and various posts U. S. Army. Served in Volunteer Army, Philippine War with Spain. Officer U. S. Army Coast Artillery.

Children: none (up to April, 1909),

NOTES: * Descendants eligible to Soc. of Colonial Wars. † Descendants eligible to Soc. of Mayflower Descendants. ‡ Descendants eligible to Soc. of Sons of the Revolution.

No. 28. DROWNE.....HENRY RUSSELL DROWNE

1. **Leonard Drowne,** b. ....., 1646, at ....., Eng.; d. Oct. 31, 1729, aged 83, at Boston, Mass.; m. (1) ....., 1678-80, at or near Portsmouth, N. H., to **Elizabeth Abbot,** (dau. of Walter and Sarah (.....) Abbot, of Portsmouth, N. H.), b. ....., at .....; d. May 5, 1706, at Boston, Mass.; m. (2) Nov. 4, 1707, at Boston, Mass., by Rev. Cotton Mather, to **Mary** (.....) **Caley** (wid. of Robert Caley, of Malden, Mass., who d. Feb. 15, 1702-3), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Sturgeon's Creek, Kittery, Maine, until 1692, then at Boston, Mass. Shipbuilder (came from West of Eng. about 1660).
Children: 1st m., Samuel, Solomon, Shem, Simeon, Susannah, Mary, Elizabeth, Hannah(?); 2nd m., none.

2. **Solomon Drowne,** b. Jan. 23, 1681, at Kittery, Me.; d. Oct. 9, 1730, at Bristol, R. I.; m. Nov. 8, 1705, at Bristol, R. I., to **Esther Jones,** of Bristol, R. I., b. Aug. 18, 1687, at Bristol, R. I.; d. July 26, 1744, at Bristol, R. I.

Res. Bristol, R. I. Shipbuilder.
Children: Solomon, Esther, Elizabeth, Joseph, Bathsheba, Benjamin, Mary, Samuel, Sarah, Jonathan, Shem.

3. **Solomon Drowne,** b. Oct. 4, 1706, at Bristol, R. I.; d. June 25, 1780, at Providence, R. I.; m. (1) Dec. 23, 1731, at Providence, R. I., by Robert Gibbs, Justice, to **Sarah Tillinghast** (dau. of Benjamin Tillinghast), b. May 20, 1702, at Providence, R. I.; d. Dec. 29, 1748, at Providence, R. I.; m. (2) July 2, 1749, at Providence, R. I., by Daniel Jenckes, Justice, to **Mercy (Tillinghast) Arnold** (wid. of Stephen Arnold), b. ....., 1710, at Providence, R. I.; d. Jan. 14, 1782, at Providence, R. I.

Res. Providence, R. I. Merchant. Justice of the Peace; Deacon First Baptist Church and one of its founders.
Children: 1st m., none; 2nd m., Sarah, Solomon, William.

4. **Solomon Drowne, M. D.,** b. March 11, 1753, at Providence, R. I.; d. Feb. 5, 1834, at Foster, R. I.; m. Nov. 20, 1777, at Mendon, Mass., to **Elizabeth Russell,** of Boston, Mass., b. April 16, 1759, at .....; d. May 15, 1844, at Foster, R. I.

Res. Mount Hygeia, Foster, R. I. Surgeon in the Revolutionary War, 1776, 1780. Took degrees at the University of Pennsylvania and Dartmouth College; Professor of Materia Medica and Botany, Brown University, Providence, R. I.
Children: Sophia, Eliza Russell, Cornelia, Sophia, Sophia, Sarah, William, Solomon Horace, Henry Bernardin.

5. **Henry Bernardin Drowne,** b. April 6, 1799, at Union, Fayette Co., Pa.; d. Feb. 7, 1874, at Providence, R. I.; m. April 24, 1821, at Warwick, R. I., to **Julia Anne Stafford,** of Warwick, R. I., b. June 5, 1802, at Warwick, R. I.; d. Oct. 18, 1888, at Providence, R. I.

Res. Providence, R. I.
Children: Henry Thayer, Thomas Stafford, Solomon, Louisa, Christopher Rhodes, George Russell, Julia Anne.

6. **Henry Thayer Drowne, M. A.,** b. March 25, 1822, at Woodstock, Conn.; d. Dec. 10, 1897, at New York City; m. Dec. 24, 1851, at Brooklyn, N. Y., to **Sarah Rhodes Arnold,** of Providence, R. I.; b. March 2, 1832, at Providence, R. I.; d. Jan. 28, 1906, at New York City.

Res. New York City. Assistant-Treasurer General of the General Society of Cincinnati; President of the National Fire Insurance Co.; President of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society; Treasurer of the American Ethnological Society; Trustee Metropolitan College of Music of the University of the State of New York; Director New York Institute for the Deaf and Dumb; Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society, London, England; Member R. I. Society of the Cincinnati, N. Y. Society Sons of the Revolution, New York Historical Society; Life Member New England Society.
Child: Henry Russell.

7. **Henry Russell Drowne,** b. Aug. 31, 1860, at New York City; d. ....., at .....; m. (1) Nov. 17, 1886, at New York City, to **Edith May Mitchell,** b. Oct. 11, 1867, at New York City; d. Aug. 25, 1887, at New York City; m. (2) July 3, 1889, at Cleveland, Ohio, to **Louisa Trevor Forsyth,** b. Sept. 4, 1870, at Cleveland, Ohio; d. .....; at .....; m. (3) May 18, 1909, at Bridgeport, Conn., to **Mabel Bloomfield Waldron,** b. Jan. 12, 1876, at Kingston, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City. Marshall of the General Society of the Cincinnati; Secretary, New York Society Sons of the Revolution; Secretary and Trustee, New York Genealogical and Biographical Society; Corresponding Secretary and Governor, American Numismatic Society. Merchant.
Children: 1st m., Edith Mitchell: 2nd m., Henry Russell, Jr.; 3rd m., Lois Waldron (dead), Mabel Norma.

No. 29. CORNELL.....REV. JOHN CORNELL

1. **Thomas Cornell,** b. ....., about 1595, at ....., Co. Essex, Eng.?; d. ....., about 1655, at ....., buried on Cornell Homestead, Portsmouth, R. I.; m. ....., at ....., Co. Essex, Eng.?, to **Rebecca Briggs** (sister of John Briggs), b. ....., 1600, at ....., Eng.; d. Feb. 8, 1673, at Portsmouth, R. I.

Res. ....., Co. Essex, Eng. Came over to this country about 1638; was for a time in Boston where he was a tavern-keeper. Removed to Portsmouth, R. I., and lived also for a time in New Amsterdam, N. Y. He was a Constable and an Ensign in the Military Service at Portsmouth, R. I., and a large land owner in New Amsterdam, N. Y., and Portsmouth, R. I.
Children: Thomas, Sarah, Rebecca, Ann, Richard, John, Joshua, Elizabeth, Samuel.

2. **Richard Cornell,** b. ....., about 1625, at ....., Co. Essex, Eng., probably; d. ....., 1694, at Rockaway, L. I., N. Y., probably; m. ....., about 1665, probably, at ....., to **Elizabeth** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Flushing, and Rockaway, L. I. Justice of the Peace; Patentee of Flushing, L. I.; Delegate from Flushing to Hempstead Convention which framed the "Duke's Laws;" large land owner in Flushing, and Rockaway, L. I.
Children: Richard, Sarah, Elizabeth, William, Jacob, Thomas, John, Mary.

CORNELL—*Continued.*

3. **William Cornell,** b. ....., about 1667, at Hempstead, L. I., possibly; d. ....., 1743, at Hempstead, L. I., probably; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth Smith?** (possibly dau. of Jeremiah Smith, of Herricks), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) April 8, 1735, at St. George's Church, Hempstead, L. I., to **Jane (Creed) Whitehead** (wid. of Thomas Whitehead and dau. of William Creed), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Hempstead, L. I. Extensive land owner in Hempstead; J. P., Constable and Collector of Hempstead, L. I.; Vestryman of St. George's Church, Hempstead, L. I.

Children: 2nd m., Richard, John, William, Elizabeth, Mary, Letitia, Thomas.

4. **John Cornell,** b. ....., about 1700, at .....; d. ....., 1773, at .....; m. (1) June 9 (or Jan. 29), 1722, at ....., to **Abigail Whitehead** (supposed dau. of Thomas and Jane (Creed) Whitehead), b. ....., at .....; d. April 20, 1762, at ....., in 57th year, and she is buried in Rockaway, L. I., Cemetery; m. (2) ....., license granted June 6, 1766, at ....., to **Patience Oakley** (wid., dau. of Samuel and Hannah Skidmore), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Hempstead, L. I. Farmer. Will dated July .., 1773; proved Aug. 26, 1773, in which he is called John Cornell of Huntington, Suffolk Co., L. I.

Children: 1st m., William, Daniel, Mary, Elizabeth, Whitehead, Thomas, John, Sylvester, Thomas; 2nd m., none.

5. **Whitehead Cornell,** b. March 12, 1731, at Hempstead, L. I.; bap. July 19, 1731, at St. George's Church, Hempstead, L. I.; d. Feb. 5, 1810, at Brooklyn, L. I., N. Y.; buried St. Ann's Churchyard, Brooklyn, N. Y., and removed to family vault, Greenwood, Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Margaret Sebring** (dau. of Isaac Sebring and Catherine Van Wyck), b. April 14, 1731, at .....; d. June 17, 1797, at .....; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Phebe** (.....) **Thorne** (wid. of ..... Thorne), b. ....., at .....; d. Sept. 25, 1829, in New York City, and buried in St. Ann's Churchyard, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Res. Brooklyn, N. Y., subsequent to 1755; butcher, he was a contractor for supplying the British Fleet with meat during the Revolution.

Children: 1st m., John, William, Isaac; 2nd m., none.

6. **John Cornell,** b. May 6, 1753, at Hempstead, L. I., and bap. there Dec. 27, 1753; d. Jan. 21, 1820, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. May 6, 1787, at ....., to **Sarah (Cortelyou) Conradi** (dau. of Simon and Sarah (Van Wyck) Cortelyou, and wid. of Charles Conradi, who d. June 4, 1786), b. May 13, 1767, at Fort Hamilton, L. I.; d. Aug. 3, 1858, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Res. Red Hook, now Atlantic Docks, Brooklyn, L. I. Large land owner.

Children: Sarah, George, Catherine, Margaret, Ann, Whitehead J., Simon Cortelyou, George Lecky, Agnes, John Sebring, Peter Cortelyou, Isaac Russell, Samuel Garretson, Mary.

7. **Isaac Russell Cornell,** b. Sept. 17, 1805, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; d. Jan. 19, 1896, at No. 4 West 53rd Street, New York City; m. March 15, 1831, at New Brunswick, N. J., by Bishop Croes, to **Elizabeth Mary Duyckinck** (dau. of Richard Bancker and Elizabeth Mary (Donnan) Duyckinck), b. Feb. 15, 1814, at New Brunswick, N. J.; d. May 3, 1899, at No. 121 Madison Avenue, New York City.

Res. New York City. Member of firm of Robinson & Cornell, Wholesale Druggists, New York City; associated with his brothers Peter and Samuel in the Union White Lead Co., of Brooklyn, N. Y.; large land owner in Weston, N. J.

Children: Sarah Duyckinck, John.

8. **Rev. John Cornell,** b. June 11, 1839, at New York City; bap. Sept. 29, 1839, at St. Thomas' P. E. Church, New York City; d. ....., at .....; m. July 31, 1878, at Friarn Barnet, near London, Eng., to **Margaret Katerina (Osterberg) Robinson** (wid. of Joseph Parkinson Robinson, of Dewsbury, Eng.), b. ....., at Stockholm, Sweden; d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City. Princeton University, A. B., 1859; A. M., 1862; General Theological Seminary, Class of 1863; Ordained deacon, 1863; Ordained Presbyter, 1864. Held clerical office at Rhinebeck, N. Y., Ravenswood, N. Y., Laramie, Wyo., Santa Fe, N. Mex., Hamilton, Nev., Santa Barbara, Cal.; Missionary-at-Large in Northern California, Nice, France, Bethesda, Md.; resided for a time at Washington, D. C., and returned to New York City and settled there; Canon of the Cathedral of St. John of the Divine, New York City; Compiler of the *Cornell Genealogy*. Owner of the Cornell homestead, Portsmouth, R. I., his summer home.

Children: none.

No. 30. WELLES.....SARA STILES PATTISON

1. **Gov. Thomas Welles,** b. ....., 1598, at ....., Eng.; d. Jan. 14, 1659-60, at Wethersfield, Conn.; m. (1) ....., at ....., Eng., to **Elizabeth (Hunt,** according to Orcutt), b. ....., at ....., Eng.; d. ....., before 1646, at .....; m. (2) ....., about 1646, at ....., to **Elizabeth (Deming) Foote** (wid. of Nathaniel Foote, and sister of John Deming), b. ....., at .....; d. July 28, 1683, aged about 88 years (she had seven children by her first husband, Nathaniel Foote, to whom she willed her property); she d. at .....

Res. Hartford and Wethersfield, Conn. Deputy-Governor, Governor, Magistrate, Treasurer, Secretary, and Commissioner of Conn. Colony.

Children: 1st m., Anne, John, Robert, Thomas, Samuel, Sarah, Mary, Joseph,; 2nd m., none.

2. **Thomas Welles,** b. ....., 1627, at .....; d. ....., 1668, at Wethersfield, Conn.; m. June 23, 1654, at Hartford, Conn., to **Hannah (Tuttle) Pantry** (dau. of William Tuttle, and wid. of John Pantry), b. ....., 1632, about, at ....., Eng.; d. Aug. 9, 1683, at Hartford, Conn.

Res. Wethersfield, and Hartford. Conn. Deputy-Magistrate; Quartermaster under Maj. John Mason, 1658; Rep. G. C. Col. Conn, 1663; Assistant, 1668.

Children: Mary, Hannah, John, Rebecca, Thomas, Sarah, Ichabod, Samuel, Jonathan, Joseph.

WELLES—*Continued.*

3. **Rebecca Welles,** b. May .., 1655, at Wethersfield, Conn.; d. Nov. 3, 1717, at Stratford, Conn.; m. Aug. 13, 1680, at Hartford, Conn., to **Capt. James Judson** (son of Joseph and Sarah (Porter) Judson, of Stratford, Conn.), b. April 24, 1650, at Windsor, Conn.; d. Feb. 25, 1721, at Stratford, Conn. He m. (2) Nov. 20, 1718, at ....., to **Ann** (.....) **Steele** (wid. of James Steele, of Wethersfield, Conn.), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., 1739, at Wethersfield, Conn.

Res. Stratford, Conn. Lieut. and Capt. in military service; Rep. to G. C. Col. Conn., 12 sessions.
Children (Judson): 1st m., Hannah, Sarah, Rebecca, Joseph, James, Phebe, David; 2nd m., none.

4. **Capt. David Judson,** b. Aug. 7, 1693, at Stratford, Conn.; d. May 5, 1761, at Stratford, Conn.; m. Oct. 29, 1713, at Stratford, Conn., to **Phebe Stiles** (dau. of Ephraim and Bathsheba (Tomlinson) Stiles, of Stratford, Conn.), b. March 25, 1696, at Stratford, Conn.; d. May 20, 1765, at Stratford, Conn.

Res. Stratford, Conn. Ensign and Capt. in military service; Rep. General Court, Col. Conn., several sessions.
Children: David, Phebe, Abel, Abel, Agur, Ruth, Daniel, Sarah, Abner, Betty.

5. **Ruth Judson,** b. April 26, 1726, at Stratford, Conn.; d. June 21, 1814, at Stratford, Conn.; m. April 26, 1747, at Stratford, Conn., to **Benjamin Stiles** (son of Lieut. Francis and Mary (Johnson) Stiles, of Southbury, Conn.), b. Feb. 11, 1720, at Woodbury, Conn.; d. March 15, 1797, at Southbury, Conn.

Res. Southbury, Conn. Yale College, 1740; lawyer, Southbury, Conn.; and filled many town and county offices there; Rep. to General Court, Col. Conn., several sessions; State Auditor; Signed acceptance of U. S. Constitution, Jan. 3, 1788, for Southbury, Conn.
Children: Francis, Phebe, David, Ephraim, Benjamin, Abel, Abel, Judson, Phebe, Nathan.

6. **Francis Stiles,** b. Nov. 13, 1748, at Southbury, Conn.; d. April 5, 1796, at .....; m. ....., 1783, at ....., to **Sarah (Nichols) Coffin** (wid. of Isaac Coffin and dau. of Isaac Nichols), b. Feb. 12, 1751, at Derby, Conn.; d. May 23, 1841, at Salisbury, Conn.

Res. Southbury, and Salisbury, Conn.
Children: Benjamin, Thomas, Ransom, Sarah.

7. **Ransom Stiles,** b. Dec. 29, 1790, at Salisbury, Conn.; d. April 20, 1859, at Argyle, N. Y.; m. March 2, 1820, at Argyle, N. Y., to **Hannah Proudfit** (dau. of Dr. Andrew and Mary (Lytle) Proudfit), b. Dec. 21, 1797, at .....; d. April 28, 1849, at Argyle, N. Y.

Res. Salisbury, Conn., and settled at Argyle, N. Y., where he was Supervisor for eight years; he was a merchant and held various trusteeships.
Children: Sarah Maria, Susannah Jane, Hannah Elizabeth, Andrew Proudfit, Susanna Ransom.

8. **Sarah Maria Stiles,** b. Nov. 4, 1822, at Argyle, N. Y.; d. Jan. 16, 1900, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. Dec. 7, 1842, at Argyle, N. Y., to **John Ashton Pattison,** b. Aug. 7, 1816, at Troy, N. Y.; d. May 2, 1885, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Res. Troy, Fort Miller, Argyle, and Brooklyn, N. Y. Justice of the Peace of Argyle; merchant.
Children: Anna Proudfit, Emma Gardiner, Ransom Stiles, John Hargrave, George Ashton, Sara Stiles.

9. **Sara Stiles Pattison,** b. Jan. 6, 1861, at Argyle, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Argyle, N. Y., until 1868; Brooklyn, N. Y., until 1900; New York City. Member Colonial Daughters of the Seventeenth Century; Daughters of the American Revolution; New York Genealogical and Biographical Society.

No. 31. **STAFFORD.....WILLIAM FREDERICK STAFFORD**

1. **Thomas Stafford,** b. ....., 1615 (....., 1605, according to *Austin's Genealogical Dictionary of Rhode Island,* p. 384), at ..... (Warwickshire?), Eng.; d. April .., 1678, at Warwick, R. I.; m. ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Newport, R. I., in 1638; removed to Portsmouth, R. I., in 16.., and to Warwick, R. I., in 1652.
Children: Thomas, Samuel, Sarah, Deborah, Hannah, Joseph.

2. **Thomas Stafford,** b. ....., at .....; d. Jan. 26, 1722-3, at Warwick, R. I.; m. (1) Dec. 20 (or 28th), 1671, by John Greene, Justice, at Warwick, R. I., to **Jane Dodge,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Sarah** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., subsequent to 1719-1723; at .....

Res. Warwick, R. I.
Children (possibly by 1st m., not clear however): William, Thomas, Eleanor, Amy, Elizabeth, Josiah.

3. **William Stafford,** b. ....., at Warwick, R. I.; d. Feb. .., 1741, at Warwick, R. I.; m. ....., at ....., to **Mary** ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Warwick, R. I.
Children: William, James, Barberry, Lydia, Uriah, Thomas, Mary, Michael.

4. **William Stafford,** b. Feb. 29, 1712-13, at Warwick, R. I.; d. Nov. 16, 1803, at Rutland, N. Y.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Sarah Wheaton,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) ....., about 1750, at ....., to **Freelove Westcott** (dau. of Stukeley and Bethiah (Westcott) Westcott, of Cranston, R. I.), b. ....., 1724, at Providence (now Cranston), R. I.; d. April 1, 1809, at Augusta, N. Y.

Res. Warwick, and Coventry, R. I.; Lanesborough, Mass.; Duanesburgh, Augusta, and Rutland, N. Y.
Children: 1st m., Mary; 2nd m., Stukeley, William, David, John, Ichabod, Elizabeth, Ananias, Freelove, James, Sarah, Andrew.

STAFFORD—*Continued.*

5. **Ichabod Stafford,** b. June 17, 1762, at Warwick, R. I.; d. July 30, 1804, at Waterville, N. Y.; m. Jan. .., 1781, at ..... (probably Coventry, R. I.), to **Humility Green** (dau. of James Green, Jr., of Coventry, R. I), b. Sept. 4, 1759, at Coventry, R. I.; d. Nov. 30, 1851, at Waterville, N. Y.

Res. Coventry, R. I.; Lanesborough, Mass.; Duanesburgh, and Augusta, N. Y., and Waterville, Oneida Co., N. Y.
Children: Hannah, Welcome, Aaron, Truman, Mary.

6. **Truman Stafford,** b. March 17, 1791, at Duanesburgh, N. Y.; d. March 5, 1825, at Yonkers, N. Y.; m. Oct. 24, 1813, at ....., to **Sarepta Hawley** (dau. of Abel Hawley, of Farmington, Conn.), b. June 15, 1792, at Farmington, Conn.; d. March 11, 1875, at .....

Res. Madison, Madison Co. N. Y.
Children: John Williams, William Bacon, George Hawley, Truman, Cornelius Sarepta.

7. **William Bacon Stafford,** b. June 22, 1816, at Madison, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....; m. Aug. 29, 1842, at ....., to **Harriet Stafford** (dau. of Aaron Stafford, of Waterville, N. Y.), b. Sept. 19, 1819, at Waterville, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Waterville, N. Y.; removed to New York City, Jan. 6, 1855.
Children; Martin Hawley, William Frederick, Isabelle Kate, Mary Cornelius.

8. **William Frederick Stafford,** b. Nov. 18, 1845, at Waterville, Oneida Co., N. Y.; d. ....., at .....; m. Nov. 22, 1886, at New York City, to **Justine Adele Bliss,** b. May 18, 1858, at New York City; d. ....., at .....

Res. Waterville, N. Y.; settled in New York City. Member of the New York Stock Exchange since 1882; Member of the Union, Metropolitan, New York Yacht, and Union League Clubs. Member of Soc. of Colonial Wars and Sons of the Revolution. Member of the Turf and Field Club; Oneida Co., N. Y., Historical Society, Fort Schuyler Club, Utica, and New York Genealogical and Biographical Society.
Children: none.

No. 32. LAMSON.....WILLIAM JUDSON LAMSON

1. **William Lamson,** b. ....., at ..... (probably ....., Essex Co., Eng.); d. Feb. 1, 1658–9, at Ipswich, Mass.; m. ....., at ....., to **Sarah** (**Ayers,** probably) (possibly dau. of John and Hannah (.....) Ayers, of Salisbury, Mass), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Ipswich, Mass.; arrived from England about 1634; Freeman Ipswich, Mass., May 17, 1637; held office of Pounder and Fence-viewer; large land owner.
Children: John, Sarah, Samuel, Phebe, Mary, Hannah, Nathaniel, Joseph.

2. **John Lamson,** b. Nov. .., 1642, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. ....., about 1713, at Topsfield, Mass.; m. Dec. 17, 1668, at Ipswich, Mass., to **Martha Perkins** (dau. of Thomas and Phebe (Gould) Perkins, of Topsfield, Mass.), b. ....., about 1649, at Topsfield, Mass.; d. ....., after 1728, at .....

Res. Ipswich, Mass. Yeoman.
Children: John, Phebe, William, Martha, Thomas, Sarah, Samuel.

3. **Thomas Lamson,** b. Jan. 3, 1682, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. July .., 1767 (or 1769), at Ipswich, Mass.; m. (1) April 6, 1708, at Andover, Mass. (int. pub. Ipswich, Mass., 31; 1st mo., 1707–8), to **Abigail Faulkner** (dau. of Francis and Abigail (Dane) Faulkner, of Andover, Mass.), b. Aug. 12, 1683, at Andover, Mass.; d. Dec. 26, 1746, at Ipswich, Mass.; m. (2) ..... (int. pub. June 18, 1747, at Ipswich. Mass.), to **Sarah Rindge,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) ..... (int. pub. Ipswich, Mass., March 25, 1758) to **Ruth Bowles,** widow (possibly widow of Joseph Bowles, who died May 5, 1753), b. ....., at .....; d. Sept. 16, 1776, at .....

Res. Ipswich, Mass. Yeoman.
Children: 1st m., Abigail, Thomas, Paul, Martha, Sarah, Elizabeth; 2nd m., none; 3rd m., none.

4. **Thomas Lamson,** b. April 8, 1710, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. Aug. 31, 1751, at Ipswich, Mass.; m. ..... (int. pub. Aug. 11, 1732), at Ipswich, Mass., to **Mary Adams** (dau. of Nathaniel and Abigail (Kimball) Adams, of Ipswich, Mass.), b. ....., bap. 8th of 6th mo,, 1714, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. ....., at ..... She m. (2) ..... (int. pub. Oct. 11, 1760), at Ipswich, Mass., to Robert Potter.

Res. Ipswich, Mass. Husbandman.
Children: Thomas, Mary, Abigail, Martha, Mercy, Paul, Nathaniel.

5. **Paul Lamson,** b. April 8, 1746, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. May 5, 1791, at Ipswich (Hamilton) Mass.; m. ..... (int. pub. July 23, 1768), at Ipswich, Mass., to **Abigail Lord** (dau. of Samuel and Abigail (Conant) Lord, of Ipswich, Mass), b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Ipswich, and Westborough, Mass. Joiner and cabinet maker.
Children: Mercy, Martha, Mary, Thomas, William, Samuel.

6. **Samuel Lamson,** b. Dec. 9, 1779, at Westborough, Mass.; d. June 12, 1845, at Boston, Mass.; m. Jan. 4, 1804, at Salem, Mass., to **Sarah Sleuman** (dau. of Thomas and Mary (Marston) Sleuman, of Salem, Mass.), b. ....., 1780, at Salem, Mass.; d. April 4, 1840, at Boston, Mass.

Res. Salem, Mass. Master Mariner; Commanded vessels *Holkar* and *Rising Star* in War of 1812; later was Deputy Surveyor of Lumber, Boston, Mass.
Children: William, Samuel, Nathaniel Marston, Edwin, Sarah, Harriet Newell, Elizabeth Norton, George Whitfield.

LAMSON—*Continued.*

7. **Rev. Samuel Lamson,** b. June 6, 1807, at Salem, Mass.; d. Jan. 24, 1864, at Jersey City, N. J.; m. July 9, 1832, at Boxford, Mass., to **Sarah Ann Sawyer** (dau. of John and Sarah (Killam) Sawyer, of Boxford, Mass.), b. July 11, 1810, at Boxford, Mass.; d. Jan. 11, 1853, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Res. Brown University, 1828; Andover Theological Seminary, 1832; Principal of Abbott Female Seminary, Andover, Mass., 1832-3; held Congregational pastorates at Brighton, Mass., Nashua, N. H., Tewkesbury, and North Reading, Mass.

Children: John Sawyer, Harriet Newell, Nathan Carruth, George Kimball (name changed to George Whitfield), Edwin, Samuel Kimball.

8. **John Sawyer Lamson,** b. April 21, 1833, at Andover, Mass.; d. Aug. 21, 1883, at Boxford, Mass.; m. June 15, 1859, at Yonkers, N. Y., to **Mary Hart Hunter** (dau. of Rev. John Hart and Julia Maria (Judson) Hunter, of Fairfield, Conn.), b. July 15, 1837, at Shrewsbury, N. J.; d. June, 21, 1911, at Summit, N. J.

Res. Salem, Mass.; Brooklyn and New York City, N. Y.; Jersey City, Orange, Montclair, and Plainfield, N. J. Importer of South American products, No. 77 Maiden Lane, New York City.

Children: Harriet Newell, John Sawyer, Edwin Ruthven, Horace Holden, William H. (changed to William Judson), Mary Judson.

9. **William Judson Lamson,** b. May 14, 1871, at Orange, N. J.; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to ....., b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at ..... (Not married up to April 23, 1909.)

Res. Summit, N. J. Physician; Yale University, 1893; College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, 1896; St. Luke's Hospital, 1899.

No. 33. GIDDINGS.....FRANKLIN HENRY GIDDINGS

1. **George Giddings,*** b. ....., 1609 (or 1610), at ....., Eng. (prob.); d. June 1, 1676, at Ipswich, Mass.; m. ....., at ....., to **Jane Lawrence** (dau. of Thomas and Joane (Antrobus) Lawrence), b. ....., at St. Albans, Herts Co., Eng.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Came over in *Planter* from St. Albans, Eng., in 1635, to Ipswich, Mass., with wife Jane and three servants, settled at Ipswich, Mass.. Freeman, Ipswich, Sept. 7, 1638; Deputy G. C. Mass., 1641, 1654, 1655, 1659, 1661, 1663, 1664, 1668, 1672 and 1675; Selectman, Ipswich, 1661-1675.

Children: Thomas, John, James, Samuel, Joseph (Collins?), Sarah, Mary, George.

2. **John Giddings,** b. ....., 1639, at .....; d. March 3, 1691, at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Sarah Alcock** (dau. of John and Elizabeth (.....) Alcock, of Kittery, Me.), b. ....., at .....; d. Dec. 29, 1711, at ..... She m. (2) June ... 1702, to Henry Herrick, of Beverly, Mass.

Res. Ipswich, Mass.

Children: George, Elizabeth, Jane, Sarah, John, Job, Solomon, Joshua, Thomas, Mary.

3. **Thomas Giddings,** b. ....., 1683, at Ipswich, Mass.; d. ....., at Lyme, Conn.; m. ..... (int. pub. June 1, 1706, at Ipswich, Mass., to **Sarah Andrews** (dau. of Joseph and Sarah (Ring) Andrews), b. July 16, 1685, at Chebacco, Mass.; d. ....., at .....

Res. Gloucester, Mass., until 1710; Lyme, Conn., from 1722.

Children: Job, Joseph, John, Joshua, Thomas.

4. **Capt. Joseph Giddings,†** b. ....., 1714, at Gloucester, Mass.; d. Jan. 10, 1803, at New Fairfield (Sherman), Conn.; m. (1) Oct. 28 (or 24), 1737, at Chebacco (Ipswich), Mass., to **Eunice Andrews** (dau. of John and Elizabeth (Wallis) Andrews), b. ....., 1720, at Chebacco, Mass.; d. ....., at Sherman, Conn.; m. (2) Oct. 16, 1781, at ....., to **Mrs. Elizabeth (Hungerford) Kelley,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Lyme, Conn., 1722-1752; afterwards at Sherman, Conn. Served in the French and Indian War at Fort William Henry; Capt., 1760, North Company, New Fairfield, Conn. A Joseph Giddings served in the Revolutionary War in Capt. Hubbell's Company, 16th Regt., Col. Nehemiah Beardsley commanding, in July, 1779 (this may have been Joseph[4] Giddings or his son Joseph[5] Giddings).

Children: 1st m., James, Jonathan, Solomon, Benjamin, Sarah, Joseph, Mary, Hannah, Lydia; 2nd m., none.

5. **Jonathan Giddings,** b. April 18, 1741, at Lyme, Conn.; d. April 8, 1817, at Sherman, Conn.; m. Jan. 2, 1766, at New Milford, Conn., to **Mary Baldwin** (dau. of Gamaliel and Rebecca (Herault) Baldwin; Rebecca Herault was dau. of Isaac Herault and adopted dau. of Benoni Stebbins of New Milford, Conn.), b. Jan. 1, 1744-5, at New Milford, Conn.; d. Feb. 20, 1824, at Sherman, Conn.

Res. Sherman, Conn. Scout in the Revolutionary War; one of the original proprietors of the Western Reserve, Ohio.

Children: Gamaliel Baldwin, Rebecca, James Andrus, Armida, Solomon, Jonathan, Polly, Laura, Samuel.

6. **Jonathan Giddings,** b. Feb. 18, 1777, at Sherman, Conn.; d. April 6, 1834, at Sherman, Conn.; m. (1) March 22, 1803, at Trumbull, Conn., to **Lydia Salmon** (dau. of Daniel and Hannah (Beach) Salmon), b. ....., 1782, at Trumbull, Conn.; d. March 22, 1813, at Sherman, Conn.; m. (2) Feb. 7, 1815, at ....., to **Philomela Buck** (dau. of Josiah and Mary (Towner) Buck), b. ....., at .....; d. Dec. 18, 1857, aged 73 years, at.....

Res. Sherman, Conn. Lieut. of Militia.

Children: 1st m., Augustine, Daniel Edwin, Laura, Hannah; 2nd m., Lydia Ann, Mary Eliza, John Sherman, Beebe. Jonathan Chauncy.

NOTE: * Descendants eligible to Soc. of Colonial Wars in State of Massachusetts. † Descendants eligible to Soc. of Colonial Wars.

GIDDINGS—*Continued.*

7. **Augustine Giddings,** b. Oct. 5, 1804, at Sherman, Conn.; d. April 7, 1876, at Great Barrington, Mass.; m. Sept. 6, 1826, at Kent, Conn., to **Olive Lydia Millard** (dau. of Philo and Olive L. (Fuller) Millard, and adopted daughter of Dr. John Raymond, of Kent, Conn., whose wife Zerviah was a sister of Olive Lydia Millard's mother), b. March 25, 1805, at .....; d. July 17, 1881, at Great Barrington, Mass.

Res. Great Barrington, Mass. Large land owner; surveyor; Justice of the Peace, 42 years; Massachusetts Legislature, 1841.

Children: Myra Ann, Edward Jonathan, Augustine Henry, Theodore, William.

8. **Rev. Edward Jonathan Giddings,** b. Nov. 24, 1831, at Great Barrington, Mass.; d. April 15, 1894, at Boston, Mass.; m. Jan. 18, 1854, at Sherman, Conn., to **Rebecca Jane Fuller*** (dau. of Revilo 2nd, and Caroline E. (Hungerford) Fuller), b. Nov. 4, 1831, at Sherman, Conn.; d. Oct. 28, 1901, at Chicago, Ill.

Res. Housatonic (Great Barrington), Mass. Congregational Clergyman. Author of *American Christian Rulers.*

Children: Franklin Henry, Edward Fuller, son, d. in infancy, Caroline Lydia, Charles.

9. **Prof. Franklin Henry Giddings,** b. March 23, 1855, at Sherman, Conn.; d. ....., at .....; m. Nov. 8, 1876, at Housatonic (Great Barrington), Mass., to **Elizabeth Patience Hawes** (dau. of Stephen Starr and Perla (Wheeler) Hawes), b. April 16, 1856, at Canaan, Conn.; d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City. Prof. in Columbia Universiey; Ph.D.; LL.D. Member New York Genealogical and Biographical Society.

Children: Henry Starr, Elizabeth Rebecca, Lorinda Margaret.

NOTE: * Descendants eligible to Soc. Mayflower Descendants by descent from Edward[1] Fuller of the *Mayflower.*

No. 34. VAN SALEE.....WALTER LISPENARD SUYDAM

1. **Anthony Jansen Van Salee,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., about 1676, at New Amsterdam, N. Y.; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Grietje Reiniers,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (2) ....., in 1670, at ....., to **Metje Gravenraet,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. He is supposed to have come from Salee, Vaes or Fes, Africa, to New Amsterdam (N. Y.), about 1633, where he lived until 1639. May 27, 1643, he was granted a patent of land by Gov. Kieft where Bensonhurst, L. I., now stands; sold his patent of land in 1660 and removed to New Amsterdam where he died; he was called "The Turk." Made his mark "A 1" to documents.

Children: 1st m., Annica (who m. Thomas Southard), Cornelia (who m. William Johnson), Sara (who m. John Emans), Eva (who m. Ferdinandus Van Sickelin); 2nd m., none that are known.

2. **Eva Antonis Jansen,** b. ....., 1641, at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., about 1660, at ....., to **Ferdinandus Van Sickelin,** b. ....., 1634–5, at ....., Holland; d. ....., 1712, at Gravesend, L. I., N. Y.

Res. Gravesend, L. I.; member of Flatlands Dutch Church in 1677, and took oath of allegiance in that town in 1687.

Children: Reinier, Eva, Johannes, Margrietje, Fernandes, Susanna, Cornelia, Jannetje.

3. **Reinier Van Sickelin,** b. ....., about 1661, at .....; d. ..... (will dated Nov. 18, 1703, proved April 17, 1704, Kings County, N. Y.), at ..... (prob. in Kings Co., N. Y.); m. March 26, 1687, at ....., to **Jannetje (Van Hooren or Horne) Hegeman** (wid. of Joseph Hegeman), b. ....., bap. Feb. 10, 1664 (see N. Y. Dutch Church Baptisms, vol. i, p. 72), at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Flatlands, L. I., N. Y., 1667; Gravesend, L. I., N. Y., 1687, where he took the oath of allegiance as a native.

Children: Ferdinandus Reinierse, Cornelius, Jan Reinierse, Reinier.

4. **Ferdinandus Reinierse Van Sickelin,** b. ....., about 1688, at ....., Kings Co., N. Y.; d. ....., prior to 1767, at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Mary Laan,** b. ..... (bap. March 3, 1689, at Flatbush, L. I., N. Y), at .....; d. ....., at

Res. Gravesend, L. I. In 1718 he resided at Arenten, Hunterdon Co., N. J.

Children: Mary, Jannetje, Eva, Reinier, Gysbert, Johannes, Cornelius, Catharine.

5. **Jannetje Van Sickelin,** b. ..... (bap. March 3, 1711, at .....), at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Jan** (also called **John**) **Suydam,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., about 1783, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Res. ....., Kings Co., N. Y.; in 1763 he was a Justice of the Peace in Kings Co., N. Y.; his will was dated Dec. 16, 1778, and proved March 3, 1785, and in it he mentions his son Hendrick.

Children: Ryck, Ferdinand, Hendrick, Reynier, Maria.

6. **Hendrick Suydam,** b. ..... (bap. Aug. 22, 1735, recorded in New Utrecht Dutch Church), at .....; d. Feb. 9, 1818, at Hallett's Cove, N. Y.; m. (1) Aug. 30, 1762, at ....., to **Letitia Sebring,** b. ....., at .....; d. Feb. 14, 1765, at .....; m. (2) Oct. 20, 1766; at ....., to **Harmpey Lefferts,** b. ....., at .....; d. Nov. 19, 1767, at .....; m. (3) Aug. 3, 1770 (marriage bond dated Aug. 1, 1769), at ....., to **Phebe Skidmore,** b. Jan. 7, 1745, at .....; d. April 11, 1832, at .....

Res. Hallett's Cove, N. Y. Clerk of Capt. Lambert Suydam's Troop of Horse, Kings County, N. Y., Militia, Aug. 14, 1776.

Children: 1st m., John; 2nd m., none; 3rd m., Letitia, Samuel, Harriet, Jane, Hendrick, Mary (or Maria), Harriet, Richard, Ferdinand, James, Phebe.

VAN SALEE—*Continued.*

7. **Ferdinand Suydam,** b. Sept. 13, 1786, at Hallett's Cove, L. I., N. Y.; d. March 23, 1851, at Buffalo, N. Y.; m. Oct. 2, 1810, at New York City, N. Y., to **Eliza Underhill** (dau. of Anthony Lispenard and Clarina (Bartow) Underhill), b. Nov. 8, 1788, at New York City, N. Y.; d. June 16, 1844, at New York City, N. Y.

Res. No. 3 Bowling Green, New York City, N. Y. Ensign 5th Regt., 2nd Brig. of Infantry, New York County, in 1810; Private 2nd Regt., New York State Artillery, 1812.

Children: Louisa, Henry Lispenard, Ferdinand, Charles.

8. **Charles Suydam,** b. Dec. 3, 1818, at New York City, N. Y.; d. Dec. 31, 1882, at No. 159 Madison Avenue, New York City, N. Y.; m. Oct. 23, 1849, at New York City, N. Y., by Rev. Dr. Taylor, of Grace Church, N. Y., to **Anne White Schermerhorn,** b. Feb. 15, 1818, at New York City, N. Y.; d. Nov. 23, 1886, at No. 52 East 69th Street, New York City, N. Y.

Res. 159 Madison Avenue, New York City, N. Y.

Children: Charles Schermerhorn, Augustus Van Cortlandt, Walter Lispenard, Helen.

9. **Walter Lispenard Suydam,** b. May 20, 1854, at New York City, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....; m. April 29, 1875, at New York City, N. Y. (at 43 East 22nd Street), by Rev. Dr. Rylance, of St. Marks Church, New York City, to **Jane Mesier Suydam,** b. May 2, 1855, at 100 East 14th Street, New York City, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....

Res. 5 East 76th Street, New York City, N. Y., and Blue Point, Suffolk Co., N. Y. Gov. Soc. of Colonial Wars, State of New York; Vice-Pres. St. Nicholas Society; Vice-Pres. Underhill Society of America; Manager Sons of the Revolution; Member of Council Veteran Corps of Artillery 1812; First Lieutenant, Quartermaster, V. C. A., N. Y., 1911; Manager New York Historical Society; Member New York Geneaiogical and Biographical Society.

Children: Walter Lispenard.

SUYDAM ARMS: *Argent*, a chevron *azure* between in chief two crescents *gules* and in base a mullet of the last.

CREST: A swan in water among reeds *proper.*

MOTTO: *De tyd vliegt.*

No. 35. **KIRBY.....ELLSWORTH EVERETT DWIGHT**

1. **John Kirby,** b. ..... (bap. Jan. 4, 1624), at Rowington, Warwickshire, Eng.; d. April .., 1677, at Middletown Conn.; m. ....., at ....., to **Elizabeth** ..... (probably **Hinds**), b. ....., prob. Bury St. Edmund's, Eng.; d. after April .., 1697, at prob. Wethersfield, Conn.

Res. Plymouth, Mass., Hartford, and Middletown, Conn.

Children: Mary, Elizabeth, Hannah, John, Eunice, Esther, Sarah, Joseph, Bethiah, Susanna, Abigail.

2. **Joseph Kirby,** b. July 17, 1656, at Middletown, Conn.; d. Dec. 2, 1711, at Middletown. Conn.; m. (1) Dec. 10, 1681, at Wethersfield, Conn., to **Sarah Markham,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....: m. (2) Oct. 17, 1704, at New Haven, Conn., to **Mary Plum,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Middletown, Conn.

Children: 1st m., Elizabeth, Sarah, Deborah, John, Mary, Joseph, Bethiah; 2nd m., Joseph, Susanna, Margaret.

3. **John Kirby,** b. Feb. 16, 1691, at Middletown, Conn.; d. April 25, 1760, at Middletown, Conn.; m. March 3, 1718, at Middletown, Conn., to **Hannah Stowe,** b. Feb. 11, 1696, at Middletown, Conn.; d. March 7, 1780, at Middletown, Conn.

Res. Middletown, Conn.

Children: Joseph, John, Hannah, Daniel, Sarah, Mary, Thomas, Bethiah, Susanna, Jonathan, Elizabeth.

4. **Jonathan Kirby,*** b. ....., about 1736, at Middletown "Upper Houses," Conn.; d. May 5, 1782, at Middletown, Conn., m. March 1, 1769, at Guilford, Conn., to **Lucy Burgis,** b. Oct. 13, 1742, at Guilford, Conn.; d. Feb. 28, 1817, prob. at Middletown, Conn.

Res. Middletown "Upper Houses," Conn. Minute-man in the Revolution.

Children: Lucy, Olive, Elisha, Lucy.

5. **Elisha Kirby,** b. Oct. 13, 1774, at Middletown "Upper Houses," Conn.; d. Feb. 18, 1868, at New Haven, Conn.; m. Nov. 2, 1800, at Middletown, Conn., to **Betsy Spencer,** b. ..... (bap. Oct. 3, 1779, at Middletown, Conn.); d. Dec. 20, 1859, at New Haven, Conn.

Res. Middletown, Guilford, and New Haven, Conn.

Children: Caroline, John, Rev. William, Giles, Olive, John Burgis, Eliab Burgis, Thomas Spencer.

6. **Rev. William Kirby,** b. July 2, 1805, in Middletown "Upper Houses," Conn.; d. Dec. 20, 1851, at Winchester, Ill.; m. Nov. 28, 1832, at Jacksonville, Ill., to **Hannah McClure Wolcott,** b. June 7, 1811, at East Windsor, Conn.; d. Aug. 31, 1858, at Jacksonville, Ill.

Res. Jacksonville, and Mendon, Ill. Delegate to first Anti-Slavery Convention in Ill.; General Agent American Home Missionary Society, etc.

Children: Edward Payson, William Arthur, Frances Caroline, Catherine Wolcott, Helen McClure, Henry Burgis, Elizabeth Pomeroy.

NOTE: * Descendants eligible to Revolutionary Societies.

KIRBY—*Continued.*

7. **Helen McClure Kirby,** b. Jan. 12, 1845, at Mendon, Ill.; d. ....., at .....; m. June 23, 1870, at Jacksonville, Ill., to **Rev. Melatiah Everett Dwight, M. D., D. D.,** b. Oct. 15, 1841, at South Hadley, Mass.; d. Sept. 14, 1907, on the summit of Mt. Holyoke, at South Hadley, Mass.

Res. New York City, Onarga, Ill., Fairfield, Iowa, Plainfield, N. J.
Children: Ellsworth Everett, Richard Everett, William Kirby, Katharine Wolcott, Marion Edith.

8. **Ellsworth Everett Dwight,** b. March 20, 1871, at Onarga, Ill.; d. ....., at .....; m. April 4, 1907, at Morristown, N. J., to **Margaret Dexter Brush,** b. Dec. 12, 1883, at New Utrecht (now Brooklyn, N. Y.); d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City.
Child: Eleanor.

No. 36. DWIGHT.....ELLSWORTH EVERETT DWIGHT

1. **John Dwight,** b. ....., in England; d. Jan. 24, 1659–60, at Dedham, Mass.; m. ....., at ....., to **Hannah .....,** b. ....., in England; d. Sept. 5, 1656, at Dedham, Mass.; m. (2) Jan. 24, 1657–8, at ....., to **Mrs. Elizabeth Ripley,** b. .....; d. July 17, 1660.

Res. Settled in Watertown, Mass., in February, 1636–7. Signed Dedham covenant 1636. Voted for first free school in America, 1644–5, as a member of town meeting and feoffee.
Children: 1st m., Hannah, Capt. Timothy, John, Mary, Sarah; 2nd m., none.

2. **Capt. Timothy Dwight,*** b. ....., 1629, in England; d. Jan. 31, 1717–18, at Dedham, Mass.; m. (1) Nov. 11, 1651, at ....., to **Sarah Sibley,** b. ....., at .....; d May 29, 1652, at .....; m. (2) May 3, 1653, at ....., to **Sarah Powell** (dau. of Michael Powell), b. ....., at .....; d. June 27, 1664, at .....; m. (3) Jan. 9, 1664–5, at Dedham, Mass., to **Anna Flint** (dau. of Rev. Henry and Margery (Hoar) Flint, of Braintree, Mass.), b. Sept. 11, 1643, at Braintree, Mass.; d. Jan. 29, 1685–6, at Dedham, Mass.; m. (4) Jan. 7, 1686–7, at ....., to **Mrs. Mary Edwind,** of Reading, Mass., widow, b. ....., at .....; d. Aug. 30, 1688, at .....; m. (5) July 31, 1690, at ..... to **Esther Fisher** (dau. of Hon. Daniel Fisher), b. ....., at .....; d. Jan. 30, 1690–1, at .....; m. (6) Feb. 1, 1691–2, at ....., to **Bethiah Moss,** b. ....., at .....; d. Feb. 6, 1717–18, at .....

Res. Dedham, Mass. Town Clerk 10 years; Selectman for 25 years; Rep. in Gen. Ct., 1691–1694; Cornet of horse, 1676; Capt. of foot 1693.
Children: 1st m., no surviving issue; 2nd m., Timothy, Sarah, John, Sarah; 3rd m., Josiah, Nathaniel, Samuel, Rev. Josiah, Seth, Anna, Capt. Henry, Michael, Daniel, Jabez; 4th m., none; 5th m., none; 6th m., none.

3. **Justice Nathaniel Dwight,** b. Nov. 20, 1666, at Dedham, Mass.; d. Nov. 7, 1711, at West Springfield, Mass.; m. Dec. 9, 1693, at Hatfield, Mass., to **Mehitable Partridge,** b. Aug. 26, 1675, at Hatfield, Mass.; d. Oct. 19, 1756, at Northampton, Mass.

Res. Dedham, Hatfield, Northampton, Mass. Justice of the Peace.
Children: Col. Timothy, Capt. Samuel, Mehitable, Rev. Daniel, Seth, Elihu, Abiah, Mehitable, Jonathan, Anna, Capt. Nathaniel.

4. **Captain Nathaniel Dwight,*** b. June 20, 1712, at Northampton, Mass.; d. March 30, 1784, prob. at Belchertown, Mass.; m. Jan. 2, 1735, at Northampton, Mass., to **Hannah Lyman,** b. July 14, 1709, at Northampton, Mass.; d. Dec. 25, 1792, prob. at Belchertown, Mass.

Res. Belchertown, Mass. Captain in French War, 1755.
Children: Elijah, Elihu, Capt. Justus, Eunice, Jonathan, Susanna, Col. Elijah, Josiah, Pliny.

5. **Captain Justus Dwight,** b. Jan. 13, 1739, at Belchertown, Mass.; d. July 27, 1824, at Belchertown, Mass.; m. Jan. 19, 1763, prob. at Springfield, Mass., to **Sarah Lamb,** b. ....., 1736, prob. at Springfield, Mass.; d. Feb. 25, 1832, at Belchertown, Mass.

Res. Belchertown, Mass.
Children: Elihu, M. D., William, Clarissa, Jonathan, Nathaniel, Daniel, Sarah, Justus.

6. **Dr. Elihu Dwight,** b. Oct. 22, 1763, at Belchertown, Mass.; d. June 1, 1854, at South Hadley, Mass.; m. Oct. 7, 1801, prob. at Springfield, Mass., to **Lydia White,** b. Jan. 31, 1777, at Springfield, Mass.; d. Aug. 6, 1846, at South Hadley(?), Mass.

Res. Belchertown, Mass., South Hadley, Mass.
Children: Clarissa, Nancy, William White, M. D., Elihu, Mary Ann, Lydia, George, John.

7. **John Dwight,** b. Aug. 1, 1819, at South Hadley, Mass.; d. Nov. 25, 1903, at New York City; m. (1) Jan. 13, 1841, at Wrentham, Mass., to **Nancy Shaw Everett,** b. June 17, 1817, at Foxboro, Mass.; d. Nov. 2, 1892, at New York City; m. (2) March 14, 1894, at ....., to **Mrs. Clara (Leigh) Freeborn,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. South Hadley, Mass., and New York City.
Children: 1st m., Rev. Melatiah Everett, M. D., D. D., John Elihu, Anna Frances, Clara McFarland, Marion; 2nd m., none.

8. **Rev. Melatiah Everett Dwight, M. D., D. D.,** b. Oct. 15, 1841, at South Hadley, Mass.; d. Sept. 14, 1907, on Mt. Holyoke, in South Hadley, Mass.; m. June 23, 1870, at Jacksonville, Ill., to **Helen McClure Kirby,** b. Jan. 12, 1845, at Mendon, Ill.; d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City. Trustee Congregational Church Building Society; Chairman Committee on Meetings, Inter Church Conference, 1905. President, N. Y. Genealogical and Biographical Society; Editor, *New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, etc.
Children: Ellsworth Everett, Richard Everett, William Kirby, Katharine Wolcott, Marion Edith.

NOTE: * Descendants eligible to Society of Colonial Wars and Colonial Dames.

DWIGHT—*Continued.*

9. **Ellsworth Everett Dwight,** b. March 20, 1871, at Onarga, Ill.; d. ....., at .....; m. April 4, 1907, at Morristown, N. J., to **Margaret Dexter Brush,** b. Dec. 12, 1883, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City.
Child: Eleanor.

No. 37. LIVINGSTON.....GILBERT MOTIER PLYMPTON

1. **Rev. Alexander Livingston,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. ....., at ....., to **Barbara Livingston,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Rector at Monyabroch, Scotland.
Child: William.

2. **Rev. William Livingston,** b. ....., 1576, prob. at Kilsyth, Scotland; d. prior to Oct., 1641, at .....; m. (1) ....., at ....., to **Agnes Livingston** (dau. of Alexander Livingston), b. ....., about 1585, at .....; d. ....., 1617, at .....; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Nicolas Somervill,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....; m. (3) ....., at ....., to **Marion Weir,** b. ....., at .....; d. Jan. 7, 1632, at .....

Res. Minister of Monyabroch, and Lanark, in Scotland.
Children: 1st m.. John, Samuel, "another who died young," Barbara, Anna, "etc.;" 2nd m., Jean, Martha, Janet; 3rd m., none

3. **Rev. John Livingston,** b. June 21, 1603, at Monyabroch (Kilsyth), Scotland; d. Aug. 14–21, 1672, at Rotterdam, Holland; m. June 23, 1635, at Edinburgh, Scotland, to **Janet Fleming** (dau. of Bartholomew Fleming), b. Nov. 16, 1613, at Edinburgh, Scotland; d. Feb. 13, 1693–4, at Rotterdam, Holland.

Res. Presbyterian Minister in Killinchy, Ireland, Stranraer and Ancrum, Scotland, and Rotterdam, Holland.
Children: John, William, Bartholomew, Agnes, Marion, Janet, John, Agnes, James, Joanna, Barbara, two sons, died young, Robert, a dau., died young.

4. **Robert Livingston,** b. Dec. 13, 1654, at Ancrum, Roxburghshire, Scotland; d. Oct. 1, 1728, at .....; m. July 9, 1679, at Albany, N. Y., to **Alida Schuyler** (widow of Rev. N. Van Rensselaer), b. Feb. 28, 1656, at .....; d. Oct. 1, 1709, prob. at Boston, Mass.

Res. Albany, N. Y. Secretary to the Commissaries and for Indian affairs, first Lord of Livingston Manor, Speaker of Assembly, etc.
Children: John, Margaret, Johanna Phillipina, Philip, Robert, Hubertus or Gilbert, William, Johanna, Catherine.

5. **Philip Livingston,*** b. July 9, 1686, at Albany, N. Y.; d. Feb. 15, 1748–9, at New York City; m. Sept. 19, 1707 or 1708, at Albany, N. Y., to **Catharine Van Brugh,** b. ..... (bap. Nov. 10, 1689, at New York City); d. Feb. 20, 1756, prob. at Albany, N. Y.

Res. Albany, N. Y. Second Lord of Livingston Manor. Boundary Commissioner, New Hampshire and Massachusetts. Member Governor's Council, N. Y., etc.
Children: Robert, Peter Van Brugh, Peter, John, Philip, Henry, William, Sarah, Sarah, Alida, Catherine.

6. **Robert Livingston,*** b. Dec. 25, 1708 (O. S.), at Albany, N. Y.; d. Nov. 27, 1790, at Albany, N. Y.; m. (1) May 20, 1731, at New York City, to **Maria Thong,** b. June 3, 1711, at .....; d. May 30, 1765, at .....; m. (2) ....., at ....., to **Mrs. Gertrude Schuyler,** b. Oct. 1, 1714, at.....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Third and last Lord of Livingston Manor.
Children: 1st m., Philip, Peter Robert, Walter, Robert Cambridge, John, Hendrick, Catherine, Sarah, Maria, Catherine, Sarah, Alida, Margrita; 2nd m., none.

7. **Peter Robert Livingston,*†** b. April 27, 1737 (bap. May 4, 1737), at New York City; d. Nov. 15, 1794, at .....; m. June 6, 1758, at New York City, to **Margaret Livingston,** b. July 4, 1738, at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. Member N. Y. Assembly, 1761, 1768, 1774–5; President N. Y. Convention, 1776; Chairman, N. Y. Committee of Safety, Revolutionary War.
Children: Robert Tong, Peter W., Margaret, James S., John Lafitte, William S., Mary T.

8. **Peter William Livingston,** b. May 9, 1767, at New York City; d. ....., 1826, at New York City; m. Nov. 13, 1793, at New York City, to **Elizabeth Beekman,** b. ..... (bap. March 11, 1767), at New York City; d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City.
Children: Horatio De Labigarre, Gerard William, James Howard, Peter William, Eliza Matilda, Emily Maria.

9. **Eliza Matilda Livingston,** b. Feb. 14, 1801, at New York City; d. June 20, 1873, at Watertown, N. Y.; m. March 15, 1824, at New York City, to **Capt. Joseph Plympton,** b. Feb. 24, 1787, at Sudbury, Mass ; d. June 5, 1860, at Staten Island, N. Y.

Res. New York City and elsewhere.
Children: Emily Maria, Gilbert Motier, Louisa Edmonia, Joseph Ruggles, Robert W. L., Cornelia De Peyster.

10. **Gilbert Motier Plympton,** b. Jan. 15, 1835, at Bedloe's Island, N. Y. City; d. ....., at .....; m. March 3, 1863, at New York City, to **Mary S. (Stevens) Cowles,** b. ....., at .....; d. ....., at .....

Res. New York City. Member Union, Metropolitan, St. Nicholas, New York Yacht, and other clubs; Sons of the Revolution, Colonial Wars, 1812, N. Y. Historical, and other societies, and Chamber of Commerce.
Children: Gilbert Livingston, Mary Livingston.

NOTE: * Descendants eligible to Colonial Dames. † Descendants eligible to Revolutionary Societies.

(*To be continued.*)

QUERIES.

CORNELL.—Would like the military record of Richard Cornell, b. 1760; d. 1840, at Auburn, N. Y.; m. 1st, Elizabeth Angevine; m. 2nd, Nancy Purdy. He was in the Revolutionary Army.

CORNELL.—Would like to know the ancestry of Sylvanus Cornell, b. about 1700, in New York State. His son was Enock and his grandson Stephen. The family settled near Ithaca, N. Y., and moved to Ontario, Canada.

JOHN CORNELL, Cornell Farm, Newport, R. I.

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THE DESCENDANTS OF JACOB SCHOFF, by Wilfred H. Schoff. Octavo, pp. 163, with Index. Philadelphia, Pa. 1910.

Jacob Schoff was one of a party of seven Germans purchasing of the town of Lexington "in the province of Massachusetts Bay in New England" in 1757 a tract of of 1000 acres of land in the plantation then known as "Dorchester Canada," now the town of Ashburnham, Worcester County, Mass., and his descendants are well traced out in this work.

It is supposed that Jacob Schoff was originally from Hornberg in the Black Forest, near Baden, and he appears to have been quite a traveller even in the new land, residing successively in Ashburnham, Mass., Morristown, N. H., Stratford, N. H., and Maidstone, Vt.

The book contains, also, an admirable historical account of the German Immigration into Colonial New England, and is an important contribution upon the Palatine settlers in the early Colonies of America.

Too little has been written concerning the German settlements in America and the historical sketch contained in this book is most welcome, detailing as it does, events of importance in the settlement of the early states.

The author, as Secretary of the Philadelphia Museums, is well fitted for his task and the list of authorities quoted on the last page, indicate thorough research and hard labor in collecting the facts written.

The type work is clear, the binding strong and attractive and the book well worthy of purchase by the large libraries throughout the country.

BATES, BEARS AND BUNKER HILL, by Edward Deacon. Octavo, pp. 89, Bridgeport, Conn. 1911.

The object of this little volume is to put into print many facts of interest to descendants of the Bates, Tiller, Wakeman, Bulkley and Hill families and to preserve two ancient MSS. family records, now going to decay. It consists of a series of genealogical sketches, notably of the Bates of Lydd, Co. Kent, England, of Hingham, Mass., of Winchendon, Mass., of Bunker Hill (Jonathan Bates) and of New York State. The details are consecutively told and cover a large period of the family history, not only in England, but in New England.

The work contains admirable material from which genealogies can be constructed, and its author is to be much commended for putting the facts in print in so readable a way. The typing, paper and binding are of the best for service and indicate excellent taste.

RECORDS OF THE EARLY HISTORY OF BOSTON: MINUTES OF THE SELECTMEN'S MEETINGS, from September 1st, 1818 to April 14th, 1822, with Index. Octavo, pp. 293. City of Boston, Printing Department, 1909.

This volume, the 39th in the Series, issued by the Record Commissioners deals with the Selectmen's Records down to the time when the town government ceased to exit, and completes the 22d and 23rd volumes of the original records of Selectmen's Minutes. While its genealogical value is small, its value in recording the history of the government of Boston is important and it rounds out a series of publications preserving important town acts for all time. It is clearly printed, serviceably bound and contains an excellent and exhaustive index.

RAFINESQUE—A SKETCH OF HIS LIFE, WITH BIBLIOGRAPHY, by T. J. Fitzpatrick, M. S. Octavo, pp. 239, Illustrated. Des Moines. The Historical Department of Iowa, 1911.

C. S. Rafinesque, subject of this work, was the son of G. F. Rafinesque, a native of Marseilles and a Mme. Schmaltz, who was born in Greece, of German descent. He was educated largely in Leghorn, Italy, and at an early age commenced making plant collections and the study of botany. At eighteen years of age he came to America and engaged in commercial work, and soon made the acquaintance of many of the early American botanists. He became a persistent and observant traveller and on his return to Italy became Secretary and Chancellor to the U. S. Consul at Palermo, and later engaged in a medical drug business. He once more returned to New York, but lost his all in a shipwreck. Becoming tutor to Mr. Livingston's children at Clermont on the Hudson River, he soon thereafter resumed his wanderings, and finally made Lexington, Kentucky, his headquarters.

In 1826 he returned to Philadelphia, where he taught, wrote and extensively studied his favorite botanical subjects. He died in September 18th, 1840 in reduced circumstances.

The author has well set forth the important details of his life and compiled what is no doubt an exhaustive list of his works, and the book is authoritative on the subject. The great natural ability of Rafinesque was handicapped by his imperfect education and as a result he became more of a wandering scientist than a great teacher and discoverer. It is pathetic that the man just escaped greatness and while this may be attributed to the vagaries of fortune to a certain extent, he appears to have lacked the proper concentration of purpose to win the success he deserved. Sight-seeing and botanising were not the true roads to practical living and Rafinesque devoted far more time to the pleasure of his chosen profession than to its toil. His works, however, have left a mark upon the early progress of American botany but his persistent and almost fatal misfortunes, dwarfed his intellect and rendered his days full of anxiety.

The book is beautifully printed, illustrated and bound and will be an addition to the biographical section of those Libraries dealing with early American educational history.

THE TINGLEY FAMILY, BEING A RECORD OF THE DESCENDANTS OF SAMUEL TINGLEY OF MALDEN, MASS., IN BOTH THE MALE AND FEMALE LINES, by Raymon Meyers Tingley. Octavo, pp. 894, with Index. Press of the Tuttle Co., Rutland, Vermont, 1910.

This voluminous work represents a vast amount of time and labor not only in searching out the many ancestral records but in tracing down the female lines, many of which involve four or five changes of name. The family history seems to be confined largely to the bare birth, death and marriage records, and any detailed descriptions of the life, occupation and character of the ancestral stock is rarely given. As a genealogical record, the book is remarkable in that 8861 heads of families are given and 9074 descendents, an unusually large number to trace from a single ancestor. Mr. Tingley shows great ability and discrimination in his work and the instinct of a trained genealogist. The genealogical order of this volume should serve as a model for all engaged in writing family histories. It is quite admirable and according to a standard universally approved of by experts.

The typography is clear and in excellent taste, both paper and binding being chosen for endurance and service, and the book deserves a place upon all genealogical shelves.

VITAL RECORD OF RHODE ISLAND, 1636–1850. First series, Vol. XX. Edited by James N. Arnold. Providence, Narragansett Historical Publishing Company, 1911. Quarto, cloth, pp. 640.

This volume contains the marriage and death notices from the Rhode Island American, in the early part of the nineteenth century. The marriages are concluded from vol. xix, and the deaths include A and B.

HISTORY, GENEALOGICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL, OF THE EATON FAMILIES. Compiled by Nellie Zada Rice Molyneux, Syracuse. C. W. Bardeen. 1911. 8vo, cloth, pp. 782.

As suggested in the title, this record is not confined to the descendants of one immigrant ancestor, but contains pedigrees, notes, cartoons and other memorials of Eatons in America, England, Nova Scotia, and wherever else they may be found. In this manner a vast amount of material has been gathered together, making a veritable storehouse of information, which must, however, be searched page by page, as the index is by no means complete.

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The important features of this record are, Reminiscences of Middlesex Village, The Manning Manse, The Snowshoe Scouts, and early Mining near Lowell. The article on the Snowshoe Scouts contains biographical notes on the Snowshoe Men.

OLD SHORTER HOUSES AND GARDENS. By Annie Kendrick Walker. Illustrated. 12mo, cloth, pp. 66. New York. Tobias A. Wright, Publisher. 1911.

This little volume contains many charming sketches of Reuben Clark and Eli Sims Shorter, brothers, and of their cousin James Hurt Shorter, and their descendants, with descriptions of their beautiful houses and gardens in Virginia, Georgia and Alabama in the last century. Several pages of genealogical records are added at the end of book, greatly enhancing its value. The illustrations are mostly portraits and the binding shows exquisite artistic taste in design and workmanship.

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